The Financial Management Association brings together practicing financial managers from commerce, financial institutions, not-for-profit and governmental organizations, and members of the academic community with similar interests in financial analysis and decision making. The theme of the program being planned for October 14-16, 1976, is to strengthen the bridge between application and theory in financial management. Proposals to participate, including specific papers for presentation, are solicited for the October 1976 program to be held at the Hotel Bonaventure, Montreal, Quebec. This is the final call for papers. Both members and nonmembers are invited to respond to the Program Chairman, Professor Keith B. Johnson, School of Business Administration, University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut 06268.
The S. S. Huebner Foundation for Insurance Education, a nonprofit foundation affiliated with the University of Pennsylvania, is initiating an experimental program of grants to support academic research on topics relating to insurance and economic security. Full-time faculty members at colleges and universities in the United States and Canada are eligible to apply for grants. Applicants should hold a terminal degree such as Ph.D. or D.B.A., a law degree, or be a fellow of an actuarial society. Consideration will be given to a broad range of topic areas relating to insurance, including the role of insurance companies in the capital markets, insurance company financial management, theory of demand for insurance, pension planning, health care financing and coverage, and social insurance programs. Grants are available from the Foundation in amounts up to $10,000. Proposals must be submitted by February 1, 1976, and the initial awards will be made by April 1, 1976. For additional information on the program, contact Dr. J. David Cummins, Research Director, S. S. Huebner Foundation for Insurance Education, W-133 Dietrich Hall, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 19174.