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### INSTITUTE NEWSLETTER

The first half of the year 1972 has been productive at the Institute. On many fronts we have made substantial progress on existing projects. We have also initiated several new activities. In capsule form, this is where we stand as of August 1972:

#### Next Conference

The Institute together with the Frankfurt Institute is sponsoring a Conference on "Problems of the International Control of Investment" early next year. The Conference will be held in Dusseldorf, Germany, on January 5 and 6, 1973. Among the speakers and commentators from the United States will be: Nicholas Katzenbach, Anthony Solomon, John R. Petty, Lincoln Gordon and Professors Charles Kindleberger, Jack Behrman and Detlev Vagts. The developing countries will be represented among others by Chief Adebo, Nigeria, Raul Prebisch, Germanico Salgado and Antonio Carrillo Flores from Latin America. Edward Martin, OECD, Phillippe de Seynes, UN, Luis Escobar and Aron Broches, IBRD will represent international organizations.

We expect an audience of about 100 leading international officials, politicians, bankers, businessmen and lawyers. A conference invitation describing the event in greater detail is attached. Please let us know if you would like to be invited.

#### Orientation Program

Our second annual Orientation program in the U.S. Legal System ran from 4-25 August 1972. The course was designed to provide a basic understanding of the American legal system for foreign graduate law students and lawyers working or studying in the U.S. The curriculum combined classroom training with visits to related legal institutions. The

program treated the Constitutional system, judicial and legislative process, legal education, legal profession and legal research. The faculty was drawn primarily from Professors at Georgetown University Law Center and practicing lawyers in Washington.

There were 38 students from 15 countries. Germany had the largest representation with 13 students. Brazil was second with seven students. The single largest group of students will be going to Harvard University with the second largest group bound for Berkeley. Bill Barringer has been responsible for the successful organization.

#### Indonesian Government Officials

For the third summer, the Institute has coordinated an internship for a group of seven Indonesian government officials. Their summer program included visits to U.S. government agencies, international agencies, and law firms both here and in New York.

Next summer this internship will be expanded to include participants other than the Indonesians. We are hoping to include some of the students from the Orientation program who want to return to Washington for intensive study of particular government agencies.

#### Procurement Project

The first two seminars on international government procurement were held in Nairobi and Bangkok this spring. The Institute prepared the teaching materials for these seminars and Stuart Matthews attended both seminars where he served as course assistant. Our contract with UNITAR has been extended and Mr. Matthews will again serve as course assistant at the Santiago seminar in March 1973. Under the new UNITAR agreement, we are also undertaking a study of contract provision in international procurement.

#### Investment Negotiation Center

The Institute has begun work on establishment of an Investment Negotiation Center. This Center will bring officials

from developing countries to Washington for a 2-3 month course on negotiating investment agreement with Western investors. Professor Robert Hellowell of Columbia University Law School is cooperating with us on this project. The Center is scheduled to open in 1974.

#### Study on Direct Investment in the U.S.

This study of the legal and economic environment for European direct investment in the U.S. has been completed and the English version is presently being printed. It should be available for distribution soon.

#### Burke-Hartke Legislation

Professor Wallace is co-chairman of a committee of the American Bar Association charged with following and if necessary, testifying on this or any related legislation which would restrict American foreign trade or investment. One of the Institutes students, Bill Barringer, will assist with the work.

#### Courses--

##### Joint Program

We have been working with the School of Foreign Service on the development of a joint Law School-Foreign Service Program. This will be a program which will allow students to combine their legal studies with studies in international affairs. June Brosius has been in charge of this project.

##### U.S. Legal Method

Duncan Cameron and Stuart Matthews (both of the Institute) are offering this course at the Law Center for the foreign graduate students. Last year Professor Cameron taught it on a non-credit basis under the sponsorship of the Institute. This year it will be a two-semester one-credit course.

## Fellowships

### Shulte zur Hausen

Clifford Rathkopf, has completed his year in Washington and has left for Frankfurt. Cliff's successor will be Michael Silverman. Mike is a 1972 graduate of Georgetown. Christoph Stalder of Switzerland was here for 1971-72. Christoph has stayed on in Washington this summer and is currently working at Arnold & Porter.

### Institute Fellowship

The Institute Fellowship awarded to Stuart R. Matthews has been extended for one additional year in order to allow him to continue his work at the Institute.

### Other Exchange Students

Dirk Herbert joined the Institute for a time this summer. Dirk participated in and help us with the Orientation program.

## Staff

We have had a few staff changes. Vicki Otten, our secretary, has left to pursue an M.A. in Social Work at the University of Denver. Judy Lerner, a 1972 graduate of the University of Maryland, has taken Vicki's place. Lonnie Rogers is our new part-time typist.

June Brosius and Bill Barringer, both third year students, have joined the Institute as research assistants.

Helga Ruof-Koch has been appointed Assistant to the Director.

## Publications

Professor Wallace has published an article entitled, "The War-Making Powers": A Constitutional Flaw?, in the May issue of the Cornell Law Review. The United Nations has recently published the Institute's International Procurement Problems (Unitar/tur/PTP 11).

Responses to the first Newsletter

We have had many responses to our first Newsletter and we are happy about the alumni's continuing interest in our Institute. Among many responses received some deserve special mentioning: Professor Dr. W. Fikentscher informed us that he is completing his book on comparative methods of law at the Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study in Wassenaar.

Mr. Hans von Dewall finished his dissertation for Professor Schroder, University of Bonn at the end of 1971. The title is: "Gegendarstellungsrecht and Right of reply - a comparative law study about Radio and Television in the Federal Republic of Germany and the United States".

Dr. Cornelis Canenbley joined the Dusseldorf law firm of Dr. Bruckhaus, M. Kreifels, Dr. Winkhaus, Dr. Lieberknecht, Dr. Beckmann, Dr. Lang, M. Jung, W. Matz, Dr. Ditzen and G. Kruger.

Dr. Winkhaus, one of the partners was one of the first students of the Institute. Dr. Canenbley wrote his dissertation on the subject of: Das Diskriminierungsverbot in den Wettbewerbsregeln des Vertrages zur Grundung der Europäischen Wirtschaftsgemeinschaft. Reviews of his dissertation were published in "Außenwirtschaftsdienst des Betriebsberaters" and in "Law and Policy in International Business" which is Georgetown's international law journal. Professor Dr. Helmut Steinberger expressed interest to organize an exchange of students between the University of Mannheim where he is teaching and the Institute.

We would like to thank Mr. Kurt H. Grunebaum, Professor Dr. Hans Liebermann and Professor Dr. Adalbert Erler for their especially nice letters.



Helga Ruof-Koch

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