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## FROM THE EDITOR

This issue of *The Criminologist* marks the transition from the four-year editorship of Hugh Barlow to my assumption of those duties. I would like to thank Hugh, and John Kramer who preceded him, for bringing our newsletter to its superb level. Under their tutelage it has evolved into an informative, esthetically appealing, and provocative medium of communication for members of the Society. They will not be an easy act to follow, but my task will be to maintain the quality that they have established and to continue the evolution of the newsletter as a publication responsive to the interests of our membership.

A number of other parties have lent crucial support to me in assuming the editor's role. Sarah Hall is the hub of ASC operations and her willingness to host a meeting in Columbus for Hugh and myself was indeed reassuring. I left that meeting with a sense of excitement and a much clearer understanding of the tasks that lay before me. Narda Boggs, a graduate assistant within the Department of Criminal Justice and Criminology at East Tennessee State University, enthusiastically assumed

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## DEATH PENALTY RESOLUTION DEBATED AND ENDORSED

Joan Petersilia

At the 1987 ASC meeting in Montreal, the following resolution was introduced and recommended at the business meeting:

"Be it resolved that because social science research has demonstrated the death penalty to be racist in application and social science research has found no consistent evidence of crime deterrence through execution, the American Society of Criminology publicly condemns this form of punishment, and urges its members to use their professional skills in legislatures and courts to seek a speedy abolition of this form of punishment."

The resolution was endorsed at the business meeting, and in accordance with the ASC constitution, was subsequently presented to the ASC Executive Board. After discussing the matter, the Board decided that policy position should only be taken on substantive issues after the membership has had an opportunity to review the empirical evidence. The ASC National Policy Committee was asked to organize a special session for the 1989 meeting to accomplish that task.

Malcolm Klein, Chair of the National Policy Committee, organized a session in Reno, NV, entitled "Death Penalty Issues: Toward a National Policy Statement." Four papers were presented which summarized existing death penalty research.

Following the session, the original death penalty resolution was reintroduced at the 1989 business meeting, and passed by the members present (28—aye; 0—no; 3—abstain). The matter was then brought before the 1989 ASC Executive Board, who passed the resolution (8—aye; 3—no; 0—abstain).

Persons wishing to bring additional policy issues to the attention of the ASC should contact Malcolm Klein, Chair of the ASC National Policy Committee.

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the assignment of aiding with the editorship and has already demonstrated her penchant for the job. The Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at ETSU, John Ostheimer, encouraged us to offer our service to the Society and garnered the necessary support. Joe Scott and Marvin Krohn have patiently fielded questions and provided counsel as we grappled with the logistics of the editorial transition. Finally, thanks to Bob Bohm, Joan Petersilia, and Charles Wellford for contributing materials to this issue on very short notice.

Editorial transitions traditionally serve as a time for taking stock of where a publication stands and where it ought to go. This change fits that pattern and the following are some of my key plans to date:

- *The Criminologist* will continue to serve both as a vehicle for disseminating pertinent news and as a forum for debating a wide range of substantive matters important to

criminologists. The latter tradition is carried on in this issue with Frank Schmalleger's discussion of the proper role of the ASC in taking policy stances and Bob Bohm's rejoinder. Other topics are in the works and I encourage each of you to share with me your views regarding issues that merit discussion in these pages.

- Our newsletter serves as the most important employment bulletin of the field. That function also will continue as one of the publication's highest priorities and every effort will be made to assure that members receive their copies during the two-month period slated for each issue. We will screen out position announcements that have earlier closing dates. Please submit your position announcements as early as possible and take particular note of the publication dates on page 19. We also anticipate implementing in the near future a modest fee policy to help support publication costs.

- The "Around the ASC" section will continue as an important means of

keeping us updated on the activities of colleagues. Please send brief accounts of significant events or accomplishments in your or your colleagues' professional lives that may be shared in this column. Calls for papers and announcements concerning conferences and workshops will likewise be extended high priority as matters of interest to us all and should be relayed to the editor.

On other matters I await further direction from colleagues in the Society. It is your newsletter and should meet your needs. I urge you to share your ideas with me. Finally, please accept my apologies in advance for decisions that no doubt will be essential to the attainment of our goals; deadlines will be imposed and colleagues will be cajoled into commitments for *The Criminologist*. I do look forward to working with you and maintaining our tradition of circulating an interesting and informative newsletter.

## AROUND THE ASC

**Dr. Anthony A. Lukin** has been appointed as the Director of the newly formed Community Policing Program of the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission. Dr. Lukin, a member of the ASC, is a noted authority on Community Oriented Policing and already coordinates Washington State's highly successful Drug Abuse Resistance Education Project (DARE).

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**Charles Clotfelter** and **Philip Cook** have authored a new book about lotteries that is entitled *Selling Hope* to be published by Harvard University Press.

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**Dr. Robert Bohm**, who has written extensively in the area of capital punishment and is currently an Associate Professor at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, received the Outstanding Educator of the year award from the Southern Criminal Justice Association at their annual meeting held in Jacksonville, Florida.

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**Ron Jackson**, Executive Director of the Texas Youth Commission, was recently awarded the Roscoe Pound Award by the national council on Crime and Delinquency. The award recognizes significant and sustained commitment to initiating criminal justice reforms consistent with NCCD's values and policies.

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## A CALL FOR CAUTION ON CAPITAL PUNISHMENT POLICY

Frank Schmalleger

I have followed the ongoing debate by ASC members over the issue of capital punishment with some interest. Any official position adopted by our Society must, it would seem, be considered seriously by policy makers at the highest level. As a consequence, we should be very careful of our formal statements in such a weighty matter.

If I understand the crux of the arguments made by some of our most vocal opponents to the death penalty it is this: Quantitative studies of capital punishment have generally shown a lack of deterrent effect; therefore the penalty is outmoded and inappropriate. Given the widespread interest among criminologists in crime causation, this focus on the pragmatic effects of capital punishment, especially with regard to the frequency of future crimes, is not surprising.

