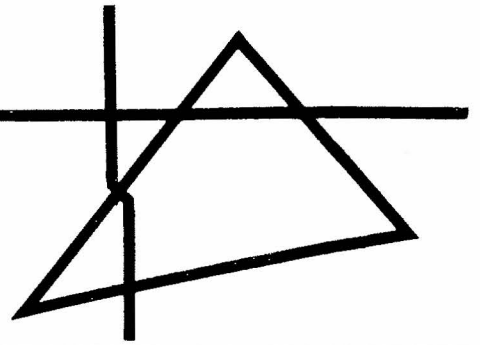


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PIP OCCASIONAL SEMINAR
SOCIAL & CULTURAL CHANGE IN TONGA
November 6

Ms. DEACON RITTERBUSCH spent the summer months conducting research in Tonga. She will discuss contemporary social and cultural change in a Tonga village with emphasis on extended family life. The talk will be accompanied by slides. The meeting is at noon; brown bag it if you desire.

Time: Noon, Thursday
November 6

Place: SSRI Conference Room
Porteus 704F

PIP OCCASIONAL SEMINAR
PLANNING FOR NORTHERN MARIANAS
& FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA
November 20

Dr. JAMES DATOR, Department of Political Science, has been consulting with the governments of the Northern Marianas and the Federated States of Micronesia. His work on the Marianas includes an overall perspective on the future of the Commonwealth and the possible development of a community college or some other form of tertiary educational delivery system. Dator's work with the FSM is an exploration of how its judiciary system might develop with special consideration being given to non-Western alternatives. Dator will discuss both projects. The meeting is at noon; again, brown bag it if you like.

Time: Noon, Thursday
November 20

Place: SSRI Conference Room
Porteus 704F

DR. SALATO
CHANGE OF OFFICE & PHONE

The last newsletter reported that Dr. Macu Salato, former Secretary-General, South Pacific Commission, and current Scholar-in-Residence, Pacific Islands Studies Program and Social Science Research Institute is available to faculty and students Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays between 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Dr. Salato's office in Porteus has been changed to 704E. His phone number in the new office is 948-8817.

As before, Dr. Salato is working in Burns Hall 4025, East-West Center on Thursdays and Fridays. Phones 948-6718 and 948-6720.

GRADUATION & EXAM DEADLINES
FALL SEMESTER 1980

For all M.A. degree candidates who plan to complete their requirements during fall 1980, diploma applications were to be submitted to the Treasury Office, Bachman 110, by September 15, 1980. Other deadlines:

Plan A (Thesis): Deadline for final examination, November 17, 1980
Deadline for deposit of thesis, November 24, 1980

Plan B (Nonthesis): Deadline for final examination, December 1, 1980

PACIFIC ISLANDS STUDIES'
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION GRANT RENEWED

Pacific Islands Studies' NDEA Title VI grant for International Studies Centers has been renewed for the 1980-81 academic year in the amount

of \$96,000. As in the past, the grant provides funds for our outreach program (to high schools, other UH campuses, and private colleges), instruction in Samoan and Tahitian, support of the Pacific Collection, Hamilton Library, and several other program efforts.

PACIFIC ISLANDS STUDIES
ANNUAL CONFERENCE
April 3 & 4, 1981

In previous years, the annual Pacific Islands Studies Conference has been cosponsored with the Pacific & Asian Affairs Council (PAAC). Next spring, HAWAIIAN STUDIES will be celebrating its first anniversary, and in recognition of this event, the conference will be cosponsored by Hawaiian Studies, PAAC, and PIP. The conference will have the theme HAWAII IN THE CONTEMPORARY PACIFIC. An opening dinner with guest speaker will be held on Friday evening, April 3, 1981. Conference papers and panel discussions are scheduled for the following day, Saturday, April 4, 1981. Additional details will appear in subsequent newsletters.

SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION
AND UH FACULTY

The University of Hawaii's cooperative relationship with the South Pacific Commission as described in previous newsletters continues. In September, Dr. PETER GARROD travelled to Ponape to assist in the SPC's Sub-Regional Training Course on Agricultural Statistics. In late November, Dr. JACK ISHIDA will assist the SPC's Territorial Training Course on Vegetable Production and Marketing which will be held on Guam. Drs. Garrod and Ishida are with the UH's College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Development.

PACIFIC RESEARCH UNIT
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT SANTA CRUZ

As most of our readers know, the Center for South Pacific Studies, University of California, Santa Cruz, was closed last year. Pacific interests at Santa Cruz, however, remain alive, and a PACIFIC RESEARCH UNIT has been established. It is headed by former Center director, Dr. BRYAN H. FARRELL. Santa Cruz remains part of the PEACESAT network, and documents from the Center are now housed with the Research Unit. Farrell's longstanding interest and research on tourism and development also continue. The Research Unit is associated with the Board of Environmental Studies (At Santa Cruz, Boards are similar to academic departments.) In addition to Farrell, specialists in conservation, appropriate technology, and agroecology comprise the Pacific Research Center.

