

Notes

2007 Nominating Committee of the AEA. In accordance with Article IV, Section 2 of the By-laws of the American Economic Association, President-elect Thomas J. Sargent appointed a Nominating Committee for 2007 consisting of Martin S. Feldstein (chair), Janet Currie, Oliver Hart, Ellen McGrattan, Andrew B. Abel, David K. Backus, George J. Mailath, and Robert H. Porter. Attention of members is called to the part of the by-law reading: "In addition to appointees chosen by the President-elect, the Committee shall include any other member of the Association nominated by petition including signatures and addresses of not less than two percent of the members of the Association, delivered to the Secretary before December 1. No member of the Association may validly petition for more than one nominee for the Committee. The names of the Committee shall be announced to the Membership immediately following its appointment and the membership invited to suggest nominees for various offices to the Committee."

Nominations of AEA Officers: 2007. The slate of nominees for Association officers is available on the AEA web page (<http://www.vanderbilt.edu/AEA>). If you do not have Internet access, you may request this information by e-mail at aeainfo@vanderbilt.edu, by fax (615-343-7590) or by mail (American Economic Association, 2014 Broadway, Suite 305, Nashville, TN 37203).

Call for Papers. Norfolk State University (VA) has been selected by the **Federal Jamestown 400th Commemoration Commission** as one of the major State institutions that will collectively honor the anniversary of our nation's beginnings in 1607. Our primary contribution will be a national conference on February 22–23, 2007, that will highlight the theme, "America's 400th Anniversary: Voices from Within the Veil." The

conference in Norfolk will seek to foster a multi-disciplinary dialogue among scholars on the issue of African American rights within the context of United States history. Paper abstracts must be submitted by June 15, 2006. For further information, consult the conference web site at www.nsu.edu/jamestown2007.

Call for papers. The *Review of Economics of the Household* (REHO) is currently soliciting abstracts for papers that deal with the economics of gay and lesbian households. Please note that REHO uses a broad definition of household economics (see www.springerlink.com) for more on the scope of the journal). Papers chosen for publication will appear in a special issue edited by guest editor Lisa Jepsen. Please send abstracts by March 1, 2007, to Professor Lisa K. Jepsen, Department of Economics, The University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, Iowa, 50614-0129. Tel.: 319-273-2592; e-mail lisa.jepsen@uni.edu.

Call for papers for the March 4–7, 2007 National Business & Economics Society conference in Puerto Rico. The National Business and Economics Society is a multidisciplinary academic association that focuses on promoting interdisciplinary research of both a theoretical and practical nature. See our web site (www.nbesonline.com). Those wishing to present a research paper should submit a one-page abstract of the paper in Word e-mailed to info@nbesonline.com. Submission deadline is September 1, 2006.

American Institute of Indian Studies Fellowship Competition. The American Institute of Indian Studies invites applications from scholars from all disciplines who wish to conduct their research in India. Junior fellowships are given to

doctoral candidates to conduct research for their dissertations in India for up to eleven months. Senior long-term (six to nine months) and short-term (four months or less) fellowships are available for scholars who hold the PhD degree. Scholarly/professional development fellowships are available to scholars and professionals who have not previously worked in India. Eligible applicants include: 1) U.S. citizens and 2) citizens of other countries who are students or faculty members at U.S. colleges and universities (this rule does not apply to U.S. citizens). For applications please contact the American Institute of Indian Studies, 1130 E. 59th Street, Chicago, IL 60637; tel.: 773-702-8638; e-mail: <aiis@uchicago.edu>; web site: www.indiastudies.org. Application deadline is July 1, 2006.

New Journal. The new international, peer-reviewed journal **Education, Knowledge & Economy** aims to facilitate the dissemination of high-quality theoretical advances and empirical research, and to serve as a forum for debate in all areas of education, business, economics and management, with particular emphasis on education policy and social enterprise/entrepreneurship. The first volume will be published by Routledge in 2007, and papers are now invited for submission to the Editor, Professor Anthony Kelly, at the School of Education, University of Southampton, High-

field, SO17 1BJ, UK, or <edknowec@soton.ac.uk>. For more information, including full submission guidelines, please visit (<http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/titles/17496896.asp>)

Announcement of a new journal. The first issue of *Economics of Peace and Security Journal*, an issue devoted to the topic of "Conflict and Development," is available free of charge at (<http://www.epsjournal.org.uk>). The new journal raises and debates all issues related to the political economy of personal, communal, national, international, and global peace and security. The scope includes implications and ramifications of conventional and nonconventional conflict for all human and non-human life and for our common habitat. Special attention is paid to constructive proposals for conflict resolution and peacemaking. While open to noneconomic approaches, most contributions emphasize economic analysis of causes, consequences, and possible solutions to mitigate and resolve conflict. Contributions are scholarly-based, but written in a general-interest style. Issues of the journal generally are theme-based and contributions are by invitation only; however, readers are invited to write to the editors with proposals for a theme or a specific contribution. Please visit the web site and/or write the editors, Jurgen Brauer and Paul Dunne, at <editors@epsjournal.org.uk>.

Guidelines for Submitting Announcements

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) leaves for special appointments. Give individual's name, present place of employment and relevant dates.

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 by e-mail to <jep@jepjournal.org>. We reserve the right to edit material received. The *Notes* are also available at the web site of the American Economic Association: (<http://www.vanderbilt.edu/AEA>).