While the methodology of individual studies on the deterrent effect of capital punishment could be (and have been) criticized, such is not my purpose here. I would only like to point out that a single-minded focus on deterrence does all of us a disservice. I can't believe that the original framers of capital punishment gave much considerations to its deterrent effect (unless it was as a specific deterrent in each individual case). They were, of course, responding to something more primal. What I believe was on their minds has been put into words far more eloquently by C.S. Lewis than they could have managed. Lewis said:

"The concept of desert is the only connecting link between punishment and justice. It is only as deserved or undeserved that a sentence can be just or unjust. I do not here contend that the question: 'is it deserved?' is the only one we can reasonably ask about a punishment. We may very properly ask whether it is likely to deter others and to reform the criminal. But neither of these two last questions is a question about justice. There is no sense in talking about a 'just deterrent' or a 'just cure' - we demand of a deterrent not whether it is just but whether it will deter. We demand of a cure not whether it is just but whether it succeeds. Thus when we cease to consider what the criminal deserves and consider only what will cure him or deter others, we have tacitly removed him from the sphere of justice altogether . . ." ("The Humanitarian Theory of Punishment," *Res Judicatae* 6:224-225).

Lewis' ruminations on sentencing and justice were brought to my attention by H. R. Delaney at Northern Arizona University. If you are like me, you will find it surprising, I am sure, to count C. S. Lewis among proponents of the "just deserts" model. However, just as Lewis' words rang true in 1953 when he penned them, they hold a kernel of significance today. His words speak of equity and fairness for individuals as well as the social group; and because they do, they must apply just as much to victims (and the close survivors of victims) as they do to suspects and convicted offenders. I think any consideration of the death penalty which avoids recognizing the longstanding cultural and emotional significance of retribution couched within the just deserts framework is, at best, unrealistic. At worst, promulgated in the form of an official resolution, it misleads students, professionals, and policy makers.

If you have read this far, I know what you are thinking. But it is not true. I am not a proponent of capital punishment. Personally and professionally I haven't made my mind up. I do think, however, that it is time for fresh research to attempt to measure the true complexity of attitudinal dimensions of public opinion (although, "attitude" and "opinion" are terms which don't do justice to the intricate meanings accorded to such an emotional event as death) on the issue. Is the primal urge, which gave meaning to the punishment of death so long ago, still with us? What, precisely, is its nature? These questions are important because the future of the death penalty as a sentencing option, will depend not so much on its demonstrated scientific usefulness, as it will upon the less tangible kinds of significance people accord to it. ■

## IN DEFENSE OF THE ASC POLICY: A Rejoinder to Schmalleger

Robert Bohm

In his remarks, Professor Schmalleger expresses concerns about the ASC taking an official position on capital punishment. The Editor of *The Criminologist* asked me to provide a brief response, and I am pleased to do so. Professor Schmalleger is correct that quantitative studies of capital punishment generally have shown a lack of general deterrent effect; however deterrence, or the lack thereof, is not the only or necessarily the primary reason why criminologists oppose the death penalty. Other reasons include the possible counterdeterrent or "brutalizing" effect of capital punishment, that the death penalty in the United States, even under post-Furman statutes, continues to be imposed in an unacceptably arbitrary, capricious, and discriminatory fashion, and that innocent persons continue to be wrongly convicted and executed. Additionally, the ritual of capital punishment may have the unintended consequences of lulling the public into the false belief that the death penalty is our most important or even an effective weapon in the battle against violent crime, and thus of diverting attention and resources from better solutions to the problem of criminal violence.

As one who has spent the last several years studying death penalty opinion, I must agree with Professor Schmalleger's contention that the primary basis of support for the death penalty in the United States probably is retribution. However, the evidence suggests that the form of retribution endorsed by the public is not retribution "couched within the just deserts framework," but rather a retribution of *lex talionis*. In the 1985 Gallup poll, for example, "revenge: an eye for an eye" was the reason given by the largest percentage of death penalty proponents (30%).

Nevertheless, since Professor Schmalleger's remarks are mostly about just deserts and capital punishment, let

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me address that issue. As I have asked and responded to elsewhere ("Qualified Support for the Death Penalty: The illusion of Hypothetical Scenarios," *Justice Quarterly* 6:211-218), why does justice, equity, or proportionality require capital punishment for crime? These rationales for punishment do not require the death penalty for first-degree murder or other capital crimes, they only require a severe penalty, perhaps the severest penalty allowed by law. (Some people oppose severe punishment for any crime, while others oppose any punishment for crime.) No other crime is punished in kind. Rapists are not raped and arsonists are not burned. Justice can be served and proportional and equitable punishments can be employed without executing capital offenders. Few social practices are as unfair as capital punishment in the United States. What could be more unfair than reserving a specific punishment for only one to two percent of all offenders legally eligible for the punishment and almost exclusively for males, the poor, the unemployed or underemployed, the poorly educated, and the killers of whites? What is more unfair than executing an innocent person? Fourteen states, the District of

Columbia, and every other western industrial nation are able to dispense justice without the death penalty. The United States as a whole meted out justice for a decade without capital punishment, with no adverse effects that can be attributed exclusively to the absence of the death penalty. Victims of capital crimes and their relatives and friends, for whom I have great sympathy, must be appeased if not satisfied with the remaining panoply of punishments, just like the victims of other crimes, their family, and friends.

Professor Schmallegger has not made up his mind about capital punishment. That being the case, let me pose the following questions to him. Given the arguments and the evidence in opposition to capital punishment, is the more prudent course of action to stop executions until we are satisfied that they serve some unique and socially useful purpose, that could not be achieved in another fashion, or to continue to execute until the death penalty can be shown to be an unnecessary anachronism? If executions are stopped until the issue of capital punishment is investigated further, what adverse consequences might we suffer?

