

Africa. Environmental History is construed widely to include approaches from the vantage point of economic and social, cultural or intellectual history, the history of science and medicine, or historical geography. For further information and application forms, contact: Charles Shaw, University Offices, Wellington Square, Oxford OX1 2JD; Telephone: 01865-270036; Email: charles.shaw@admin.ox.ac.uk

African Studies or Slavic Research Librarianship

●Indiana University Bloomington Libraries announce an academic year post-doctoral fellowship program for the training of an African studies or Slavic studies research librarian. This program is supported by a grant from The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation which offers one nine month fellowship (non-renewable) to a recent Ph.D., in any field specializing in either African or Slavic studies who wishes to pursue a career as an African or Slavic library specialist. Candidates should submit a letter describing their training, experience, and interest, along with a resume and the names of three references to: Lila Fredenburg, Indiana University, Library Human Resources Office, 1320 East Tenth Street, Rm C201, Bloomington, Indiana 47405 1801. Application reviews will begin March 15, 1999.

Richard A. Horovitz Fund

●The Institute of International Education invites applications for the Richard A. Horovitz Fund for Professional Development. The candidates must be a citizen of sub-Saharan Africa, a graduate student, researcher or artist in a program at an accredited U.S. university, cultural or artistic institution, be on F-1 or J visa, specialize in humanities or social sciences, demonstrate academic achievement by transcripts and letters of recommendation from faculty members, demonstrate financial need, and not currently funded by an established educational program. For additional information and application forms contact: Patricia S. Link, Program Officer, Institute of International Education, 809 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY 10017; Telephone: (212) 984-5390; Fax: (212) 984-5393; Email: plink@iie.org The deadline for applications is May 31, 1999.

The Greenlining Institute

●The Greenlining Institute, a Multi-Ethnic Public Policy Institute, is seeking

candidates for its Multi-ethnic Academy Fellowships and Internships in Public Policy and Economic Development. The Academy is a public policy and leadership training program for recent college graduates and graduate students who are pursuing careers in the field of public policy, urban planning, minority advocacy and economic development. Candidates must have a BA or BS in a related field or be a Masters candidate or recent graduate from a Masters program in a related field. Solid experience working with minority community groups, and familiarity with public policy or community development issues are highly recommended. For the Summer Internships, eight positions are available for a paid, ten week, intensive summer public policy and leadership training program. This program is from June 14 to August 20,1999. For the year round Fellowship, five positions are available for a fellowship in low income, minority economic development issues. The fellowships begin in August through October 1999 and are one year in duration. The deadline for applications is June 15, 1999. A cover letter, resume, two letters of recommendation, all transcripts and a one page statement explaining career goals and what you hope to gain at Greenlining Academy must be sent to: Haydee A. Diaz, Academy Director, 785 Market Street, 3rd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94103. For further details contact: Haydee A. Diaz at: haydee@greelining.org.

PAPER CALENDAR

African World

◆African World, a publication of the Institute on African Affairs, publishes short research and analytical articles dealing with policy issues that impact the African continent. No restrictions are placed on issue areas to be covered. Articles should be typed, double spaced, and should not exceed twelve pages in length, including notes. As much as possible notes should be incorporated into the text. Notes should be numbered consecutively through the article and then listed on a separate sheet at the end of the article. All manuscripts should be submitted in three copies to: R. Mopoho, Editor, African World, 6209 University Avenue, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, B3W

3J5 CANADA. Manuscripts will not be returned once submitted unless a self-addressed envelope with appropriate postage is included.

ALTA

◆ALTA will host their Third Annual International Conference on April 15-18, 1999 at Howard University in Washington, DC. The theme is "Facing the Winds of Change: The Teaching and Learning of African Languages in the New Millennium." Papers that relate to the field of African language teaching and learning are requested. Presentations can be made in any African language, English, French and Portuguese. Send paper abstracts and panel proposals (no more than 250 words) to Dr. Lioba Moshi, Conference Chair, University of Georgia, Department of Comparative Literature, Athens, GA 30602; Email: moshi@arches.uga.edu.

March 31, 1999 - Third World Studies

◆The 22nd Third World Studies Conference will be held October 7-9, 1999. This conference is sponsored by the University of Nebraska at Omaha. Papers and presentations on all aspects of Third World Studies, including: Challenges Facing the Third World; Terrorism; Nationalism and Micronationalism; Conflict Resolution; Western Media and the Third World; Technology and Resources, Regional Conflicts; World Economy; Nuclear Proliferation; as well as other issues concerning the Third World are invited. All inquiries and papers may be directed to Dawn Arnold, Conference Coordinator, College of Continuing Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, Omaha, NE 681280361; Phone: (402) 595-2325; Fax: (402) 595-2345; email: third-world@ccs.unomaha.edu. A one page abstract of papers or panels and a CV should be submitted by March 31, 1999.

