

Notes

The Annual Meeting of the American Economic Association will be held in Boston, MA, January 7–9, 2000. The Professional Placement Service will be located at the Westin Hotel Copley Place. It will be open from 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., January 6; 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., January 7 & 8; 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon, January 9.

KiddieCorp will provide professional child care services for children 6 months–12 years at the Allied Social Science Associations Meetings, Boston, MA, January 7–9, 2000. KiddieCorp teams are bonded, qualified child care specialists who are carefully selected and trained. KiddieCorp's child care program will be located at the Westin Hotel Copley Place. It will be open from 7:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., January 7 & 8; 7:30 A.M. to 3:30 P.M., January 9. The fee is \$46.00 per morning shift, and \$42.00 per afternoon shift. More information and a registration form will be included in preregistration material for the ASSA meetings that will be mailed to U.S. and Canadian members in mid-September. If you do not receive the mailing, you may obtain a copy by writing to ASSA, 2014 Broadway, Suite 305, Nashville, TN 37203 or e-mail, <marlene.hight@vanderbilt.edu>.

Preliminary Call for Papers or Sessions for the January 2001 American Economic Association Meetings. Members wishing to give papers, organize sessions, or make suggestions for the program for the meetings to be held in New Orleans, LA January 5–7, 2001, are invited to send their ideas to Professor Sherwin Rosen, Department of Economics, University of Chicago, 1126 East 59th Street, Chicago, IL 60637; please mark envelope "AEA Meetings 2001." To be considered, abstracts of papers should be submitted in duplicate, contain the *new Journal of Economic Literature* bibliographic codes, and be received no later than **February 1, 2000**. One author of each paper must be an AEA member. Econometric studies or highly mathematical papers are not appropriate for the sessions spon-

sored by the AEA; members wishing to present such papers may submit their proposals or abstracts to the Econometric Society. Please do not send a completed paper. The Association discourages multiple proposals from the same person (under no circumstances should more than two be submitted by the same proposer). Proposals for complete sessions usually have a higher probability of inclusion than papers submitted individually.

1999 Distinguished Fellows and Clark Award. The American Economic Association is pleased to announce that the Distinguished Fellows for 1999 are David Cass and John Chipman. The winner of the John Bates Clark Award is Andrei Shleifer.

Call for papers. The **64th Annual Meeting of the Midwest Economics Association** will be held March 24–26, 2000, at the Swissôtel, Chicago. The MEA invites papers and organized sessions in all areas of economics—theoretical, quantitative, institutional, and policy-oriented. Special sessions on technology will be held and work in this area is especially encouraged. Please send two copies of a one-page abstract by October 2, 1999 to: Professor Beth Allen, President, Midwest Economics Association, PO Box 54985, Cincinnati OH 45254; fax, 513-271-2336; e-mail <copeman@cinci.infi.net>. Submission fees are \$15 for MEA members, \$30 for non-MEA members.

The Manhattan Institute Fellowship Program is offering \$10,000 grants to rising academics or promising graduate students for original research in an array of public policy areas, including: welfare, education, crime, tax policy, regulation, tort reform, affirmative action, privatization and the environment. Each fellowship application must include the applicant's name, academic institution and status, an academic CV, and two writing samples. Each application

must also include a 2–5 page abstract of the applicant's proposed study. The Institute's President, Academic Advisory Board and Director will review applications. Fellowship recipients will be contacted to discuss payments, schedules and deadlines. Fellowship applications or requests for more information about the Institute or the program should be sent to: Mr. Henry Olsen, Fellowship Director, The Manhattan Institute, 52 Vanderbilt Avenue, New York, NY 10017; tel. (212) 599-7000, e-mail: <holsen@manhattan-institute.org>.

Call for papers. *Gender Issues* is a quarterly journal edited by Rita J. Simon and published by Transaction. It is dedicated to publishing basic and applied research on the relationships between men and women; on the similarities and differences in socialization, personality and behavior, and on the changing aspirations, roles, and statuses of women in industrial and urban societies as well as in developing nations. To submit an article for consideration send three copies of your manuscript with title page and abstract to: Rita J. Simon, Editor, *Gender Issues*, American University, School of Public Affairs, 4400 Massachusetts Avenue NW, Washington DC 20016-8043. Include a brief biographical note and an address for correspondence. For more information, please call 202-885-2965.

