Short Courses at 2003 Annual Meeting

Here's a quick look at some of the short courses to be offered in Philadelphia on Wednesday, August 27. For full details and registration information please visit APSANet. A complete list of courses will be printed in the July issue of *PS* and online at www.apsanet.org.

Agent-Based Modeling for Political Scientists: Hands-On Training for Non-Programmers
Sponsored by the Comparative Politics Organized section, this course will serve as a training session in the use of the PS-1 agent-based modeling tool kit to produce agent-based or computational models suitable for simulating theoretical problems and key relationships between variables of interest to the participants. [9:00am – 5:00 pm, no fee - limited space]

Teaching British Politics: Substantive Issues
This course, sponsored by the British Politics Group, will present the most current substantive information on important subjects in British politics for instructors that teach courses on the subject as well as those that teach broader courses on comparative European politics. [1:00 – 5:00 pm, no fee]

Preparing Junior Faculty of Color: The Tenure Process and Professional Development
This course is designed to disseminate key information on the tenure process to junior faculty of color to promote their professional development and retention in political science. The course is sponsored by the Race, Ethnicity, and Politics Organized Section. [1:00 – 5:00 pm, no fee]

Strategies for Field Research in Comparative and International Politics
This short course, sponsored by the Committee on Concepts and Methods and the International History and Politics Section, focuses on identifying, anticipating, and resolving some of the logistical problems frequently associated with overseas field research. [TBA, $10 registration fee]

Tools for Comparative Research on Parties—The Study of Political Parties in Western Europe
This course will address practical problems related to research on political parties in Western Europe and will include presentations from each participant followed b y time for questions and answers. [1:00–5:00, no fee]

Political Myth, Rhetoric, and Symbolism
Sponsored by the Foundations of Political Theory Organized Section, this workshop features works in progress. Participants read papers in advance, then meet to talk in detail about how to make improvements. [1:00 – 7:00pm, no fee]

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Your best resource for 2003 APSA Annual Meeting information is APSANet. Log on to find all the necessary meeting details. Including:

- **meeting preregistration** register securely online.
- **hotel reservations.** reserve your room with the online ExpoEdge system.
- **airline reservations.** the Association's official travel agency, ExpoExchange, offers an online reservation system.
- **child care.** sign up for KiddieCorp.
- **PROceedings.** access to Annual Meeting papers for 2003 (beginning in August).
- **dining guide.** Le Bec Fin to Standard Tap. find out where all the dining hot spots are in Philadelphia.

Latino/a Committee Seeks Mentor Nominations

The APSA Committee on the Status of Latinos y Latinas in the Profession recognizes exceptional mentoring of Latino/a students each year with three awards, all honoring Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell, the first Latina to earn a doctorate in political science and a lifelong mentor of Latinos/as.

Nominations are currently being accepted for:

Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell Award for Exemplary Mentoring of Undergraduate Latino/a Students in Political Science

Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell Award for Exemplary Mentoring of Graduate Latino/a Students in Political Science

Adaljiza Sosa-Riddell Award for Exemplary Mentoring of Latino/a Junior Faculty in Political Science

A brief application is available via the APSA web site <www.apsanet.org/new/sosariddellform.pdf>. Please complete the application and send it to the address below.

Deadline: June 9, 2003

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