Some proponents of capital punish-

ment argue that if the death penalty is suspended, something cataclysmic might occur, or at the very least, the relatives and friends of victims are more likely to seek personal revenge. However, as Justice Brennan observed in his *Furman* decision, "There is no evidence whatever that utilization of imprisonment rather than death encourages private blood feuds and other disorders" (408 U.S. 238, 1972, 303). During the hiatus in capital punishment in the United States, between 1968 and 1977, there was neither an apparent increase in personal revenge seeking nor any major disorders that can be attributed to the absence of the death penalty in those states or countries without it.

Though I have my doubts, I hope Professor Schmallegger is correct that any official position adopted by the ASC will be considered seriously by policy makers at the highest level. As many criminologists have concluded, capital punishment is not needed in the administration of justice in the United States. Not only is capital punishment unnecessary, but it likely has unintended adverse consequences and belies a society that prides itself in being just. ■

## PUBLIC POLICY COMMITTEE: PROCEDURES AND GUIDELINES

The ASC Board has determined that public stances on relevant social issues should be limited principally to those issues for which there is substantial empirical evidence. Such evidence should be accumulated in connection with resolutions to the annual business meeting, the Board, or the National Policy Committee. In general, the steps for moving an issue toward a final policy statement are as follows:

- a. Issues are referred to the Public Policy Committee by the Executive Board, Divisions, ASC members, or the PPC itself.
- b. PPC determines whether or not an issue warrants further investigation. If not, it rejects it for stated reasons.
- c. An accepted issue is subject to "investigation" which may include submitted statements, position papers, and accumulation of relevant empirical data.
- d. PPC recommends action to the Board (including specified dissemination targets). Non-approval stops the action. Approval leads to publication of relevant materials and/or resolutions in the newsletter and, where timely, in the convention program as agenda material.
- e. The Business Meeting attendees vote on the issue, this vote being advisory and transmitted to the Board (or Executive Committee) for final decision. Implementation is in the hands of the President.



The one-armed bandits were ready at the Nugget.



Security was alert at the Nugget.



Henry Pontell seemed prepared to lose some money.

**MEMORIES OF RENO**  
as captured by the camera of  
**Hugh Barlow**  
The 41st annual meeting of  
the American Society of  
Criminology was held at  
John Ascuaga's Nugget  
Hotel, November 8-11, 1989.



Joan Petersilia (left), President-elect, and Joan McCord, President, enjoyed the ice-cream social.



Sarah Hall, ASC Administrator, kept tabs on things in the registration area.

## CALL FOR PAPERS

The Second Congress on Human Rights, Medicine and Law will be held at the Mmabatho Sun, July 31 - August 5, 1990, in Bophuthatswana, Southern Africa. The program will include current issues such as Aids, human reproduction, the living will and durable power of attorney, health services in prisons, medical malpractice, genetic engineering, medical experimentation, confidentiality, informed consent, nursing law, traditional medicine, psychiatry and medicine and medical ethics generally. All those wishing to present a paper should submit an ABSTRACT by February 28th to be followed by a paper by March 31st, 1990. For more information contact: International Centre of Medicine & Law, University of Bophuthatswana, P.O. Box 4182, Bophuthatswana, Southern Africa, Telephone: country code 27, Area Code (0) 140, Numbers: 842470-1, Telefax: 24894.

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## BALTIMORE 1990

Integrating theory, research, and policy is the theme of the 1990 annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology to be held in Baltimore.

ASC President, Joan Peterselia and program chairs, John Dombrink and James Meeker, have already written to a number of high-level policy makers, local practitioners, and community organizations involved in criminological issues to encourage their participation in the Baltimore meetings. The first category includes attorney general Thornburg, drug czar William Bennett, Baltimore Mayor Cirt Schmoke, and others, and you are encouraged to contact the program chairs regarding any ideas you might have regarding appropriate participation in all three categories.

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## CALL FOR PAPERS

The *Prison Journal*, the official publication of the Pennsylvania Prison Society, will publish a special issue in 1990 on "Long-term Inmates and Long-term Incarceration in America."

For additional information about the special issue or to discuss submission of manuscripts, contact the Guest Editor: *Prof. Timothy J. Flanagan*, School of Criminal Justice, State University of New York at Albany, 135 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12222. (518) 442-5217.

## LECTURE SERIES

In honor of Professor Emeritus Gwynne Nettler, the Centre for Criminological Research of the Department of Sociology has established an annual lectureship in criminology. The second speaker in this series will be Malcolm Klein, Director, Center for Research on Crime and Social Control, University of Southern California, speaking on street gangs and drug distribution. The lecture will be held on March 22, 1990.

The American Society of Criminology

# Call for Papers

42nd Annual Meeting

November 7-10, 1990

## INTEGRATING THEORY, RESEARCH, AND POLICY

The 1990 Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology will be held Wednesday-Saturday, November 7-10. The hotel is the Omni Inner Harbor in Baltimore, Maryland. Baltimore will provide the perfect setting, as it is known for its harbor, history, and classic seafood.

The theme is *Integrating Theory, Research, and Policy*. We have chosen this theme to accommodate all facets of criminology. The list of topics can be found on the inside of this Call for Papers. Please note that the areas listed are meant to be suggestive rather than exhaustive.

If you would like to organize a panel or a workshop, or present a paper in any of the areas, send your proposal or abstract to the member of the Program Committee whose name is listed with the area. Submissions should be sent to the appropriate member of the Program Committee **before March 15, 1990**. Further submission details can be found on the back side of this Call for Papers.

If you are unsure of the area into which your panel or paper falls, send it to the 1990 Program Co-Chairs:

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- Please do not submit any single proposal more than once. The Program committee will exchange information frequently, and your submission will find an appropriate home.
- We suggest that a panel include not more than five presentations, including discussant, if the panel is organized around papers. If you are proposing a workshop, plan for shorter presentations and more participants. Workshops may be organized around thematic questions, current work or progress in a particular area.
- Abstracts are bound and made available to all program registrants. All submissions must include an abstract.
- Notification to participants can be expected by June 1st.
- Program participants are expected to preregister for the meeting. Preregistration materials will be sent to you by September 1st. Failure to preregister may result in the removal of a paper from the program.
- Please remember that papers should be original works and should not have been previously published and/or presented elsewhere.