The Agency for Health Care Policy and Research recently announced a joint effort with the **David and Lucile Packard Foundation** to fund studies that will help purchasers and designers of health insurance and delivery systems improve health care for low-income children. AHCPR and the Packard Foundation together plan to award up to \$2 million in FY 1999 to support the first year of approximately five to eight projects under this request for applications. Please visit the AHCPR website to get more details at <<http://www.ahcpr.gov/news/press/pr1999/chippr.htm>>.

Call for papers. *Finance India—The Quarterly Journal of Finance*—a publication of the Indian Institute of Finance, is accepting manuscripts for publication consideration. The journal especially welcomes submissions on corporate finance, financial management and financial economics, public finance and accounting. Papers on general finance and economic topics are also encouraged. Manuscripts should be typed, double spaced, and submitted in duplicate to Prof.

J. D. Agarwal, Chief Editor, *Finance India*, Indian Institute of Finance, PO Box 8486, Ashok Vihar, Phase-II, Delhi-110052, INDIA.

Call for papers. The **Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica (IEAS)** is organizing a Taipei International Conference on Economic Growth to be held on December 17–18, 1999 in Taiwan. The primary goals of this conference are: to explore theoretically and empirically the modern issues of economic growth and to incorporate the Asian development experiences into the growth literature. Anyone interested in presenting their work at this conference should submit a paper with an abstract (for work on Asian countries) to Professor Been-Lon Chen, Growth Conference, Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan 11529; e-mail (bchen@ieas.econ.sinica.edu.tw); or (work on non-Asian countries) Professor Ping Wang, Growth Conference, Department of Economics, Vanderbilt University, Nashville TN 37235, e-mail (ping.wang@vanderbilt.edu).

Call for papers. The **Association for Cultural Economics International (ACEI)** invites the submission of papers for its 11th International Biennial Conference to be held May 28–31, 2000, in Minneapolis, Minnesota, USA. Papers are welcomed from members and non-members in all areas of the application of economics to the performing, visual, heritage and media arts, cultural policy and related areas including (but not limited to): industrial organization and competition in the cultural industries; arts labor markets; counterfeiting, copying and other property rights issues for artists; international trade in the arts; pricing and marketing strategies for arts organizations and museums; public policy for the arts; cultural tourism and economic development; investing in the arts; and economic history of the arts. Session chairs and discussants are also invited. Please send a one-page abstract of the paper (with contact information) to Bruce A. Seaman, President-Elect and Program Chair, Department of Economics, Georgia State University, University Plaza, Atlanta GA 30303; tel. 404-651-2775; fax 404-651-4985; e-mail (ecobas@langate.gsu.edu). Deadline for abstracts is January 31, 2000. Information regarding ACEI is available from Neil O. Alper, Executive Secretary-Treasurer, Northeastern University at (acei@neu.edu).

The Review of Radical Political Economics is pleased to announce publication of the first of two special issues of original papers written in

honor of David M. Gordon (1944–96), Professor of Economics at the New School for Social Research at the time of his death. The first *RRPE* special issue includes an overview of Professor Gordon's life and scholarship plus papers by contributing authors on themes in his work: urban labor markets, earnings inequality, productivity and globalization. A second issue will be published at the end of 1999. For more information or to order a copy (\$12), please contact URPE, 37 Howe Street, New Haven CT 06511; tel. 203-777-4605; e-mail: <urpe@igc.org>.

Fourth World Congress of Cliometrics, Montreal, July 6–9, 2000. Members of sponsoring organizations: Canadian Conference in Economic History; Center for Economic History and Theory, Moscow State University; The Cliometric Society; Economic History Society of Australia and New Zealand; European Historical Economics Society; and the Japanese Quantitative Economic History Group are invited to attend. Proposals must be submitted by September 15, 1999; they should be two to five pages in length. At least one author must be a member of one of the sponsoring organizations. Please use the proposal submission form at <<http://www.ch.net/Clio>> or write to The World Congress Secretary, 109 Laws Hall, Miami University, 501 East High Street, Oxford OH 45056; tel. 513-529-2850; fax: 513-529-3308; e-mail <WCC4@ch.net>.

The Athens Institute of Education and Research will hold its 2nd international conference in Athens, Greece June 9–11, 2000, at the Cultural Center of the City of Athens. The conference theme is "Business Economics; Management and Marketing: Past, Present, and Future." Send suggestions for topics, special events, invited speakers or any other ideas. You may participate as a panel organizer, presenter of one or two papers, chair, moderator, discussant, or observer. Please send proposals along with a 300-word abstract by March 31, 2000, to Dr. George T. Papanikos, Director, Athens Institute for Education and Research, 14 Solumou Street, 10683 Athens, Greece; fax: 001301 38.47.734; tel. 00301 38.34.227; e-mail <atiner@hol.gr>.