AUSTRALIAN PUBLICATIONS ON THE PACIFIC

As reported in an earlier newsletter, CONSUL-GENERAL BRAIN J. MEADE, Consulate-General of Australia, 100 Bishop Street, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813, routinely sends PIP the publication BACKGROUNDER: it is a weekly publication, Department of Foreign Affairs, Australian Government Publishing Service and contains numerous news items on the Pacific region. Beginning last summer, Consul-General Meade has also provided us with copies of the monthly AUSTRALIA-SOUTH PACIFIC NEWSLETTER prepared by the Australia Information Service, Suva, Fiji. As its title indicates, it is solely focused on the Pacific region and carries many news items not available in the local media. Consul-General Meade has also provided a catalogue of films from Australia which include listings on Australian Aborigines and Papua New Guinea. All of the above are kept on file in the PIP office and are available for use there.

UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH PACIFIC RECENT PUBLICATIONS

The following has been received from Dr. RON G. CROCROMBE, Director, Institute of Pacific Studies, The University of the South Pacific, P.O. Box 1168, Suva, Fiji. Cited publication costs are in Fijian dollars. Recently published are:

VANUATU (291 pages, copyright 1980)

The Institute of Pacific Studies was asked by Father Walter Lini, Prime Minister of Vanuatu, to facilitate planning and publication of an up-to-date book on the country by Ni-Vanuatu (people of Vanuatu) for launching at independence. This book outlines the main features of Vanuatu history, economy, society and culture. It is written by 21 Ni-Vanuatu and is in three translations (Bislama, French and English) in one volume.

This book has been facilitated with the generous contribution of the University of the South Pacific, the South Pacific Social Sciences Association, the South Pacific Creative Arts Society and the Pacific Energy and Minerals Ltd. of Colorado.

Copies of this book may be purchased from the Institute of Pacific Studies or from bookshops for \$7.50 (hardcover) and \$4.50 (softcover).

"Art in the New Pacific" (130 pages, copyright 1980)

This book, by Mr. Vilsoni Tausie of Rotuma, was published by the Institute of Pacific Studies in collaboration with the South Pacific Commission. We had promised the Commission that the book would be ready before the South Pacific Festival of Arts but unfortunately, due to printing delays which we were unable to overcome, it was not available in time for the Festival.

Owing to assistance from the South Pacific Commission, copies can be supplied for F\$2.00 which is a very modest price for a book of 130 pages including 30 pages of black and white photographs 8 pages of colour photographs. (A 30% discount is provided for orders of 20).

Politics in Kiribati (68 pages, copyright 1980)

This book, with chapters by President Ieremia Tabai and other leading political figures in Kiribati, as well as non-political writers, is the third in a series. The first, New Hebrides: the Road to Independence sold out very quickly and was reprinted and sold out again. Father Walter Lini, Chief Minister of New Hebrides, asked us to reprint again, which we will do as soon as there is time to bring it up to date with recent events. The second, Cook Islands Politics, also meet with a very encouraging response, and is already in use as a University text in four countries. Politics in Kiribati is the third in the series. The fourth, Niue: Politics in the World's Smallest Micro-state is mostly written, and the final chapters are expected shortly. The Politics of Solomon Islands is about halfway through. Politics in the Pacific Islands a general book with chapters on each country as well as on Pacific-wide topics, is nearly complete and should be in the press within the next couple of months.

Copies of Politics in Kiribati, which was published by IPS in association with the USP Kiribati Extension Centre, can be purchased from this office or from bookshops for F\$3.00 for the paperback or F\$5.00 for the hardcover edition. (30% discount for orders over 20).

Pilioko: Artist of the Pacific

This is being published by the Institute of Pacific Studies in association with the South Pacific Creative Arts Society and the South Pacific Social Sciences Association. Aloii Pilioko is Uvea (Wallis) Islander but now lives permanently in the New Hebrides where he works in association with another distinguished artist, Nicholai Michoutouchkine. Pilioko and Michoutouchkine collaborated in this small book on Pilioko's life and work. Pilioko has been honoured with awards for his work in many countries and has held exhibitions throughout Europe, USSR, Australia and many other nations. Pilioko was the USP's first Artist in Residence in 1972 and was awarded one of the University's Tenth Anniversary gold medals for his constitution to Pacific art. This book is delayed and will be available soon.

Copies of this book may be purchased from this address or from bookshops at F\$3.00 per copy.