The Omni Inner Harbor Hotel is located in the middle of Baltimore's revitalized inner harbor area, where pedestrian walkways connect dozens of attractions including shopping, restaurants, and the National Aquarium.

We look forward to seeing you there.

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## The Disturbed Violent Offender

Hans Toch  
and Kenneth Adams  
Foreword by Lloyd E. Ohlin

This book, based on a large-scale study of thousands of convicted offenders, provides a typology of violent criminals who have histories of mental health problems. Describing the careers of these offenders over time, Hans Toch and Kenneth Adams review the problems they present for mental health and criminal justice systems and their probable response to treatment and offer thoughtful prescriptions for humane reform of our programs of dealing with such people. \$22.50



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## CALL FOR ENTRIES

### 1990 ASC GENE CARTE STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION

We invite participation in The American Society of Criminology Gene Carte Student Paper Competition. These awards are given to recognize outstanding scholarly work of students. Following are the procedures for the 1990 competition.

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE

Any student currently enrolled on a full-time basis in an academic program at either the undergraduate or graduate level.

#### SPECIFICATIONS FOR PAPERS

Papers may be conceptual and / or empirical. They must be directly related to criminology. Papers must be 7,500 words or less, typewritten, double-spaced on 8-1/2 x 11 white paper using standard format for the organization of text, citations and references. Submissions must be accompanied by a letter, indicating the author(s) enrollment status and co-signed by the dean, department chair or program director. Author(s) names(s), department(s), and (optional) advisor(s) MUST appear only on the title page, since papers will be evaluated anonymously.

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Papers must be submitted with a postmark on or before April 15, 1990 to:

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Entries will be judged by a panel of scholars in the field and, therefore, it will be necessary that **SEVEN** copies of papers be provided.

#### PROCEDURES FOR JUDGING ENTRIES

Judges will independently rate entries according to criteria such as the quality of the conceptualization, significance of the topic, clarity and aptness of methods, literary quality, command of relevant work in the field, and contribution to criminology. The judges' selection of entries for awards will be final.

#### AWARDS

The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place papers will be awarded prizes of \$300, \$150, and \$100, respectively and will be eligible for presentation at the 1990 meeting of The American Society of Criminology in Baltimore, Maryland, November 7-10. The 1st prize winner also will be granted a travel award to the meeting. The Committee may decide that no entry is of sufficient quality to declare a winner. Fewer than three awards may be given. Prize-winning students will be acknowledged at the Annual Meeting Awards Ceremony.

#### NOTIFICATION OF AWARDS

The author(s) of entries selected by the judges for awards will be notified in writing by August 1, 1990.

## CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

The American Bar Association Commission on College and University Nonprofessional Legal Studies and The Law and Society Association announce their fourth annual Graduate Student Workshop. The ABA will jointly sponsor with the Law and Society Association (LSA) a 4th Annual Graduate Student Workshop in Berkeley, California, May 29-31, 1990, immediately proceeding the LSA meetings. This invitational workshop focusing on interdisciplinary research and teaching is open to students pursuing a Ph.D., as well as to law school students. Application Deadline is March 1, 1990. For more information and application procedures, write: John Paul Ryan, ABA Commission on College and University Nonprofessional Legal Studies, 750 North Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, IL 60611.

The National Forum on Juvenile Services Policy will be held February 24-27 on the campus of the Georgetown University in Washington, DC. The forum is being co-sponsored by the National Juvenile Detention Association in conjunction with Eastern Kentucky University and the Correctional Education Association. The forum, which is designed for juvenile correction administrators, will include presentations by key government officials, national advocacy groups, and leaders in the area of public policy and juvenile services.

For more information contact: National Juvenile Detention Association, Eastern Kentucky University, 217 Perkins, Richmond, KY 40475-3127, (606) 622-6259.

John Jay College of Criminal Justice will be convening the National Crime Conference scheduled for March 6 and 7 at 59th Street and Tenth Avenue, in Manhattan, New York City.

Conference participants will examine national issues in criminal justice by focusing on drug abuse, police tactics, judicial processing, and correctional methods. For more information, contact The City University of New York, John Jay Square, 899 Tenth Avenue, New York, NY, 10019, (212) 237-8600.

The 17th National Conference on Juvenile Justice will be held in New Orleans, March 25-28. For more information contact: Juvenile Justice Conference, National District Attorneys Association, 1033 North Fairfax Street, Suite 200, Alexandria, VA 22314, Telephone: (703) 549-9222. FAX: (703) 836-3195.

The Sixth International Institute on Victimology, focusing on "Victims' Rights and Legal Reforms: International Perspectives", will be held at the International Institute for the Sociology of Law Onati, Guipuzcoa (near San Sebastian), Spain, May 23 through May 27, 1990.

For information and proposals contact Professor Emilio C. Viano, Department of Justice, Law and Society, The American University, Washington, DC 20016-8022 USA. Telephone: (202) 885-2953 or (703) 536-1750 or FAX (202) 686-2828. Deadline for proposals is March 31.

The Middle Atlantic States Correctional Association will join with the Pennsylvania Association on Probation, Parole and Corrections to hold a Joint Conference at the Mount Airy Lodge in the Pennsylvania Pocono Mountains from May 20-23, 1990.

The Conference will address issues in Probation/Parole, Corrections, Juvenile Justice as well as Interdisciplinary topics.

For information contact Joe Gambescia, Philadelphia Adult Probation, 121 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107, (215) 686-7066.