Deaths

Daniel M. Friedlander, Research Associate, Manpower Demonstration Research Corporation, February 22, 1999.

S. Charles Maurice, Professor Emeritus, De-

partment of Economics, Texas A&M University, March 4, 1999.

Peter Francis Stebe, Associate Professor, City College of the City University of New York, April 21, 1999.

Walter Wasserfallen, Professor, University of Berne, Switzerland, and former Director of the Studienzentrum Gerzensee, Foundation of Swiss National Bank, Switzerland, March 1, 1999.

Administrative Appointments

Alan J. Krupnick, Director, Quality of the Environment Division, Resources for the Future, March 1999.

New Appointments

Kris Chase, Professor of Economics, Saint Mary's College of California: Chief Financial Officer and Vice President for Administration, Saint Mary's College of California, July 1999.

Louis Esposito, Professor, Department of Economics, University of Massachusetts: Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost and Professor of Economics, Oakland University, June 1999.

Najib Harabi, Full Professor of Economics, University of Applied Sciences, Solothurn-Northwestern Switzerland, Olten School of Economics and Business Administration, November 1998.

Daphne Kenyon, Head of New England Economic Project, January 1999.

Ramanan Laxminarayan, Fellow, Energy and Natural Resources Division, Resources for the Future, September 1999.

Suzanne E. Majewski, University of California, Berkeley: Economist, Economic Regulatory Section, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington DC, September 1998.

Rika Onishi Mortimer, University of California, Berkeley: Economist, Economic Regulatory Section, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington DC, September 1998.

Urvashi Narain, Fellow, Energy and Natural Resources Division, Resources for the Future, September 1999.

Charles J. Romeo, Assistant Professor of Economics, Rutgers University: Economist, Economic Regulatory Section, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington DC, January 1999.

Santanu Roy, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Florida International University, August 1998.

Donald Siegel, Professor of Economics, Arizona State University West, August 1999.

Henry Tam, Harvard University: Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Texas A&M University, August 1999.

Dimitrios Thomakos, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Florida International University, August 1998.

Kathleen A. Trask, Assistant Professor of Economics, August 1998.

Christopher J. Waller, Gatton Chair in Macroeconomics and Monetary Economics, August 1998.

Dean V. Williamson, California Institute of Technology: Economist, Competition Policy Section, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington DC, October 1998.

Resignations

Heather M. Anderson, Texas A&M University, May 1999: Monash University

Fashid Vahid, Texas A&M University, May 1999: Monash University

Miscellaneous

The following out of print books are needed for research:

Fishburn, *The Theory of Social Choice*

Boadway and Bruce, *Welfare Economics*

Elster and Hylland, *Foundations of Social Choice Theory*

George and Shorey, *Allocation of Resources*

Kelly, *Arrow Impossibility Theorems*

Page, *Utility Theory: A Book of Readings*

Sugden, *Political Economy of Public Choice*

If you happen to have any of these or know where they can be found, please contact L.M. Guenin, Harvard Medical School, 100 Common Street, Belmont MA 02478; tel. 617-484-5591; e-mail (guenin@harvard.edu).

To Department Representatives and Executive Officers

When submitting information for inclusion in "Notes," please observe the following guidelines:

Calls for papers, notices of professional meetings, and other announcements of interest to economists should be submitted in one paragraph that contains all relevant information.

News of individual members should be labeled as to category: (1) deaths; (2) retirements; (3) foreign scholars visiting the U.S. or Canada; (4) promotions; (5) administrative appointments; (6) new appointments; (7) leaves for special appointments; (8) resignations; (9) miscellaneous. Give individual's name, present place of employment, new title, new institution, and date on which change is to occur.

Deadlines for each issue are Spring (May) December 15; Summer (August), March 15; Fall (November), June 15; Winter (February), September 15.

Please send all information to the *Journal of Economic Perspectives*, Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota, 301 19th Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN 55455. Alternatively, send the information by e-mail to jep@hhh.umn.edu. We reserve the right to edit material received. The Notes are also available at the website of the American Economic Association: <http://www.vanderbilt.edu/AEA>.