## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH

## PACIFIC AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH

# 26th Annual Conference

May 19-22, 1971 Huntington Sheraton Hotel Pasadena, California



## 1971 AAPOR-PAAPOR CONFERENCE PUBLIC OPINION IN A SOCIETY UNDER PRESSURE

WEDNESDAY, May 19

7:00-11:00 P.M. Lobby

REGISTRATION

6:00-8:00 P.M. Crystal Terrace

DINNER

9:00-11:30 P.M. Georgian Room

**GET TOGETHER PARTY** 

**THURSDAY, May 20** 

7:30-8:30 A.M. Viennese Room

**BUFFET BREAKFAST** 

8:30-9:30 A.M. Lobby

REGISTRATION

9:00-10:30 A.M. Wentworth Room

#### SOCIAL INDICATORS

Chairman: RAYMOND A. BAUER, Harvard University School of Business Administration

DONALD SHOUP, Social Science Research Council, New York
"Social Indicators: Some Possible Futures"

Peter J. Henriot, Seattle University and Joint Center for Urban Studies, Harvard-MIT

"Social Indicators: Some Practical Politics"

#### **THURSDAY, May 20**

#### 10:45 A.M.-12:15 P.M. Wentworth Room

## IMPACT OF SOCIAL RESEARCH ON POLICY DECISIONS

Chairman: Herbert I. Abelson, Response Analysis
Corporation

JOHN P. ROBINSON, Institute for Social Research, University of Michigan, and Surgeon General's Advisory Committee on Television and Social Behavior

NATHAN CAPLAN, University of Michigan and National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders

SANDRA BALL-ROKEACH, Michigan State University and the National Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence

JOSEPH T. KLAPPER, Columbia Broadcasting System and National Commission on Obscenity and Pornography

#### 12:30-2:00 P.M. Viennese Room

#### LUNCHEON ROUNDTABLES

Chairman: WILLIAM L. NICHOLLS II, Survey Research Center, University of California and President of PAAPOR

GENE N. LEVINE, Department of Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles

"Research on Ethnic and Racial Groups: Problems, Policies, and Plans"

KAREN PAIGE, Department of Psychology, University of California at Davis

"The Changing Role of Women in Society: Research in Progress and Prospect"

THOMAS S. ROBERTSON, Harvard University School of Business Administration

"Adolescent Consumer Socialization: The Effects of Mass Media"

JOSEPH ZELAN, Survey Research Center, University of California at Berkeley

"Equality and Authority in Higher Education: The Study of Student Power and Participation"

#### THURSDAY, May 20

#### 2:15-3:45 P.M. San Marino Room

#### CONSUMERISM: DIRECTIONS AND ISSUES

Chairman: ROBERT LAVIDGE, Elrick and Lavidge, Inc.

RAYMOND A. BAUER, Harvard University School of Business Administration

"Perspectives on Consumerism"

JOHN S. COULSON, Leo Burnett Company, Inc.

"A Response to Consumerists"

#### 2:15-3:45 P.M. Wentworth Room

### ESTABLISHMENT ELITES IN A TIME OF CHANGE

Chairman: ROBERT E. LEE, IBM Corporation

VICTOR BEARDSLEY, American Telephone and Telegraph
"Community Leadership Groups"

RUTH CLARK, Daniel Yankelovich, Inc.
"Top Corporate Leadership"

#### THURSDAY, May 20

#### 4:00-5:30 P.M. San Marino Room

## TRANSITIONS IN THE YOUTH CULTURE: A SPECULATIVE FRAMEWORK

Chairman: Luiz Simmons, White House Conference on Youth

"The Real Generation Gap: Speculations on the Meaning and Implications of Youth Activism"

NATHAN HARE, Publisher, The Black Scholar
"The Future of Black Youth"

BARBETTE BLACKINGTON, American University
"Transition in Public Attitudes Regarding Young Women"

DAVID GOTTLIEB, Pennsylvania State University
"Vista, Pepsi and Poverty"

#### 4:00-5:30 P.M. Wentworth Room

#### PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH IN A SOCIETY OF CHANGE AND CRISIS: A METHODOLOGICAL REVIEW

Chairman: HOPE KLAPPER, New York University

FRED GOLDNER, Queens College, City University of New York

"Public Opinion and Survey Research: A Poor Mix"

ERIC MARDER, Eric Marder Associates
"The Five Stages of Survey Research"

#### 6:00 P.M. Viennese Room

#### DINNER

#### 8:00-10:00 P.M. Georgian Room

#### MOBILIZING PUBLIC OPINION

Chairman: DANIEL YANKELOVICH, Daniel Yankelovich, Inc.

