## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

New HES Secretary-Treasurer: The History of Economics Society is pleased to announce that Professor Neil Niman of the University of New Hampshire has been elected to the position of Secretary-Treasurer. Professor Niman replaces John J. Bethune, who has retired from the office. Effective immediately, all correspondence regarding membership should be sent to: Professor Neil Niman, HES Secretary-Treasurer, Department of Economics, University of New Hampshire, McConnell Hall, 15 College Rd., Durham, NH 03824 USA (email: Neil@orbit.unh.edu).

History of Economics Society 2000 Annual Meeting: The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the History of Economics Society will be held June 30-July 3 at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C., Canada. All persons wishing to present a paper or organize a complete session should submit an abstract of 200 words or less for a paper or an abstract of 400 words or less for a complete session by February 15, 2000 to the President-Elect, John Davis. For complete sessions, proposals should include names of discussants who are expected to attend the meetings. Proposals on all aspects of history of economic thought and methodology are invited. A selection of papers from the conference will be published in the June 2001 issue of the Journal of the History of Economic Thought, and some preference will be given to papers related to the conference theme, "Historiography: the methodology of the history of economic thought."

Proposals may be submitted in two ways: (1) Via the HES website. Go to http://www.eh.net/HisEcSoc/Conferences/2000.shtml and follow the link for submitting proposals. Additional information concerning conference registration, the conference program, and other details will be provided at this site as they become available. (2) Directly to John Davis by mail (Dept. of Economics, David Straz Hall, PO Box 1881, Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI 53201–1881 USA), fax (414–288–5757), or email (davis@mail.busadm.mu.edu).

Young Scholars Session, HES 2000: The History of Economics Society invites proposals for a special session of the HES to recognize and promote the work of young scholars. The Young Scholars Session will be held during the 2000 HES conference at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC. Scholars who are working on a Ph.D. in the History of Economic Thought or some related field, or who have completed their doctorate in the past 5 years, are invited to submit paper proposals for this session. Please send proposals of no more than 200 words to: Sandra Peart, Dept. of Economics, Baldwin-Wallace College, 275 Eastland Rd., Berea OH, 44017 USA (e-mail speart@bw.edu). Deadline for submissions is February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2000.

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HES Best Article Competition: The History of Economics Society welcomes nominations for the Society's 1999 Best Article Competition. The award will be presented at the 2000 meeting of the Society to be held at the University of British Columbia, in Vancouver, BC. Any article on the history of economic thought published in 1999 is eligible. For detailed information about the competition, including past winners, see the Society's webpage (http://www.eh.net/HisEcSoc/). We ask that nominators limit themselves to 1 nomination. To submit a nomination, please send 3 copies of the paper to: Sandra Peart, Dept. of Economics, Baldwin-Wallace College, 275 Eastland Rd., Berea OH, 44017 USA. Nominations must be received by March 1st, 2000.

Call for papers, International Network for Economic Method: The 2000 meetings of the International Network for Economic Method will be held on 29 June 2000 at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada. Abstracts of papers (no more than 200 words) or proposals for sessions on any aspect of economic methodology, the philosophy or sociology of science applied to economics, or other areas of interest to economic methodologists should be sent before 1 April 2000 to Kevin D. Hoover, Chair, INEM, Department of Economics, University of California, Davis, CA 95616–8578 USA or, by e-mail, to kdhoover@ucdavis.edu, or by fax, to (530) 752–9382. Papers presented at the conference may also be submitted to the Journal of Economic Methodology. Inquiries from those willing to act as discussants or wishing to attend independently are also encouraged. The conference will take place the day before the annual meetings of the History of Economics Society, also in Vancouver. Housing is available on the UBC campus on a first-come-first-served basis and will be coordinated with HES for those wishing to attend both conferences.

Call for Papers, Colloque International Jean-Baptiste Say: The Colloque International Jean-Baptiste Say will be held in Lyon, France October 26–28, 2000. The conference is organized by the Centre Auguste et Léon Walras-Institute des Sciences de l'Homme. For further information, please contact Michèle Dreyfus, Centre Auguste et Léon Walras-Institute des Sciences de l'Homme, 14 avenue Berthelot, 69363 Lyon cedex 007 (email: Michele.Dreyfus@ishlyon.cnrs.fr).

History of Economic Thought Society of Australia Conference: The History of Economic Thought Society of Australia is holding its 13th Conference at the University of Sydney, from the evening of Tuesday 4 July to 5.30 pm Friday 7 July 2000. The co-convenors of the Conference are Tony Aspromourgos, Peter Groenewegen and Graham White. The guest speaker is Professor Heinz D. Kurz. The website for the conference is http://www.usyd.au/su/econ/hetsa2000.htm, where more detailed information is available. Applications for presentation of papers at the Conference close on Friday 25 February 2000.