April 19, 1999- Marketing and Development

◆The Seventh International Conference on Marketing and Development (ICMD-7) will be held in Legon, Accra, Ghana on January 5-8, 2000. The conference will be hosted by the School of Administration, University of Ghana. The theme of the conference will be Marketing and Development Challenges in the 21st Century. Interested conference participants will be linked with resource persons in Ghana to conduct interviews about the African world of marketing and consumers. A seminar will precede the conference on January 4 -5, allowing doctoral students to

explore their research ideas and to discuss theory and methodology issues regarding marketing and development with other students and mentors. A limited number of scholarships will be made available to doctoral students at the conference to attend the seminar. A cultural/social program for conference participants and their companions will be available as well. Four copies of papers limited to 20 double-spaced pages or proposals must be submitted on or before April 19, 1999. For further information, write or e-mail: Dr. Olav Sorensen, Department of Development and Planning, Aalborg University, Fibigerstraede 2, 9220 Aalborg East, Denmark. E-mail: ojs@i4.auc.dk

May 1, 1999- Africa and the Democratic Wave

◆Submissions for the Fifth Annual Mid-America Alliance for African Studies (MAAAS) and co-sponsored by the African Studies Resource Center, University of Kansas, to be held Sept. 24-25, 1999 at Lawrence, Kansas. Conference theme is "Africa and the democratic wave: evaluating a decade of transformations in politics, economy, the arts, and society." Papers on interdisciplinary perspectives assessing the impact of the "democratic decade" on African life in its multidimensional complexity and historical antecedents are due by May 1, 1999 and should consist of not more than a one-page abstract and title. Keynote speaker will be Ngugi wa Thiong'o. Information concerning the conference theme, proposed panels, keynote and plenary session speakers, and registration details are available at the conference website at <http://www.ukans.edu/~asrc/democr99.htm>. Tel.: 785-864-4291, fax 785-864-5378, or e-mail to Garth Myers at gmyers@ukans.edu

May 15, 1999 - Slave Narratives

◆The Humanities Department of Wilberforce University announces its first conference on Slave Narratives, to be held on the Wilberforce campus October 14-16, 1999. The theme is "Chronicling Our Present; Remembering Our Past; Predicting Our Future." Papers are invited on any aspect of the slave narrative including the slave as author and character; the underground railroad; contemporary experience of slave descendants; role of women and so-called minorities and any interesting focus. Send two copies of a 240-word abstract and/or proposals for sessions by May 15, 1999, to: Dr. Olabisi Gwamna,

English Department, Wilberforce University, 1055 N.Bickett Road, Wilberforce, Ohio 45384; Telephone: (937) 376-2911 - ext.615; Fax: (937) 376-2911; email: ogwamna@payne.wilberforce.edu.

July 15, 1999 - Rural Financial Markets in Africa"

◆The Journal of Sustainable Development in Africa (JSDA) an interdisciplinary refereed electronic journal which deals with development issues confronting Africa invites scholars to submit papers for consideration for possible publication. The journal will be publishing a special issue on the subject of: "Rural Financial Markets in Africa" Deadline for submission is July 15, 1999. Please send inquiries and papers to: Harlan M. Smith, II Division of Finance and Economics, Marshall University, Huntington, WV 25755, e-mail: smithh@MARSHALL.EDU

MEETING CALENDAR

April 8-10, 1999 - Aging and Eldercare

▲The Michigan State University Kellogg Center will hold a conference April 8 - 10, 1999 on the theme "Aging and Eldercare in Rich and Poor Countries: Facing the 21st Century." Through a series of eight sessions, questions on aging and their developing contexts will be examined. For further details and registration information, contact: Gail Campana, Educational Program Coordinator, Center for Advanced Study of International Development (CASID), Michigan State University, 306 Berkey Hall, East Lansing, MI 48824-1111; Phone: (517) 353-5925; Fax: (517) 353-4840.

April 15-17, 1999 - African Women Global Network,

▲The African Women Global Net work, together with the Center for African Studies and Ohio State University, will host the second annual International Conference on Women: Technology, Art and Culture, April 15-17, 1999, in Columbus, Ohio. For more information, write to: AWOGNet at AWOGNet, Center for African Studies, Ohio State University, 314 Oxlet hall, 1712 Neil Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1219; Telephone: (614) 292-3238.

April 24, 1999 -Health and Society in Africa

▲The Berkeley-Stanford Joint Center for African Studies invites scholars and students to their April 24, 1999 Spring Conference. The theme of the conference is "Health and Society in Africa." A wide variety of themes will be covered including, the restructuring of health care organizations, delivery systems and financing, the economic and social impacts of AIDS, the contributions and role of traditional health providers and many related topics. The Center is also interested in papers and panels that reflect ongoing research on law and colonization in Africa, African humanities, South Africa in transition, democratization and human rights, natural resources and political economy as well as gender. Abstracts of not more than one page should be sent to: Christine Capper, Joint Center for African Studies, Stanford Center for African Studies, Building 240, Room 104, Stanford, CA 94305-2152. Telephone: (650) 723-0295. Email: ccapper@leland.stanford.edu

April 15-17, 1999 - Black Studies

▲The National Council for Black Studies, Inc. announces the 1999 International Summit to be held at Saint Louis University, Saint Louis, Missouri, on April 15-17, 1999. The theme of the summit is: "At the Dawn of the 21st Century: Positioning African Studies for the New Millennium." Some of the thematic topics include: Assessment and Evaluation of Programs/Departments and Cultural Centers on Local and National Levels, Administration in Africana Leadership, K-12 Education and an Infusion of the Africana Materials in the Public Schools, Collective Economic Development in the African World, The Black Community in Transition, and Legislative Agenda. For more information contact: The State University Dominguez Hills, Telephone: (310) 243-2169; Fax: (310) 516-3987; Email: ncbs@dhvx20.cusdh.edu

June 16 -19, 1999 - African Child

▲The African Studies Program, Ohio University, announces the Institute for the African Child Inaugural Conference to be held on June 16 -19, 1999. The theme of the conference is, "The Children of Africa: Resources for Learning, Health and Society ." There will also be a special workshop on Saturday, June 19, on methods for incorporating knowledge about Africa's children across K-12 curriculum. For further