

Association News

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Journal Discounts Offered to APSA Members

Members of APSA should watch the mails for their listing of journals offered at discounted rates. The listing, with subscription coupons, will be mailed to all individual members in late September. □

Salisbury Named Book Review Editor of the *APSR*

Samuel C. Patterson, incoming managing editor of the *American Political Science Review*, has named Robert H. Salisbury book review editor.



Robert Salisbury of Washington University in St. Louis is new book review editor of the *APSR*.

Salisbury is Sydney W. Souers Professor of American Government at Washington University in St. Louis where he has spent most of his career and has served as chairman of the Department of Political Science and director of the Center for the Study of Public Affairs. He has been a visiting lecturer at 27 universities in the United States and abroad.

In addition to the eight books he has published, Salisbury has written numerous articles for the major journals in the profession. His most recent publication for the March 1984 issue of *APSR*, "Interest Representation: The Dominance of Institutions," extended his path breaking work on interest groups. He has also written on the politics of education, urban politics, public policy analysis, governmental reorganization, elections, political parties, and Congress.

Salisbury is a former vice president of APSA and has served on its Council. He has been both president and program chair of the Midwest Political Science Association. He has served on the editorial board of the *American Journal of Political Science* and the *American Politics Quarterly*.

Active in civic affairs, Salisbury has been a consultant for the Office of Economic Opportunity, the U.S. Office of Education, and the U.S. Conference of Mayors. He has also served as a member of the St. Louis County Charter Commission and the Missouri Commission on Local Government.

PS asked Salisbury to comment on his plans for the book review section of the *Review*, and his response, intended as an open letter to the discipline, follows:

As book review editor of the *APSR*, building on the splendid work of my predecessors, I hope to do several things. First, I want to make the review section as interesting and provocative to read as possible so that political scientists will find intellectual stimulation there as well as information and evaluation of newly published work. Whenever appropriate I will commission essays from established scholars and ask them to review substantive areas of inquiry and traditions of scholarship as well as to assess the current book or books under review. At

the same time, I expect to publish a considerable number of quite brief review notes so that readers may be as fully aware as possible of what is available.

I would like to include for review and commentary some books that are outside the normal range of political scientists' vision but that nevertheless seem to me of relevance to the work we do. I hope to review books in history and other social sciences and, whenever I can obtain good advice concerning worthwhile material, in other fields as well. In this regard I would urge everyone to recommend to me books that you believe the readers of *APSR* should know about. Publishers will not routinely send us books that appear to lie outside a rather narrow definition of our discipline, so it will take a sustained collective effort to enlarge our coverage.

The number of books published annually which potentially come within the purview of political scientists is enormous. The daily tasks involved in managing the immense flow of paper generated by the review process will take such energy that experiments will be limited. There will surely be mistakes of omission and commission. My judgments will often be flawed. I do hope and expect to hear from APSA members with suggestions and criticisms, and I will try to be both responsive and flexible. Certainly, I will be enormously dependent on the help and counsel of the profession.

—Robert H. Salisbury □

APSA Publishes Code of Ethics

A Guide to Professional Ethics in Political Science has been published by the Association's Committee on Professional Ethics, Rights and Freedoms to provide a statement of ethical principles for political scientists.

The booklet contains the 1968 code of professional standards written by the Committee on Professional Standards and Responsibilities, the statement of professional ethics written by the American Association of University Professors and endorsed by APSA, the grievance

procedures for approaching the Committee on Professional Ethics, Rights and Freedoms, advisory opinions to date of the Committee on Professional Ethics and APSA guidelines for employment opportunities, a statement of principles on academic freedom and tenure, and regulations governing research on human subjects.

The booklet costs \$3, including postage; bulk rates are also available. To order, send request and check to APSA Publications, 1527 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20036. □

Corrections for 1985 Membership Directory

The following corrections have been requested for the 1985 APSA Membership Directory. The office regrets the errors. For information on obtaining the Directory, see the order form at the back of this issue of *PS*.

The corrections are as follows:

GATI, CHARLES: His primary affiliation is Professor, Department of Political Science, Union College, Schenectady, NY 12308. Phone: (518) 370-6224.

MITTELMAN, JAMES H.: The following information should be deleted from his listing—the street address, Convent Ave. at 138th St. and the initial "C." after his name.

RIEGER, FRANK: His address should read —Am Schwarzen Berge 33c, 3300 Braunschweig, Lower Saxony, West Germany. Am Govt/Pol should be added to his fields of interest. □

Global Understanding Project Offers Instructional Units

The political science curriculum offers distinct courses for American, comparative and international politics. The largest proportion of students majoring in political science concentrate in American politics. And, an American politics course is often the only political science offering for a majority of undergraduates who are