The International Association of Professional Security Consultants (IAPSC) has announced that its 1990 Annual Meeting and Seminars will be held March 5-8 at the Key Bridge Marriott Hotel, Arlington, Virginia.

For more information contact, IAPSC headquarters at (904) 789-7878.

The National Juvenile Services Training Institute will be conducted May 5-9 on the Eastern Kentucky University campus in Richmond, Kentucky. The five day Institute will include a variety of workshops on topical issues.

The anticipated cost of limited Institute registration will be \$80; full registration will be \$110. A variety of economical housing and meal plans will be available to Institute participants. Room rates will range from \$35-\$45 per night. For more information contact: National Juvenile Detention Association, Eastern Kentucky University, 217 Perkins, Richmond, KY 40475-3127, (606) 622-6259.

## POSITION ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THE CRIMINOLOGIST** will regularly feature in these columns position vacancies available in organizations and universities, as well as positions sought by members of the Society.

There will be no charge for placing such announcements. For those agencies or persons not wishing to have their identities known, arrangements can be made for a box number and all appropriate inquiries will be forwarded accordingly.

**It is the policy of ASC to publish free of charge position vacancy announcements only from those institutions or agencies which subscribe to equal educational and employment opportunities and those which encourage women and minorities to apply.**

*Institutions should indicate the deadline for submission of application materials.*

The Professional Employment Exchange will be a regular feature at each Annual Meeting. Prospective employers and employees should register with the Society no later than three weeks prior to the Annual Meeting of the Society. Appropriate forms may be obtained by writing to the ASC offices in Columbus, Ohio.

To place announcements in **The Criminologist**, send all material to: Stephen E. Brown, Editor, **THE CRIMINOLOGIST**, Dept. of Criminal Justice and Criminology, Box 19150A, East Tennessee State University, Johnson City, TN 37614.

**SUNY - ALBANY, School of Criminal Justice and Hindelang Criminal Justice Research Center** seek a promising minority scholar for a position as Visiting Research Scientist/Visiting Assistant Professor. The successful candidate will teach courses within the School of Criminal Justice and will conduct research in collaboration with the School's faculty. The position offers a very attractive set of benefits, including a competitive salary, a teaching load of one course per semester, a research assistant, and an allowance for professional travel. The term of the appointment is for one to three years. In addition to being a member of an under-represented minority group (African American, Hispanic, Native American), the successful candidate should be either (1) a recent Ph.D., or (2) an ABD, or (3) a JD with a second degree in law or the social sciences. Preference will be given to candidates with demonstrated research ability and teaching experience. Review of applications will begin on January 15, 1990, and the search will continue until a suitable candidate is found. Applicants should submit a curriculum vita, including names and addresses of three references, and a brief statement describing research and writing plans. These materials should be sent to: *David McDowall*, Chair, Search Committee, School of Criminal Justice, State University of New York at Albany, Albany, NY 12222. Applications from minorities, women and handicapped persons are especially welcome.

**WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY** anticipates a tenure track position for a well qualified scholar to teach graduate and undergraduate courses in criminal justice and corrections. Appointment will be made at the Assistant level for the 1990/91 academic year. A Ph.D., demonstrated research ability, strong publication record and teaching experience are expected. Preference will be given candidates with expertise and practical experience in corrections and law enforcement or Juvenile Delinquency/Juvenile Justice. Salary and fringe benefits are competitive depending upon qualifications and rank. Applications from minorities and women are especially welcome. Candidates should send vita and have three letters of reference sent to: *Dr. Paul C. Friday*, Director of Criminal Justice, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49008. Deadline: Until position filled.

**THE UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE, Department of Criminal Justice**, invites applications for two tenure-track positions, one at the Assistant Professor level, with rank open on the second position. The second position will be available pending funding. Applicants for both positions should have a Ph.D. in criminal justice or a related field. Expertise in law enforcement is required for one of these positions, with the area of specialization open for the second. Minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. Candidates must have a solid background in the methodological and theoretical foundations of the discipline, and an interest in the policy applications of research. The normal teaching load for the Department is nine hours a semester. Each faculty member is provided with a PC and unlimited mainframe access. Established ties to criminal justice agencies in the city, state, and the surrounding region provide excellent research and teaching resources. The Department of Criminal Justice offers the BS and MS in Criminal Justice, and Graduate Certificates in Correctional and Police Administration. A letter of application and a vita should be sent to: *Derral Cheatwood*, Department of Criminal Justice, University of Baltimore, Baltimore, MD 21201. Application deadline: February 1, 1990.

**GEORGIA COLLEGE, Department of Government and Sociology** invites applications for a tenure track position beginning September 1, 1990, at the Assistant Professor level teaching courses in undergraduate Criminal Justice and Public Administration programs and a large regional Master of Public Administration program. A doctorate with strong credentials in Criminal Justice and ability to teach courses in both fields is preferred. Teaching concentrations in Public Administration may include but are not limited to personnel administration, budgeting, labor relations, and administrative law. The strongest need in Criminal Justice is in the area of administration of criminal justice including police and corrections administration. A sociology background is not necessary, but would be welcome. Salary is competitive and commensurate with experience. To apply, send letter of application, resume, three letters of recommendation and **official** transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate work to *Prof. Gregory Russell*, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Government and Sociology, Georgia College, Milledgeville, Georgia 31061, by February 1, 1990.

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Baldwin-Wallace College, located in a suburb of Cleveland, is a four-year liberal arts oriented institution with graduate programs in education and business administration. The College is strongly committed to teaching excellence and to the personal and professional development of its students.

Applicants are expected to have a Ph.D. completed by August 1990, and must have a strong commitment to quality undergraduate teaching. The Department of Sociology currently has three sociologists and one criminal justice faculty member. There are approximately 100 students majoring in sociology plus the interdisciplinary majors of criminal justice and human services, which include a letter describing teaching and research interests, vita, official transcript and three letters of recommendation by March 1, 1990, to Margaret Brooks Terry, Chair, Department of Sociology, Baldwin-Wallace College, Berea, Ohio 44017.

