Cheiron XXVII

International Society for History of the Behavioral and Social Sciences June 22-25, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine

Program Chair: Deborah Johnson, University of Southern Maine

Thursday, June 22nd

1:00 - 6:00 . Registration (Coles Tower Desk)

5:30 - 5:45

Welcome: Al Fuchs (Conference Host); Deborah Johnson (Program Chair), Ray Fancher (Cheiron Executive Officer)

5:45 - 6:45 Dinner

7:00 - 9:30

Dessert Reception (Daggett Lounge)

An informal discussion on teaching the history of the social sciences is scheduled. Please bring course materials (syllabi, exercises, projects) to share.

Friday, June 23rd

7:00 - 8:00 Breakfast

8:00 - 10:00

Paper Session I. Rediscovering Buried Traditions: National and International Perspectives Chair: Kathy Milar (Earlham College)

Ian Lubek (University of Guelph) and Erika Apfelbaum (IRESCO, Paris), "Will the Real Gordon Allport Please Stand Up? One Author's Changing Histories of Social Psychology."
 Sam Elworthy (Rutgers University), "Tramps: Narratives of Research and the Popularization of Social Science in the Late-Nineteenth Century."

Josef Brozek (Lehigh University) and Jiri Hoskovec (Charles University, Prague), "Czech Psychology in International Context: Three Samples from the 1860's - 1930's."

Pieter Van Strien (University of Groningen), "The American Colonization of European Social Psychology after the Second World War" (invited paper)

10:00 - 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 - 12:30

Paper Session II. Marketing Psychology: 1899 - 1940

Chair: Katalin Dzinas (York University)

Wade Pickren (University of Florida, Gainesville), "Fellow Laborers: Cultivating the Borderlands of Psychology and Psychiatry, 1899 - 1910."

Andrew Winston (University of Guelph), "'As his name indicates': R.S. Woodworth's Letters of Reference and Employment for Jewish Psychologists in the 1930's."

Stephen Petrina (North Carolina State University), "A Rudimentary Sketch of the Educational Market for Psychological Products ca. 1920s."

12:30 - 1:15 Lunch

1:30 - 3:00

Invited Address:

Michael Sokal (Worcester Polytechnic Institute/National Endowment for the Humanities)
"Cattell, Baldwin and the <u>Psychological Review</u>: A Collaboration and Its Discontents."
Chair: Robert C. Davis (Case Western University)

3:00 - 3:30 Coffee Break

3:30 - 4:30

Paper Session III. Theoretical Issues: Cause and Context

Chair: Andrew Winston (University of Guelph)

Christopher Green (York University), "Explaining Cause or Causing Explanations: A Problem for Minds"

Edward Morris (University of Kansas), "B.F. Skinner, Third Variables and the Problem of the Province of Knowledge"

4:30 - 5:30 POSTER SESSION - Posters will remain up through Sunday morning to enable further discussion.

Frederick Rowe, Richard Barnes & Rebecca LaFleur (Randolph-Macon Women's College), "Rediscovering the Wheels of the Brass Instruments in a 19th Century Laboratory."

Nancy Eaton (Trent University), "Beyond Compensatory and Contribution History: Responses to Sexism in Psychology."

David Devonis (Teikyo Marycrest University), "Academic Psychology and Alternative Images of the Academic: A Comparison with Academic Architecture."

Enrique Lafuente (UNED, Madrid), Helio Carpintero (U.C. de Madrid) and Alejandra Ferrandiz (UNED, Madrid), "Cajal and the Medical Tradition in Spanish Psychology."

Debra Fredericks (University of Nevada), "Historiography and J.R. Kantor's The Scientific Evolution of Psychology."

Gary Hughes (St. Thomas University), "Ten Good Reasons to Read the Work of B. F. Skinner" Lorenz Finison (Tufts University School of Medicine), "Worker Participation, Work Simplification and Scientific Management."

Paul Mountjoy (Western Michigan Univ.) & Donna Cone (N.E. Gerontology Academy), "The Functional Nature of the Philosophical Categories: J. Robert Kantor's Doctoral Dissertation." Marianne Teuber (Council for the Arts at M.I.T.), "Gestalt Psychology at the Eauhaus."

Roger Thomas (University of Georgia), "Pavlov was 'Mugged'."

Kate Wittenstein (Gustavus Adolphus College) & Ben Harris (Univ. Wisconsin, Parkside), "From Heterodoxy to Hardpan Farm: A Biographical Sketch of Beatrice Hinkle (1874-1953)"

5:45 - 6:45 Dinner

7:15 - 9:15

Symposium. Alfred Kinsey: Bowdoin Class of 1916

Symposium Organizer: Henry Minton (University of Windsor)

Paul Mountjoy (Western Michigan University), "Memories of Alfred Kinsey"

Stephanie Kenen (University of California, Berkeley) "The Current Hysteria over Sex Offenders': Alfred Kinsey and the Study of Child Molestation."

