
Series D: International Relations Activities. 1961-1992

Box 59, Folder 18, Institute for Social Research [Mexico City], 5-9 April 1983.
TO: Father James Schall  
Rev. Lev Makhno  
Rabbi Marc Tanenbaum  
Rev. James Philpot

On behalf of the International Studies Association, I welcome you cordially to our Convention.

I would like to invite you to a reception for officers and special guests of ISA on Wednesday, April 6, at 8:00 P.M., the Pent House of the Galeria Plaza Hotel.

I am looking forward to meeting you and the other participants on your panel which our officers and members believe will add a new dimension to international studies and our goals of promoting peace.

Harold C. Jacobson  
ISA President
The General Assembly of the United Nations declared 1986 as the International Year of Peace. Academic organizations and research institutions are invited to contribute ideas and proposals for the programme of the year. To initiate such discussion, the International Studies Association is organizing the following panels during the 24th Annual Convention.

I. **APPLICATIONS OF POWER AND NEGOTIATIONS FOR PEACE.**

Thursday, April 7, 8:00-10:00 A.M. - Terraza

Chair: James Sutterlin, United Nations Secretariat

Participants: Leon Gordenker, Princeton University; Martin Hillenbrand, University of Georgia; Robert Jordan, University of New Orleans; Kinhide Mushakoji, United Nations University; Jurij Zamoshkin, Academy of Sciences of the USSR.

II. **HUMAN DIGNITY AND PEACE: RELIGIOUS VALUES AS A COMPONENT OF POLITICAL PROCESSES.**

Thursday, April 7, 10:15-12:15 A.M. - Embajadores

Chair: Harold K. Jacobson, University of Michigan

Participants: Father James Schall, Georgetown University; Rev. Archpriest Lev Makhno, Dean of Moscow and all Russia Patriarchate Representation in New York; Rabbi Marc Tennenbaum, National Director Interreligious Affairs, American Jewish Committee; Rev. James Philpot, Mission Chairman, Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Discussant: Bruce Russett, Yale University

III. **COSTS OF PEACE.**

Saturday, April 9, 10:15-12:15 A.M. - Embajadores

Chair: Henry Teune, University of Pennsylvania

Participants: Silviu Brucan, University of Bucharest; Finn Laursen, Odense University; Juan Carlos Puig, Universidad Simón Bolívar; Jerzy Wiatr, University of Warsaw; Edward Azar, Maryland University.
24TH ANNUAL CONVENTION PRELIMINARY PROGRAM
Mexico City, April 5-9, 1983

"Promoting Human Dignity and Justice: An International Agenda for Change"

Introduction

The International Studies Association approaches its quarter century mark with an historic cooperative venture between our North American colleagues and the Latin American international relations community. Program directors STEVE CHAN of Texas A&M University and DON SYLVAN of Ohio State University have been joined by Professors Modesto Seara Vazquez, Jose G. Cabra y Barra, and Alejandra Martinez Cranss of the Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico and the Asociacion Mexicana de Estudios Internacionales in producing an array of intellectual and cultural events which already are receiving world-wide attention.

This introduction also serves as an annual opportunity for the Executive Director to thank publicly the many professionals at Headquarters who serve all of us on a daily basis. ISA Executive Assistant PAT UZZELL will be joined in Mexico City by Regions Officer JAY ANDREWS, Sections Officer SUSAN KISIEL, Committees Officer CECILE REGNER, and Administrative Assistant NANCY BAILES. ISA Associate Directors MARK DELANCEY and CHARLES KEGLEY, along with James F. Byrnes International Center staff members PHIL BLACK, PAM GARDNER, DAVID IRVIN, JENNIFER WESTON and CARL YOUNG, and University of South Carolina Departmental staff members SALLY BUICE and SANDRA HALL will provide additional convention support. Administrative Director RICK GLEISSNER, Systems Director JOHN GLEISSNER, and Word Processing Specialist MARSHA CURLES have consistently provided basic support.

Countless others have made contributions toward the fostering of a genuine community in ISA. Presidents HAROLD JACOBSON (University of Michigan), HENRY TEUNE (Past, University of Pennsylvania), and BRUCE RUSSETT (Elect, Yale University) proudly join me in presenting to you the people and the preliminary program of the Twenty-Fourth Annual Convention of the International Studies Association.

Jim Kuhlman
Executive Director

SOME NOTES ABOUT THE PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Your Program Chairmen wish to remind all persons that this is a preliminary program and NOT a final program. Changes may occur between now and April 5. Corrections to be reflected in the final published program should be forwarded to both STEVE CHAN and DONALD SYLVAN and must be received by them before February 1.

Please note that times of business meetings of some Sections have changed, reflecting the decision for a later lunch break.

The final program will be printed both in English and in Spanish and should be used by attendees and participants in Mexico City.

NUESTRO PROGRAMA FINAL SERÁ IMPRIMIDO EN ESPAÑOL Y EN INGLES.
Abstract: This panel brings together papers on diverse topics related to the general theme of "some current empirical comparative research on political party organizations." Individual papers report new research on the development of new political parties, Duverger's theories of party organization, party linkage, and a case analysis of the authoritarian party system of Taiwan.

Participants: Robert Harmel, Texas A&M University, and John Robertson, Texas A&M University, "The Birth of a Party: Framework for the Cross-national Study of New Parties"; Kay Lawson, San Francisco State University, "Party Linkages at the Base: New Jersey and Les Yvelines"; Frank B. Feigert, North Texas State University, "Beneficiaries' Response to an Authoritarian Party System: The Case of Taiwan"; Kenneth Janda and Desmond King, Northwestern University, "Testing Duverger's Party Theories".

Discussant: Neal Tate, North Texas University.

(90) HUMAN DIGNITY AND PEACE: RELIGIOUS VALUES AS A COMPONENT OF POLITICAL PROCESSES

Chair: H.K. Jacobson, University of Michigan.


Abstract: The moral approach to the questions of peace and human dignity as represented in many religions have recently become an important factor in political statements and mass political actions. At the same time it creates a unifying platform for joint actions of various churches. Yet throughout history religious disputes have been an important factor in violence and war. In this panel the representatives of 3-4 major religious denominations will be invited to present views on the questions of peace and human dignity. Two or three scholars will present their contents and evaluations.

Participants: To be announced.

Discussant: To be announced.

(91) PROMOTING THE SELF-REALIZATION OF HUMAN VALUES IN THE GLOBAL ORDER: NEKES OF THEORY AND PRACTICE.

Chair: Richard C. Snyder, Scottsdale, Arizona.

Sponsor: International Organization Section

Abstract: Participants in this intensive workshop/panel will explore the implications of alternative theoretical perspectives and research paradigms for evaluating strategies to promote the self-realization of human values within the context of the global political economy. Institutional constraints and capabilities will be emphasized. The major purpose of the session is to confront the substance of global relations theory with the applied policy needs of individuals and groups operating in public and civic domains.

Participants: John Burton, University of Kent, United Kingdom; Paul Taylor, London School of Economics, United Kingdom; Frank Hoole, Indiana University; Robert Jordan, University of New Orleans; Lawrence Pinkelstein, Northern Illinois University; Roger Coate, University of South Carolina; Chadwick F. Alger, The Ohio State University.