LOWELL BECK, Vice President, Common Cause

WILLIAM RUDER, Ruder & Finn

#### FRIDAY, May 21

7:30-8:30 A.M. Viennese Room

#### **BUFFET BREAKFAST**

9:00-10:30 A.M. Wentworth Room

#### THE SILENT MAJORITY AND SOCIAL ISSUES

Chairman: Mervin D. Field, The California Poll "Noisy Pluralism vs. The Silent Majority"

WILLIAM BICKER, Institute of Governmental Studies, University of California at Berkeley "Welfare: The Issue in Transition"

ROBERT LEVINE, Rand Corporation, Santa Monica
"The Silent Majority: Some Logical Contradictions"

Discussant: Anthony Day, Director of Editorial Pages,
Los Angeles Times

9:00-10:30 A.M. Georgian Room

#### PUBLIC OPINION RESEARCH AND THE MEDIA

Chairman: Herbert E. Krugman, General Electric Company

"The Television Generation and the New Research Needs"

SCOTT WARD, Marketing Science Institute and Harvard University School of Business Administration

"Studies of Effects of Television Advertising on Children and Adolescents"

10:45 A.M.-12:15 P.M. Wentworth Room

### PRE-ELECTION SURVEYS: HINDSIGHT AND OUTLOOK

Chairman: SIDNEY HOLLANDER, JR., Sidney Hollander Associates

"Implications of the 1970 British Fiasco"

PAUL K. PERRY, The Gallup Organization "The Turnout Problem"

CHARLES M. KINSOLVING, Jr., Bureau of Advertising A.N.P.A.

"Political Polling in a Primary: Sampling Attrition and Turnout Prediction"

LAWRENCE BOWEN, School of Journalism and Mass Communications, University of Wisconsin "How Voters React to Electronic Political Advertising"

#### FRIDAY, May 21

10:45 A.M.-12:15 P.M. Georgian Room

## HOW CAN THE PUBLIC OPINION PROFESSION AND COMMON CAUSE WORK TOGETHER

Chairman: Barbara Lee, Social Research Division, Columbia Broadcasting System

12:30-2:00 P.M. Viennese Room

#### **BUFFET LUNCH ROUNDTABLES**

Chairman: WILLIAM L. NICHOLLS II, Survey Research Center, University of California and President of PAAPOR

LEO CRESPI, United States Information Agency
"Public Opinion and the Population Crisis"

HELEN CROSSLEY, Research Consultant
"Honesty with Respondents and Interviewers"

WILLIAM J. PAISLEY, Communications Research Institute, Stanford University

"Non-Experiment Causal Inference"

Francesco Nicosia, University of California at Berkeley "Buying Decision Processes by Consumers and Organizations"

FRIDAY, May 21 2:15-3:45 P.M. Wentworth Room

#### THE DRUG SCENE: CURRENT RESEARCH

Chairman: DONALD KANTER, Department of Marketing, University of Southern California

JOSEPH SMITH, Oxtoby-Smith, Inc.

Additional speakers to be announced.

2:15-3:45 P.M. San Marino Room

## NEW DIRECTIONS FOR SURVEY RESEARCH METHODS

Chairman: RONALD GATTY, Baruch College, City University of New York

WILLIAM A. BELSON, Survey Research Centre, London School of Economics and Political Science "New Perspectives on Traditional Research Methods"

R. RICHARD RITTI, Pennsylvania Field Research Laboratory, The Pennsylvania State University

"Drawing Actionable Inference from Survey Data"

#### FRIDAY, May 21

4:00-6:00 P.M. Wentworth Room

#### PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS—BUSINESS MEETING

RICHARD H. BAXTER, St. Regis Paper Company. President, American Association for Public Opinion Research "A New Goal for AAPOR"

6:30-7:30 P.M. Pool Area

**COCKTAIL PARTY (DUTCH TREAT)** 

7:30 P.M. Viennese Room

**BANQUET** 

SATURDAY, May 22

7:30-8:30 A.M. Viennese Room

**BUFFET BREAKFAST** 

9:30-11:00 A.M. Wentworth Room

#### CHANGING IDEALS, VALUES AND BELIEFS

Chairman: Emmanuel Demby, M.P.I. "The Shock of Future Shock"

STEPHEN PITTEL, Haight-Ashbury Research Project
"The Shock is Now"

ALVIN TOFFER, author, "Future Shock"

(Taped Interview)

9:30-11:00 A.M. San Marino Room

#### STUDENT AWARD PAPERS

Chairman: HAROLD H. KASSARJIAN, University of California

at Los Angeles

Judges: N. ROBERT HEYER, Field Research Corporation

WILLIAM J. PAISLEY, Stanford University

THOMAS S. ROBERTSON, Harvard University

Papers To Be Announced

#### SATURDAY, May 22

#### 11:00 A.M.-12:45 P.M. Wentworth Room

## SOCIAL RESEARCH TECHNIQUES IN DEFINING HEALTH PROBLEMS

Chairman: RAYMOND FINK, Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York

RAYMOND FINK, SAM SHAPIRO and CONRAD ROSENBERG, Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York

"Social Research Technique in the Study of Poverty and Non-poverty Groups in Multiphasic Health Testing"

GERALD SPARER and LOUISE OKADA, Office of Economic Opportunity

"Health Functioning Differentials in Eight Poverty Neighborhoods"

JORGE SEGOVIA and JACK ELINSON, Columbia University School of Public Health and Administrative Medicine "What Physicians Think About Physicians in Argentina"

1:00 P.M. Garden Room

#### PACIFIC CHAPTER BUSINESS MEETING LUNCHEON

WILLIAM L. NICHOLLS II, President of PAAPOR

1:00 P.M. Crystal Terrace

**LUNCHEON FOR NON-PAAPOR MEMBERS** 



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