David Allyn (Harvard University), "Kinsey and Sexual Positivism: Social Science and the Rise of the 'New Morality'."

Henry Minton (University of Windsor), "Kinsey and Homosexuality: Toward Emancipatory Science."

Discussant: Ellen Herman (Harvard University).

After the Symposium:

Conversation in Hospitality Suite (Coles Tower, 16th floor)

Saturday, June 24th

7:00 - 8:00 Breakfast

8:00 - 10:00

Symposium. Social Science Theory Meets Social Science Practice: Juvenile Delinquency, 1918-1950

Symposium Organizer: Hans Pols (University of Pennsylvania)

Kathleen Jones (Virginia Polytechnic Institute), "What is a Boy?: Sex Difference Research in the Child Sciences 1920-1945."

Nadine Weidman (Massachusetts Institute of Technology), "Tensions at the Behavior Research Fund."

Pamela Cox (University of Cambridge), "Questioning the Psychological Complex: Juvenile Justice and Gender in England and Wales, 1900-1950."

Hans Pols (University of Pennsylvania), "Gender, Practice and Resistance."

10:00 - 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 - 12:30

Paper Session IV. Is Science Enough?: Psychology in the 50's and 60's

Chair: Jill Morawski (Wesleyan University)

John Jackson (University of Minnesota), "Science is Not Enough: Bruno Bettelheim and Kenneth B. Clark on Racial Prejudice."

Gary Belkin (Rhode Island Hospital), "Clinical Constraints on Ethical Discourse: Russia on the Minds of American Psychiatrists in the Post-Stalin Cold War."

Donald Dewsbury (University of Florida, Gainesville), "The Psychonomic Society: A Society in the Image of Its Founders."

Eugene Taylor (Harvard Medical School, Dept. of Psychiatry), "What is man, Psychologist, that thou art so unmindful of him?": A Note on the Historical Relation between Classical Personality Theory and Humanistic Psychology."

12:30 - 1:15 Lunch

1:30 - 3:00

Cheiron Author's Address:

Ellen Herman (Harvard University) will be speaking on her recently published book

The Romance of American Psychology: Political Culture in the Age of Experts, 1940-1970.

(University of California Press, 1995)

Chair: Henry Minton

Discussants: John Burnham (Ohio State University)

Deborah Coon (University of New Hampshire)

3:00 - 3:30 Coffee Break

3:15 - 4:45 Cheiron Annual Business Meeting (Daggett Lounge)

Downeast Lobster Bake

After Dinner:

Conversation in Hospitality Suite (Coles Tower, 16th floor)

Film night (Kresge Auditorium):

Filmmakers' Portrayals of Psychology in the 1920's

Commentator: Adrian Brock

"Secrets of a Soul" Berlin (1926), directed by G. W. Pabst.

The earliest portrait of psychoanalysis on film. Karl Abraham and Hans Sachs provided technical advice during the making of this film. "Mechanics of the Brain" Soviet Union (1926), directed by V.I. Pudovkin.

Soviet documentary about the work of Pavlov.

Sunday, June 25th

8:30 - 9:00 Coffee Break

9:00 - 10:30

Paper Session V. Intelligence and its Variants

Chair: Leila Zenderland (California State University - Fullerton)

A.D. Lovie (University of Liverpool) &, P. Lovie (University of Keele), "Spearman and Wilson on Indeterminacy in Factor Analysis: Part I: First Encounter"

Stephen Gelb (University of San Diego), "A Brief History of Ethnological Idiocy."

Franz Samelson (Kansas State University), "Updating the Burt Affair."

10:30 - 12:30 Brunch

11:15 - 12:15 Paper Session VI. The Gendering of Hysteria

Chair: Laurel Furumoto (Wellesley College)

Estelle Cohen (University of Minnesota), "Hysteria Engendered and Regendered, 1660-1860." Daniela Barberis (University of Chicago), "Charcot and the Feminization of Male Hysterics."

12:30 - 1:30

Paper Session VII. Nineteenth Century German Psychology

Chair: Rand Evans (East Carolina University)

Edward Haupt (Montclair State University), "G. E. Mueller's Zur Grundlegung der

Psychophysik: A Forgotten Classic of Psychophysics"

William Woodward (University of New Hampshire), "Lotze's Cosmopolitan Ethics."