

Roommate Matching Service Available for Washington

The Association will again provide roommate matching services for the Annual Meeting for members who would like to share the cost of a room.

On the basis of information supplied by registrants for the service, APSA will match members according to their schedules.

To participate, members should fill out the two forms entitled, "Application for Roommate Matching Service" and "Application for Hotel Reservation," in the back of this issue of *PS*. The expected date and time of arrival and departure must be clearly indicated in the space provided on the hotel reservation form.

These two completed forms should be sent to APSA's National Office (*not to the hotel*).

As soon as reservations with the hotel are confirmed, APSA will notify applicants that a room has been reserved and will provide the name of the roommate.

Once the applicants receive a room confirmation from APSA, they are responsible for any hotel costs incurred. Any subsequent changes in plans should be coordinated directly with the specified roommate and the hotel.

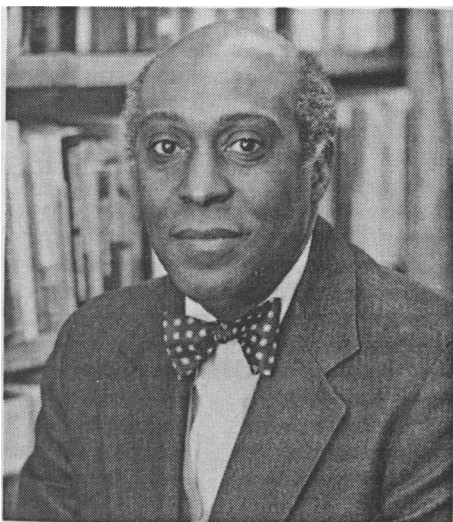
Requests for the roommate matching service should be received no later than July 13. □

Charles V. Hamilton, Jewel L. Prestage To Be Honored

Charles V. Hamilton of Columbia University and Jewel Limar Prestage of Southern University will be honored by the APSA Committee on the Status of Blacks in the Profession at APSA's Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C. The committee will bestow plaques on these two scholars at a reception on Friday, August 31, at 10:00 p.m., at the Washington Hilton. All Annual Meeting registrants are welcome to attend.



Jewel Prestage will be honored by APSA for her contribution to the discipline.



APSA will recognize Charles V. Hamilton at the annual meeting for his scholarship.

Hamilton and Prestage are being honored for their contributions to the discipline of political science and their efforts to improve the status of black Americans in the profession. The committee began honoring political scientists six years ago under the leadership of committee chair E. Wally Miles, of San Diego State University. Miles wished to commend those who have advanced the interest of black political scientists and have distinguished themselves as scholars and teachers. Michael Preston, University of Illinois, is the present chair of the committee.

Charles V. Hamilton is a professor of government at Columbia University. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago in 1964. He has also taught at Albany State College, Rutgers University, and Tuskegee Institute.

Hamilton is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, on the Board of Trustees at the Twentieth Century Fund, the New York Foundation, and the International Center for Ethnic Studies. He is also a former vice-president of APSA and

sits on the editorial board of the *Political Science Quarterly*.

Hamilton's published books include *The Black Experience in American Politics*, *American Government*, and *Black Power*, which he co-authored with Stokely Carmichael. Articles he has published have appeared in the *New York Times Magazine*, *The Journal of International Affairs*, and *The Harvard Educational Review*, to name a few.

Hamilton's awards and honors include: the Lindback Distinguished Teaching Award from Lincoln University; the Guggenheim Fellowship; Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Lecturer; and the Mark Van Doren Teaching Lecture Award from Columbia University.

Jewel Prestage, the other honoree, is currently Dean of the School of Public Policy and Urban Affairs at Southern University in Louisiana. She received her Ph.D. from the University of Iowa in 1954. She served as Chairperson of the Department of Political Science at



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An Invitation

to Political Scientists working in
Business, Industry, and Government

The APSA Committee of
Applied Political Scientists

will host a

Reception for Applied Political Scientists

At the 1984 Annual Meeting
on

Thursday, August 30
6:30 pm–8:00 pm

Association News

Southern before being named Dean of the School of Public Policy in 1983.

Prestage has served as a consultant to the U.S. Office of Education, the Ford Foundation, and the Louisiana Bureau for Women. She is a former vice-president of APSA and is currently president of the Louisiana Political Science Association. She has also served in leadership roles on numerous commissions, task forces, and boards of many professional organizations.

Prestage has more than 25 professional publications. She has conducted research on political socialization, political education in the public schools, voting behavior, black politics, and women in politics. A book entitled *A Portrait of Marginality: The Political Behavior of the American Woman*, co-authored with Professor Marianne Githens of Goucher College, is widely used as a textbook on women in the political process.

Prestage has been a pioneer in many respects, including being the first black woman in America to receive the Ph.D. in political science, the first woman and first black to be president of the Southwestern Social Science Association, the first minority woman to serve as chair of the National Advisory Council on Women's Educational Programs, and the first black woman to serve in office for the APSA.

This year's honorees will join the ranks of other prominent political scientists recognized by the Committee on the Status of Blacks: Samuel Cook, Dillard University; Charles Harris, Howard University; Robert Martin, Howard University; Clarence Mitchell, former chief lobbyist for the NAACP; Evron Kirkpatrick, former APSA Executive Director; Lucius Barker, Washington University; Matthew Holden, University of Virginia; and Earl M. Lewis, Trinity University. □

Career Workshop To Be Offered on the Federal Job Market

There will be a workshop on job hunting in the federal government at the 1984

annual meeting. The three-hour workshop will deal with the following topics: How to locate agency job openings, how to decipher vacancy announcements, how to prepare top-notch job applications (SF-171), how agencies evaluate job applicants, and how to prepare for a finalist job interview.

Each participant will receive over 350 pages of job-related materials, including the 150-page guide "How to Get a Federal Job," the 42-page kit "Top-notch SF-171," as well as the current issue of "Federal Career Opportunities."

The workshop will be conducted by David E. Waelde, a former senior level federal official, and author of the federal career guide used as the workshop text. To register, see the back pages of this issue of *PS*. □

Workshops, Meeting and Reception Planned for Applied Political Scientists

The Committee of Applied Political Scientists is actively working to help political scientists in career planning and job finding, as well as serving the intellectual and professional interests of political scientists working in business, industry and government.

To help new Ph.D.s and faculty members wishing to make a career change in career planning, the committee will sponsor two workshops at APSA's 80th annual meeting in Washington, D.C. One workshop will focus on the transition from academia to applied careers. This workshop is a repeat of the successful program at the 1983 annual meeting. It will again provide information about career assessment, investigating the marketplace and designing an effective job search.

The second workshop will concentrate on careers in the federal government. It will introduce participants to the techniques and procedures for federal employment.

Both workshops will be held Wednesday, August 29, one day before the official