

Report of the Secretary for 1999

Annual Meetings. The next annual meeting will be held in New Orleans, LA, January 5–7, 2001. Placement Service will open for business one day earlier than the meetings. The schedule for subsequent meetings is Atlanta (2002), Washington, DC (2003), and San Diego (2004).

Elections. In accordance with the bylaws on election procedures, I hereby certify the results of the recent balloting and report the actions of the Nominating Committee and the Electoral College. The Nominating Committee, consisting of Anne Krueger (Chair), J. Vernon Henderson, Lionel McKenzie, June O'Neill, Frederic Pryor, Mark Rosenzweig, Neil Wallace, and Barbara Wolfe, submitted the nominations for Vice-Presidents and members of the Executive Committee. The Electoral College, consisting of the Nominating Committee and Executive Committee meeting together, selected the nominee for President-elect. No petitions were received nominating additional candidates.

President-elect
Sherwin Rosen

<i>Vice-President</i>	<i>Executive Committee</i>
Ronald W. Jones	William Allen Brock
Thomas J. Sargent	James J. Heckman
T. Paul Schultz	Bernard Saffran
John B. Taylor	Nancy L. Stokey

The Secretary prepared biographical sketches of the candidates and distributed ballots last summer. On the basis of the canvass of ballots, I certify that the following persons have been duly elected to the respective offices:

President-elect (for a term of one year)
Sherwin Rosen

Vice-Presidents (for a term of one year)
Thomas J. Sargent
John B. Taylor

Executive Committee (for a term of three years)
James J. Heckman
Nancy L. Stokey

In addition, I have the following information:

Number of legal ballots	4,407
Number of invalid envelopes	43
Number of envelopes received after October 1	41
Number of envelopes returned	4,491

Membership. The total number of members and subscribers is shown in Table 1.

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Staff. My primary responsibility is to retain our loyal, gracious, and efficient staff. I am indebted to them for helping make my initiation into this job as easy as it has been. They are Norma Ayres, Marlene Hight, Cindy Jones, Dana Ragan, Kim Roberts, Violet Sikes, and Mary Winer.

Committees and Representatives. Listed below are those who served the Association during 1999 as members of committees or representatives. The year in parentheses indicates the final year of the term to which they were appointed. On behalf of the Association, I thank them for all their service.

AEA COMMITTEES 1999

Budget Committee
Elton Hinshaw, Chair
D. Gale Johnson (1999)
Rachel McCulloch (1999)
Laurence J. Kotlikoff (2000)
Dale Jorgenson (2000)
Nancy Rose (2001)

TABLE 1—MEMBERS AND SUBSCRIBERS (END OF YEAR)

Class of Membership	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
Regular	17,878	17,649	18,339	17,808	17,285
Junior	2,640	2,554	2,424	2,122	1,855
Life	301	294	282	275	274
Honorary	38	41	40	41	38
Family	386	194	362	356	328
Complimentary	322	324	273	272	268
Total members	21,565	21,056	21,720	20,874	20,048
Subscribers	5,384	5,219	5,234	5,077	4,838
Total members and subscribers	26,949	26,275	26,954	25,951	24,886

Census Advisory Committee

Roger R. Betancourt (1999)

Frederic M. Scherer (1999)

Lynn E. Browne (2000)

Michael Gort (2000)

Lee Lillard (2000)

Rebecca Maynard (2000)

Robert Willis (2000)

Ernst R. Berndt (2001)

Ariel Pakes (2001)

COSSA-Liaison Committee

Robert Haveman, Chair (1999)

William T. Dickens (2000)

Robert Glenn Hubbard (2000)

Catherine Eckel (2001)

Committee on Economic Education

Michael K. Salemi, Chair (1999)

Charles M. Kahn (1999)

Thomas H. Tietenberg (1999)

John Taylor (1999)

Cecilia Conrad (2000)

Charles A. Holt (2001)

Mark Maier (2001)

Michael P. Murray (2001)

William E. Becker, Jr., ex officio

Committee on Electronic Publishing

Hal Varian, Chair (2002)

Angus S. Deaton (2000)

William L. Goffe (2001)

Robert P. Parks (2002)

John McMillan, ex officio

Drucilla Ekwurzel

Finance Committee

Elton Hinshaw, Chair

Robert Hamada (1999)

John Cochrane (2000)

John Silvia (2001)

Committee on Honors and Awards

Finis Welch, Chair (1999)

Olivier Blanchard (1999)

Avinash Dixit (1999)

Timothy Bresnahan (2001)

Claudia Goldin (2001)

Beth Allen (2003)

Stanley L. Engerman (2003)

Committee on the Status of Minority Groups in the Economics Profession

William Darity, Chair (2001)

Alvin E. Headen, Jr. (1999)

Willene A. Johnson (1999)

Richard Santos (1999)

Phillip Jefferson (2000)

Stephen Trejo (2000)

Warren Whately (2000)

Patrick Mason (2001)

Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession

Robin Bartlett, Chair (1999)

Catherine C. Eckel (1999)

Henry Stuart Farber (1999)

William Zame (1999)

Barbara Fraumeni (2000)

Lisa Lynch (2000)

Helen Popper (2000)

Andrea Beller (2001)

Bronwyn Hall (2001)

Jean Kimmel (2001)

KimMarie McGoldrick (2001)

D. Gale Johnson, ex officio

Joan G. Haworth, Membership Secretary

1999 Nominating Committee

Anne O. Krueger, Chair
 J. Vernon Henderson
 June E. O'Neill
 Frederic L. Pryor

Mark Rosenzweig
 Neil Wallace
 Barbara Wolfe
 Lionel McKenzie

COUNCIL AND OTHER REPRESENTATIVES

American Association for the Advancement of Science, Section K, Social Economics and Political Sciences

Joseph Newhouse (2001)

American Association for the Advancement of Slavic Studies

John P. Hardt (2000)

American Council of Learned Societies

John J. Siegfried
 Charlotte Kuh, Delegate (2002)

Consortium of Social Science Associations (COSSA)

John J. Siegfried
 Robert Haveman, Delegate (1999)

Council of Professional Associations on Federal Statistics (COPAFS)

William Evans (2000)
 Robert McGuckin (2001)

International Economic Association

Gene M. Grossman (2000)

National Bureau of Economic Research

John J. Siegfried (1999)

Social Science Research Council

Michelle J. White (1999)

REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ASSOCIATION ON VARIOUS OCCASIONS IN 1999

Inaugurations

William G. Durden, Dickinson College
 David A. Latzko
 Walter Harrison, University of Hartford
 Angelo A. Messoro

JOHN J. SIEGFRIED, *Secretary*