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## New Editor Sought For Criminology

The American Society of Criminology invites applications for the position of Editor of Criminology. The term of appointment is three years. The new Editor will be responsible for three volumes beginning with the February 1992 issue of the journal. It is anticipated that manuscript submissions will transfer to the new Editor during the Spring of 1991.

Criminology is published by The American Society of Criminology. In addition to supervising the peer review process and selecting articles for publication, the Editor is responsible for the production of the journal. This includes such things as appropriate assurances, of the nature and extent of resources that will be provided to support the activities of the Editor. These activities include costs such as mailing, phone, copy editing, proofreading, and general office support. Some funds to support the activities of the Editor may be provided by the Society. Interested applicants are encouraged to contact the current Editor, Douglas Smith (301/454-6632) if they have any questions regarding the logistics or operational details of producing the journal.

Applicants should submit a proposal by June 1, 1990 to: Michael R. Gottfredson, Chair, ASC Editorial Board, Department of Management and Policy, College of Business and Public Administration, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona 85721.

In addition to the information regarding available resources, applications should include the resumes of all proposed primary staff (i.e. Editor, Associate Editors, and Copy Editor).

## CALL FOR PAPERS ON COERCION AND PUNISHMENT

*Social Problems* is planning a special collection of papers on Coercion and Punishment as reactions to perceived deviance and as means to effecting social and individual changes in our society. Papers are welcome in such areas as changing definitions of appropriate vs. "cruel and unusual" punishments, documentation of trends in coercion and punishment, the outcomes of this approach to change, the social forces shaping both perceptions of situations requiring coercive and punitive response and the use of such responses, and the social settings in which coercion and punishment are used. Empirical and theoretical work relevant to a broad range of contemporary settings, and to a range of substantive areas will be considered. Four copies of manuscripts should be sent to Merry Morash, Editor Elect, School of Criminal Justice and Criminology, Michigan State University, E. Lansing, MI 48824. Deadline for submissions: September 30, 1990.

## LEJINS COMPETITION ANNOUNCED

The Institute of Criminal Justice and Criminology at the University of Maryland is pleased to announce the competition for the Peter P. Lejins prize. The prize is supported by a gift to the Institute by Professor Emeritus Peter P. Lejins and his wife. It will be awarded to the student submitting the paper judged by a specifically constituted review panel to make the most significant contribution to the advancement of thinking concerning the following topic:

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Dr. Charles F. Wellford  
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2220 LeFrak Hall  
University of Maryland  
College Park, MD 20742

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University Park, PA 16802. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

**STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE AT BUFFALO: The Department of Criminal Justice** invites applications for a ten-month, tenure track, Assistant Professor appointment to begin September 1, 1990. Salary is competitive; excellent benefit package. The College is the largest of the SUNY Colleges of Arts and Sciences (non-doctoral granting). The Department has the largest combined enrollment of undergraduate and Master's degree criminal justice majors in the SUNY system. Qualifications: Earned terminal degree (e.g., Ph.D.) in criminal justice or closely related field required (ABD may be considered); the J.D. is non-qualifying; preference given to the candidates who demonstrate a record of effective undergraduate and Master's level teaching and advising; a research/publication record; and activity in technical assistant and grant writing. Normal teaching load is three to four courses a semester and may include some combination of Introduction to Criminal Justice, Probation, Parole and Community Corrections, Crime and the Administration of Justice; advanced undergraduate and graduate courses in such areas as the etiology of crime, corrections and punishment, and issues in the non-police areas of criminal justice. Application Deadline: February 15, 1990. Send curriculum vita, list of completed graduate courses, areas specifically qualified to teach, and the names, addresses and phone numbers of four references to: *Dr. James R. Gillham*, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Criminal Justice, State University College at Buffalo, 1300 Elmwood Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14222. (The College and the Department specifically invites and encourages applications from women and minorities.)

**NORWICH UNIVERSITY, Department of Justice Studies and Sociology** invites applications for an anticipated tenure-track position as an Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice, starting in February 1990. An earned doctorate in criminal justice, criminology, or sociology is required by time of appointment. The successful candidate should have a teaching and research specialization in police and teaching experience in criminology and at least one other area of criminal justice. The most attractive candidate should also be able and willing to teach our lower division offerings in social problems and race and cultural minorities. College teaching experience is preferred, but not required. Criminal justice is the largest program at Norwich with approximately 200 majors and 3.5 full time faculty. Norwich University, founded in 1819, has over 2000 students enrolled 44 different degree programs located in two camping military campus in Northfield and a civilian campus in nearby Montpelier. Send letter of application, curriculum vitae, and three letters of reference to: *Professor Stan Shernock*, Chair, Department of Criminal Justice Studies in Sociology, Norwich University, Northfield, VT 05663. Closing date for applications is March 2, 1990.

## Executive Board Actions

The Executive Board of the American Society of Criminology met in Reno, Nevada on November 8 and 11. During the meetings the Board took the following actions:

- Adopted a policy position for A.S.C. on the death penalty (see related items on pages 1 and 3 of this issue of the *Criminologist*).
- Approved a budget of \$219,622 for the 1990 budget year.
- Approved the following slate of officers for this year's election:
 

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- Raised the institutional subscription rate for *Criminology* by \$12.00.
- Selected Stephen Brown of East Tennessee State University as the editor of *The Criminologist*.
- Gave preliminary approval to the creation of the Division on Critical Criminology.
  - Approved a series of Constitutional amendments for submission to the membership.
  - Authorized the site selection committee to consider Phoenix and Houston for the 1993 annual meeting.
  - Approved up to \$10,000 for equipment purchases for the A.S.C. office.
  - Approved the continuation of the Minority Fellowship Award for 1990.
  - Continued the development of a policy and procedures manual for A.S.C.
  - Approved the development of a new brochure to be used to attract student members.
  - Approved distribution at no cost of copies of *Criminology* to third world countries selected by International Division.
  - Extended appreciation to outgoing Treasurer, J. Robert Lilley, and Counselor's — Neal Shover and Carl Klockers.

