

Area Studies Organizations

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Organization	Officers	Publications	Meetings
AFRICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION 812 Shiffman Center, Brandeis University, Waltham, Massachusetts 02154	Executive Secretary: James Duffy		
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SLAVIC STUDIES 190 West 19th Avenue, Room 254, Columbus, Ohio 43210	President: Nicholas V. Riasanovsky Vice President: Victor Erlich Treasurer: William E. Harkins Acting Executive Secretary: Warren W. Eason	Slavic Review—quarterly scholarly journal American Bibliography of Slavic & East European Studies—annual series Current Digest of the Soviet Press—weekly translations of abstracts from the Soviet press (Plus a dozen handbooks of value to those engaged in work dealing with the Soviet Union or Eastern Europe)	
ASSOCIATION FOR ASIAN STUDIES, INC. 1 Lane Hall, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109	President: Marius B. Jansen, Princeton University Vice President: John M. Echols Secretary-Treasurer: Murphey Rhoads	Journal of Asian Studies—quarterly. Ralph W. Nicholas, Chicago, Editor Bibliography of Asian Studies—annual Monographs, Occasional Paper and Reference Series, Paul Wheatley, Chicago, Editor Doctoral Dissertations on Asia—annual, Frank J. Shulman, Maryland, Editor Asian Studies Newsletter—five times a year, Victoria G. Spang, Michigan, Editor	March 25-27, 1977 Waldorf Astoria Hotel New York City
ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF BALTIC STUDIES, INC., 366 86th Street, Brooklyn, New York 11209	President: Valters Nollendorfs President-Elect: Ivar Ivask Vice President for Research and Conferences: Juris Dreifelds Vice President for Publications: Mardī Valgema Vice President for Membership and Development: Elona Valsnys Secretary-Treasurer: Kestutis A. Keblys Director-at-Large: Ilse Lehiste	Journal of Baltic Studies—Editor: Valdis Zeps	Bi-Annual
BRITISH POLITICS GROUP 509 Ross Hall, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa 50012	President: Samuel Beer, Harvard University Executive Secretary: Jorgen Rasmussen, Iowa State University	Periodic Newsletter Register of Research	Annual Meeting with APSA
CANADIAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION c/o Center for Canadian Studies, 1740 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036	President: Edward J. Miles, Vermont Vice President: Rufus Z. Smith	The American Review of Canadian Studies	
CARIBBEAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION Inter-American University of Puerto Rico, San German, Puerto Rico 00753	Roland I. Perusse		
COMMITTEE ON ATLANTIC STUDIES 1616 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006	Chairman: Werner Feld Executive Secretary: Charles R. Foster Vice Chairmen: Edwin Fedder, Peyton Lyon	Occasional research and conference reports	August 12-14, 1976 Stirling University Stirling, Scotland June 15-17, 1977 Venice, Italy

International Political Science

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CONFERENCE GROUP ON FRENCH POLITICS AND SOCIETY c/o Institute of International Studies, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina 29208	Chairman: D. Bruce Marshall	Newsletter Checklist of Books on France Register of Current Research	Fall and Spring
CONFERENCE ON COMMUNIST STUDIES State University of New York, Albany, New York 12222	President: John W. Lewis Treasurer: Erik P. Hoffman, SUNY, Albany President-Elect: Jerry F. Hough		February 5-7, 1977 University of Missouri St. Louis, Missouri
CONFERENCE GROUP ON GERMAN POLITICS Box 345, Durham, New Hampshire 03824	Chairman: George K. Romoser Secretary-Treasurer: Charles R. Foster Newsletter Publisher: Burkhardt Holzner Research Coordinator: David Conratt	Annual Newsletter	Annual Meeting with APSA
CONFERENCE GROUP ON ITALIAN POLITICS Department of Political Science, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska 68588	President: Norman Kogan Vice President: Samuel H. Barnes Executive Secretary-Treasurer: Raphael Zariski	Newsletter—Editor: William R. Feeney	Annual Meeting with APSA September 2, 1976 Academic Session at IPSA Congress August 18, 1976
COUNCIL FOR EUROPEAN STUDIES 153 Mervis Hall, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15260	Chairman: Leon N. Lindberg, University of Wisconsin	European Studies Newsletter—published six times a year Fellowship Guide to Western Europe The Quality of Life in European Cities Libraries and Archives in France France: The Events of May-June 1968: A Critical Bibliography A Preliminary Inventory of Machine-Readable Data on Urban and Other Sub-National Units in Western European Nations and the United States Scandinavian Studies in America Western European Newspapers in the Boston-Cambridge Area Libraries and Archives in Germany A Survey of Western European Studies in the United States	
INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ASSOCIATION University Center for International Studies, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15260	Executive Director: Carl Beck Associate Director: Karen Elde Rawling President: Vincent Davis Vice Presidents: Arend Lijphart, Dina Zinnes	International Studies Quarterly International Studies Notes—quarterly International Studies Newsletter—ten per year Occasional Papers—approx. 6 per year (monographs)	Annual Convention March 16-20, 1977 Chase-Park Plaza St. Louis, Missouri
LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION University Station, Box 13362, Gainesville, Florida 32604	Executive Secretary: Felicity Trueblood		
MIDDLE EAST STUDIES ASSOCIATION Headquarters and Secretariat, New York University, Hagop Kevorkian Center for Near Eastern Studies, Washington Square, New York, New York 10003	President: L. Carl Brown, Princeton Executive Secretary: I. William Zartman, New York	International Journal of Middle East Studies Middle East Studies Association Bulletin Directory of Programs and Courses in Middle East Studies in the U.S., Canada, and Abroad—published every 2 years The Image of the Middle East in Secondary School Textbooks, 1975	1976 Annual Meeting November 10-13, 1976 Hyatt Regency Hotel Los Angeles, California
THE AMERICAN COMMITTEE ON IRISH STUDIES	President: L. J. McCaffrey, Loyola University of Chicago Vice President: Emmett E. Larkin, University of Chicago Secretary: Johann Norstedt, V.P.I.		

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POLITICAL SCIENTISTS SPECIALIZING IN JAPAN, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah 84602	Chairman and Editor: Lee W. Farnsworth, Brigham Young	Newsletter of Research on Japanese Politics	
UKRAINIAN POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION IN THE UNITED STATES, 815 Grant Road, Folcroft, Pennsylvania 19032	Executive Director: P. Diachenko	Quarterly Newsletter Occasional Research and Conference Reports on Soviet Affairs	Bi-Annual

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