King Taufa'ahau Tupou IV of Tonga (24 pages, copyright 1979)

This is a brief biography by Mr. Amanaki Taulahi. The book summarizes the main events in the life and reign of King Taufa'ahau Tupou IV.

Copies can be purchased from the Institute or from bookshops for F\$2.00.

Youth: Pacific Challenges (24 pages, copyright 1979)

This is a special issue on Pacific Youth in the World Council of Churches. It contains articles reprinted with permission from Institute of Pacific Studies, South Pacific Social Sciences Association and South Pacific Creative Arts Society publications. In return for assistance with this publications the World Council of Churches has provided us with copies at no charge. If you require additional copies they can be supplied free until out stocks are exhausted.

NEW BOOKS ON U.S., JAPAN, PNG,
AND MICRONESIA

Westview Press (5500 Central Avenue, Boulder, Colorado, 80301) has just published *The UNITED STATES AND JAPAN IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC: MICRONESIA AND PAPUA NEW GUINEA*, edited by GRANT K. GOODMAN, Professor of History, and FELIX MOOS, Professor of Anthropology, both of the University of Kansas. The publisher's announcement describes the book as follows:

The interrelationships of the U.S. and Japan with Micronesia, a U.S. dependency, and Papua New Guinea, a newly independent nation, are the focus of this study. The authors demonstrate that dependence does not by any means automatically terminate by virtue of a legal change in political status. To a surprising extent, Micronesia (the last UN trusteeship), as well as independent Papua New Guinea, depend for their very survival on the U.S. or Japan.

The authors point out that the interests of the U.S. and Japan in this region too often--and unnecessarily--operate in isolation from one another and in direct conflict. Cooperative U.S.-Japanese efforts are vital in this area; whatever plans are made for the region, they must be island-specific, culturally congruent, politically sensitive, and economically viable.

CONTENTS: Introduction. A Historical Overview: Micronesia and Papua New Guinea. Micronesia Under American Rule, 1944-1978: Change and Persistence. Papua New Guinea Under Australian Rule and After: The Shock of Independence. Papua New Guinea: Issues and Policies in Economic Development. Japanese Policies in Economic Development. Japanese Policies and Perspectives in Micronesia and Papua New Guinea. Conclusion.

225 pages
ISBN: 0-89158-840-X
A Westview Publication

October 1980
Ca. \$18.50

EWC COMMUNICATION INSTITUTE
PUBLICATION ON TONGA

Ms. RUTH E. RUNEBORG served as a research associate with the EWC Communication Institute during the 1978-79 year. In that capacity, she conducted research on communication systems in certain Pacific countries. The results of one of these efforts was recently published and is available from the Communication Institute. It is entitled *THE KINGDOM OF TONGA: HISTORY, CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION*. It is 66 pages in length and is divided into five sections: Introduction, Geography, History and External Communication, Ethnography, Symbolic Communication, and Modern Communication. Copies may be obtained from Mr. Terry Schulze, Publications Office, East-West Communication Institute, 1777 East-West Road, Honolulu, Hawaii, 96848.

OTHER NEW PUBLICATIONS

The office has received a note indicating that the following is now available but has no further information:

THE STORY OF EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION IN
AMERICAN SAMOA by Wilber Schram,
Lyle Nelson, and Mere Betham.
Stanford University Press (1980)
\$16.50

Also, the following has been received:

Mustapha K. Benouis of the University of Hawaii's Department of European Languages has just completed a book designed to help English speakers having correspondence or business dealings with French Polynesia or other parts of the French-speaking world.

The book, titled Le Francais Economique et Commercial, has just been accepted for publication by Harcourt, Brace and Jovanovich. Unbound copies of the manuscript are now available in the University's bookstore for use by students in Dr. Benouis' class in this subject.

The class, French 309, is being offered for the second time this current fall semester. It will be repeated in the fall of 1981 if sufficient student interest develops.

Both French and English are used in teaching the course, which is geared to the abilities of non-majors who have completed two years of French and acquired basic vocabulary and grammar.

The book offers a capsule course of French economic life, as well as practical information about many everyday transactions.

<u>MONTH/DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>TOPIC</u>
10/16	3:00 p.m.	Elementary Schools
	5:15 p.m.	Math Education
10/17		Open
10/20	4:00 p.m.	Pacific Council of Churches
10/21	5:15 p.m.	Church Women's Group
10/22	10:00 a.m.	Turf Culture
	5:15 p.m.	SPL News
10/23	3:00 p.m.	Natural Family Planning
	5:15 p.m.	Home Economics
10/24		Open
10/27	5:15 p.m.	Broadcasting For Development
10/28	5:15 p.m.	U.S. Pacific Gerontology
10/29	5:15 p.m.	SPC News
	6:00 p.m.	Management
10/30	3:00 p.m.	Elementary Schools
	4:00 p.m.	Theological Education