The Board will hold its mid-winter meeting in Phoenix in late April/early May.

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## POLICY ON SUBMITTED POSITIONS

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**ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY WEST CAMPUS** offers an Assistant/Associate tenure track position in Justice Studies Program, Educational and Human Services Faculty. Applicants must be capable of effective teaching at graduate and undergraduate levels with competence in statistics, methodology and theory; show evidence of a scholarly research agenda; and, demonstrate the ability to relate effectively to the criminal justice community. Arizona State University West Campus is a new upper-division branch campus of Arizona State University. This first phase of the campus is expected to be completed in early 1990's, serving up to 10,000 students. The five-year strategic plan calls for development of both graduate and undergraduate programs in Justice Studies. Application deadline is December 1, 1989 or the first of each month thereafter until application is filled. For more information contact: Dr. Jan Shirreffs, Chair, Search Committee, Arizona State University West Campus, 4701 West Thunderbird Road, P.O. Box 37100, Phoenix, AZ, 85069-7100, (602) 543-6300.

**CONCORDIA COLLEGE**, Edmonton, Alberta. Requires a Ph.D. in Sociology to teach quantitative methodology, theory and criminology as of September 1990. Apply before February 1, 1990 to: Dr. J. C. Meier, Vice President, Concordia College, 7128 Ada Blvd. Edmonton, Alberta T5B 4E4 Canada.

**VALDOSTA STATE COLLEGE, Criminal Justice Program:** Valdosta State College seeks candidates for a tenure-track position at the rank of Associate/Full Professor in the Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice. The Department is interested in a criminal justice generalist who will join three other full time Criminal Justice faculty members. The College stresses high quality teaching, advising, scholarship, and service. Qualifications include a Ph.D. in criminal justice, criminology, or a related discipline and a strong record of college level teaching. The salary for the position is competitive and is based upon teaching experience and scholarship. The Criminal Justice Program offers the Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice and has over 200 undergraduate majors. In addition, the Department offers a Master of Science degree in Sociology with a concentration in Criminal Justice Administration. As one of the departments within the School of Arts and Sciences, the Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice has a total of 13 full time faculty members and approximately 4500 student majors. Planned starting date for the position is September, 1990. Candidates should send a letter of application, vita, and names, addresses and phone numbers of at least three references to: Dr. Louis Levy, Department Head, Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice, Valdosta State College, Valdosta, GA 31698. Deadline for application is January 31, 1990. Minorities and women are strongly encouraged to apply.

**UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE Criminal Justice Program** seeks an Assistant Professor for 1990/91. Criminal Justice is an interdisciplinary program in a Sociology department offering undergraduate programs in Sociology and Criminal Justice and M.A. and Ph.D. programs in Sociology and Criminology. The position is renewable for three years. Areas of specialization are open, but applicants should be able to teach one large lower level course (e.g. intro to criminal justice, law enforcement, or corrections) and an upper level or graduate course in the candidate's area of specialty. In addition to teaching two courses per semester, faculty are expected to pursue an active program of research and contribute to department service and advising. A Ph.D. is preferred, but exceptionally well-qualified ABD and JD candidates will be considered. Please send application materials including a vita, letters of reference, and recent papers or articles to: Cynthia Robbins, Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Program in Criminal Justice, Department of Sociology, University of Delaware, Newark, DE 19716, (302) 451-6815. The application deadline is March 1, 1990. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply.

**KENT STATE UNIVERSITY** has available a nine-month tenure-track appointment available Fall 1990 with responsibilities for teaching courses such as Introduction to Criminal Justice, contemporary Correction, and Policing. A strong interest in teaching undergraduate is essential. In addition there is an expectation of scholarship and professional activity. Ph.D. is required. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Submit letter of application, vita, transcripts and names and addresses of three references by February 1, 1990 to: Dr. Alan C. Coe, Dean for Academic Affairs, Regional Campuses, Lincoln Bldg. Kent State University, Kent, OH 44242.

**PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY Administration of Justice Department** continues to seek qualified applicants for a new tenure-track assistant professor position, effective September 16, 1990. Salary is \$30,000 for a nine-month appointment. Duties include: teaching a nine-credit load of undergraduate and graduate courses each quarter; advising majors; publishing articles in referred journals; participating in department and school committees; and providing consulting services to the community. Minimum qualifications are: Ph.D., substantial administration of justice coursework, paid administration of justice experience, paid teaching experience, and publication of at least one article in a referred journal. Send letter of application addressing above qualifications; curriculum vita; published journal article; undergraduate and graduate transcripts; and names, addresses and phone numbers of three references to: Dr. Gary R. Perlstein, Chair, Search Committee, Administration of Justice Department, Portland State University, P.O. Box 751, Portland, OR 97207-0751, (503) 725-4041. Consideration of complete applications will be on-going until positions filled. Minorities, women, and members of other protected groups are especially encouraged to apply.

**SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY, the Administration of Justice Department**, seeks applications for a tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor to begin Fall Semester, 1990. A Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, Criminology or a related field is required. Specialization and interest to teach research methods and computer applications in the area of crime and justice is required; additional specialties should include at least one of the following areas: corrections, juvenile justice, and/or minority issues. Candidates possessing teaching and research experience will be given preference. Applications including cover letter describing research and teaching interests, curriculum vitae, and the names (including phone numbers) of three references to: Roy R. Roberg, Chair, Administration of Justice Department, One Washington Square, San Jose State University, San Jose, California 95192. Closing date is February 1, 1990. The University is especially interested in hiring faculty members with an awareness of and sensitivity to the educational goals of a multi-cultural population. Minorities and women are especially encouraged to apply.

**UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA-LAS VEGAS, Department of Criminal Justice** has two positions available beginning Fall, 1990. The first position is firm, while the second is pending budgetary approval. Each position requires a Ph.D. in criminology/criminal justice or related field. Salaries are competitive. The first position is at the rank of Assistant Professor. For this position we are seeking a person with specialization in areas of punishment, corrections, and legal decision making. Demonstrated potential for research and publication required. Previous college-level teaching experience preferable. The second position is at the Assistant or Associate rank (depending upon budgetary approval). For this position we seek a person with demonstrated expertise and prior teaching experience in the area of research methods and statistics, and broad substantive and theoretical interests in criminal justice. Send current vita by March 1, 1990 to: Dr. Randall G. Sheldon, Chair, Department of Criminal Justice, University of Nevada - Las Vegas, NV 89154. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

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**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, SACRAMENTO** seeks to fill a tenure-track position; rank (Assistant/Associate/Full Professor) and salary (\$28,884 - \$55,452) negotiable. The candidate should have completed courses in theoretical criminology and research methodology with a demonstrated interest in the contributions of theory to the field of practice in Criminal Justice. The selected candidate will be considered for teaching graduate and undergraduate courses. The position entails student advisory responsibilities and supervision of masters' theses and participating in Division, School, and University level committees. Minimum educational requirement is a Ph.D. or equivalent terminal degree in criminal justice or criminology by August 26, 1990. Teaching and advising experience at both the graduate and undergraduate level and demonstrated research competency preferred. Commitment to working with ethnically diverse populations. Review of applications will begin February 2, 1990 and continue until the position is filled. Qualified applicants should send a letter of application, a copy of their transcript(s), curriculum vita, and three letters of recommendation to: *Dr. Thomas A. Johnson*, Chair, Criminal Justice Division, California State University, Sacramento, 6000 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95819. **THE UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL AND DEPARTMENTS ARE STRONGLY COMMITTED TO ATTRACTING AND MAINTAINING A DIVERSE FACULTY. CSUS HIRES ONLY INDIVIDUALS LAWFULLY AUTHORIZED TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES.**

**ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY WEST CAMPUS** offers an Associate/Full, tenure-track position. Responsibilities include coordinating graduate and undergraduate programs in Justice Studies as part of the Education and Human Services Faculty. Position requires university administrative experience in budgeting, personnel and program development, record of quality teaching and scholarly research, supervision of graduate students, and ability to relate effectively to the criminal justice community. Arizona State University West Campus is a new upper-division branch campus of Arizona State University. This first phase of the campus is

expected to be completed in early 1990's, serving up to 10,000 students. The five-year strategic plan calls for development of both graduate and undergraduate programs in Justice studies. The position offers exceptional opportunity for programmatic leadership. Application deadline is December 1, 1989 or the first of each month thereafter until the position is filled. Send application and resume to: *Dr. Jan Shirreffs*, Chair, Search Committee, Arizona State University West Campus, 4701 West Thunderbird Road, P.O. Box 37100, Phoenix, AZ (602) 543-6300.

**UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA, Department of Criminology.** Ph.D. in criminology/criminal justice or related area required. The degree should be completed by the beginning of the Fall semester of 1990. Salary negotiable, depending upon experience and qualifications. Position requires a generalist, able to teach in the areas of quantitative methods, theory, corrections/juvenile justice. Potential for excellence in teaching and research will be of prime consideration in selection of person to fill the position. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply. Application deadline is February 15, 1990. A letter of application, curriculum vita, three letters of recommendation and any representative reprints should be mailed to: *Dr. James Halsted*, University of South Florida, Department of Criminology, Tampa, Florida 33620. According to Florida law, applications and meetings regarding the same are open to the public.

**CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY, Department of Corrections and Criminal Justice** announces the availability of two tenure-track positions at the assistant professor level for the fall of 1990. Preferred educational requirements: Ph.D. in Criminology, Criminal Justice Sociology, Political Science, or Psychology. Applicants capable of teaching correctional administration or criminal justice administration will be given special consideration for the first position. Applicants capable of teaching counseling and psychological assessment/testing will be given special consideration for the second position. The university is an equal opportunity employer and women and minorities

are especially encouraged to apply. Send letter of application and vitae to: *Search Committee*, Department of Corrections and Criminal Justice, Chicago State University, 95th and King Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60628. Applications received until the positions are filled.

**THE BROWN UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR ALCOHOL AND ADDICTION STUDIES** offers one and two-year post-doctoral fellowships for research that relates to early intervention and treatment of alcohol and drug abuse. The multidisciplinary program emphasizes the need to develop and test theories of treatment and intervention, the importance of biological, social, cultural, and environmental factors, and methods for measuring relevant variables. Stipends are \$17,000 - \$31,500 per year depending on experience. Appointments begin between July and September 1990. For application information write to: *Dr. Richard Longabaugh*, Center for Alcohol and Addiction Studies, Brown University, Providence, RI 02912. Application deadline: February 15, 1990.

**KUTZTOWN UNIVERSITY - CRIMINAL JUSTICE - Department of Criminal Justice and Social Welfare** invites applications for a one year, sabbatical replacement in Criminal Justice at the rank of instructor or assistant professor to begin September, 1990. The Department offers a growing undergraduate program of over 250 majors. Duties for the position include 12 hours of undergraduate instruction per semester and participation in all areas of department and university business. The successful applicant will be able to offer Introduction to Criminal Justice, Introduction to Corrections and/or Juvenile Justice. A Ph.D. in Criminal Justice or a related field with a criminal justice specialization is preferred. Applicants with a Masters degree and exceptional experience will be considered. Salary is competitive with an excellent fringe benefit package. Send vita, official copies of all college transcripts to: *Dr. Al Pisciotta*, Chairperson, Criminal Justice Search Committee, Kutztown University, Kutztown, PA 19530. Applicants should also contact three references and have them forward original and specific recommendations by February 16, 1990. Minority and women applicants are especially encouraged to apply.



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