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ANNOUNCEMENTS

College Art Association--The 1990 annual meeting in New York City will include a session on "Exoticism, Orientalism, Primitivism: Modes of 'Otherness' in Western Art and Architecture from Antiquity to the Present." Those interested should communicate with Frederick N. Bohrer, 1520 Willard Avenue, Apt. 2, Newington, CT 06111.

Durkheim Studies--Robert A. Jones, Department of Sociology, University of Illinois, Urbana IL 61801, announces that henceforth this journal (founded in 1977) will be published by the University of Illinois Press, appearing once a year, in October, starting in 1989--at a cost of \$10 a year for individual subscriptions.

Forum for History of Human Sciences (FHHS)--An organizational meeting was held at the joint meeting of the History of Science Society in Cincinnati, in December 1988 to establish an "Interest Group" to promote scholarship in the history of the human sciences--defined as encompassing anthropology, economics, geography, history, linguistics, political science, psychiatry, psychology, sociology, and statistics, as well as aspects of the biological and physical sciences, medicine, education, law, and philosophy. A seven member Steering Committee was elected, with Jim Capshew, University of Maryland, serving as chair. Planning for the 1989 HSS meetings is now under way. Membership is open to interested individuals at \$10 a year. Checks payable to FHHS should be sent to Laurel Furumoto, Corresponding Secretary FHHS, Department of Psychology, Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA 02181. The first number of the FHHS Newsletter (Summer 1989) includes a short bibliography on the history of economics--the first of a series of orienting bibliographies on the history of the various human sciences.

History of the Human Sciences--The editors of the new journal by that title have cooperated in organizing a conference on "The Nature of the Human Sciences in the 17th and 18th Centuries," to be held September 26-28, 1990 at the University of Lancaster, England. The conference will focus on the problem of conceptualizing the subject of the human sciences in the centuries before the differentiation of the modern human science disciplines. Different sessions will address different claims to redraw the map of knowledge and to reconceive the subject of that knowledge. For further details, contact Roger Smith, Department of History, University of Lancaster, Lancaster LA1 4YG, UK.