This is the first issue of Newsletter for 1973, an extremely important year for Italy in the field of future studies, in fact in September 1973 there will actually be a Conference in Rome on this subject.

The idea of the Conference has helped to give us an even greater sense of responsibility which is reflected in the Newsletter.

Once again we hope that we have offered our readers up to date indications which will help people interested in future studies to concentrate even more on the future of man.

We are extremely grateful for the help given to us by both friends and readers in the preparation of this issue and we should like to remind you that many of the items have been enlarged and clarified with respect to Social Forecasting 1972.

The actual information follows the same layout and criteria as in Social Forecasting A-2 (i.e. publications for authors only, 1970, 1971, 1972)

We are hoping to be able to continue to count on our readers' help to the future.

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aims, intentions, activities of groups

BATTELLE – Institut, Frankfurt
(please add to page 310 of Social Forecasting 1972)
Some studies Examination of the methodological possibilities of quantitative and qualitative prognosis of the labour market in the federal Republic of Germany Analysis and prognosis of the developments of the labour market in the Lander of the Rhineland Palatinate and the Star
The Battelle Institutes are very strong in technological forecasting
Publications of the German Battelle Institute "Battelle Information"

(Further information: Battelle Institut, D 6 Frankfurt/M, 90 Wiesbadenerstrasse, Postfach 90060, Germany)

ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONALE – EUROPE 2000
announced that a general assembly was held on the 28th of October
The aim of this general meeting was to define the objectives of the Association During this 2nd general meeting a week-end of studies on the theme Problems posed by the impact of the informatique on the development of our societies, was held
This week end held at Sarcelles from the 28th to the 29th of October was animated by Professor A Kaufmann

(Further information: Association Internationale 'Europe 2000', 1040 Bruxelles, 44 Rue Charles Legrelle, Belgium)

DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FUR AUSWARTIGE POLITIK E V
(German Society for Foreign Affairs)
President Gunter Henle
Executive Vice-President Gebhardt von Walther
Acting Director  Wolfgang Wagner
In accordance with its statute, the aim of the Society is to discuss the problems of international, especially European, politics and economics, to promote research on these problems, and to stimulate and extend understanding of international facts and problems by means of lectures, study groups, and publications.
It is hoped for co-operation among scholars and international understanding will thereby be furthered. The Society is an independent and non-partisan institution which does not give opinions of its own on political questions.
The study groups for international security (Chairman Helmut Schmidt, MdB) and for German relations with the Soviet Union and other countries of the East (Chairman Kurt Birrenbach, MdB) are presently carrying out research on European security and policy problems in the seventies.
Research activities and studies  Prognosis for Europe  the Seventies between East and West
Publications  Europa Archiv—fortnightly

(Further information  Deutsche Gesellschaft fur Auswartige Politik E.V., Konrad Adenauer Allee 133, 53 Bonn, Germany)

FOUNDATION CLAUDE—NICOLAS LEDOUX D’ARC—ET—SENANS
please add to page 53 of Social Forecasting 1972
President  Serge Antoine
Vice-Presidents  Jean Chenevrier and Jean Louis Quermonne
General Secretary  Jean-Francois Thery
Treasurer  Antoine Loichot

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF APPLIED SYSTEMS ANALYSIS
was established near Vienna to study the problems of modern civilization
Founded by twelve scientific institutions including the Royal Society, the National Academy of Science, the Soviet Academy of Sciences
Non-governmental it will carry out research in new methods of systems analysis, operational research, management techniques and cybernetics with a
view to applying them to the problems that confront society
First director Dr Howard Raiffa of Harvard University
First chairman of the council’s institute Dr Jerman Gvishiani of the
Soviet Academy of Sciences
A permanent staff of between 50 and 100 is to be stationed in Austria
The Institute will consider projects falling within four chief categories
— environmental systems, health and care systems, municipal services sys-
tems and large engineering design systems
The Twelve founder institutions of the IIASA are the Soviet Academy
of Sciences, the Committee for the International Institute of Applied Sys-
tems Analysis (Canada), the Committee for IIASA of Czechoslovakia, the
French Association for the Development of Systems Analysis, the German
Academy of Sciences (GDR), the Japan Committee for the IIASA, the
Max Planck Society for the Advancement of Sciences (West Germany),
the National Centre for Cybernetics and Computer Techniques (Bulgaria),
the US National Academy of Sciences, the National Research Council of
Italy, the Polish Academy of Sciences and the Royal Society of London
It is expected to start work in 1973 at the Place of Laxenburg near
Vienna

(Further information IIASA, 12 Traungasse, Vienna, Austria)

THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT — ISTA
add to page 282 of Social Forecasting 1972
Founded in USA
Publication ‘Technology Assessment’ (quarterly)
This society organizes some meetings biennially, the first will be held in
Aja in March 1973

SCIENCE FICTION FOUNDATION
Founded in 1972, Dagenham, Essex
Operated within North East London Polytechnic
Aims to publicize science fiction and to act as an information centre,
to investigate the usefulness of science fiction in education
It carries out activities of research, information and documentation
President G S Brosan
Patron Arthur C Clarke
Board of Management John Brunner, Kenneth Bulmer, Christopher Priest,
Charles Barren, James Blish
Executive Vice-President George Hay

(Further information Barking Precinct Longbridge Road Dagenham Essex, RM
2 36, Great Britain)

ZENTRALE INSTITUT FUR SOZIALWISSENSCHAFTLICHE FORSCHUNG
Formerly Institut fur Politische Wissenschaft an der Freien Universität, Berlin
Central Institute for Social Science Forecasting, formerly Institute for
Political Science at the Free University of Berlin
Operates in Freie Universität Berlin
Founded in 1970, Berlin, University funds
Aims study of social sciences general education, economics, political
science, history
Activities research, documentation, research promotion and coordination,
library, data bank
Publications Informationen (periodical), Monographs, books (non periodical)
President Nils Diederich

(Further information Freie Universität Berlin, Babelsberger Strasse, 14-16, 1 Berlin
31 Germany)
ROY C AMARA
please change or add to page 376 of Social Forecasting 1972)
President of Institute for the Future, Menlo Park, California
Author of a Note on Cross-Impact Analysis a Calculus for Sequences,
Dependent Events, in Futures, volume IV, 3 September 1972, page 266
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Doctor of Technology, master of science and political science
Previously Teacher at technological University, Television journalist, planner
of University television, long-term planning and research for departments
of housing, education and defence
Present activities construction of back-ground scenarios and long term
volontaristic forecasts for small countries Special interests resources, technology,
science, political and religious values, sociology, mass media, research a Belgian project involving both futures of a political, economical
and social kind, as well as values and options for a democratically created
future
Author of Framtiden-hot Eller Lofte, Bonniers (Future, promise or threat)
with Sam Nilsson, and Framtidsmiljo for Utbildning (Future environment
for education) published by a government press agency, to be published
a collection of essays on political and economical issues, and a novel on
revolutionary futures in the mediterranean area (both in Swedish)

(Further information Eskil Block, Office belge pour l'accroissement de la productivi-
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1940
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Author of articles on cybernetics, evolution and time (The Teilhard Review, vol V, I) and of the book ‘The Origins of Life’ which will be published in English translation early in 1973

ANTHONY O DYSON
Member of the Board of the Faculty of Theology at Oxford University, Chairman of the Oxford Diocesan Youth Committee, member of the Higher Education Committee of the C and E Board of Education, and Co-Director of the Urban Ministry Project He has recently been elected the first Hensley Henson Lecturer in Oxford University for 1972-1973
Presently Editor of the Teilhard Review from 1966-1972
Presently Chairman of the Teilhard Centre for the Future of Man (since June 1972)

JOHN A EVANS
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Author of Laka Eril Towards a Macro-System Perspective for Decision-Making (in Futures, Volume IV, 3 September 1972, page 156-266)
(Further information John A. Evans, MITRE Corporation, Belford, Massachusetts, USA)
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please add to page 466 of Social Forecasting 1972
Several papers, especially on the problems of priorities for research and development and for science policy
Organiser of the ORAKEL-Feed-Back Systems in German Radio- and TV- Stations

THOMAS ADEOYE LAMBO
please add to page 504 of Social Forecasting 1972
Assistant Director General of the World Health Organization since 1971
Born in Nigeria
Professor of Psychiatry and Neurology
Previously Vice Chancellor of the University of Ibadan, Vice Chairman of the United Nations Advisory Committee on the Application of Science and Technology to Development, Chairman of the United Nations Advisory Committee on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders, Chairman of the Scientific Council for Africa, Member of the Executive Board of the World Federation for Mental Health, President of the International College of Tropical Medicine, Member of the New York Academy of Sciences

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In addition

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(Further information Dennis Little Income Maintenance, Department of Public Welfare, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, USA)
JOSEPH P MARTINO
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please add to page 468 of Social Forecasting 1972
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please add to page 468 of Social Forecasting 1972
Director of the Department “Coordination of Environmental Affairs” of the Federal Ministry of the Interior, Bonn, President of the Continuing Committee of the World Future Research Conference
Author of several papers and articles


MALITA MIRCEA
1927
Professor of Philosophy, lecturer on Mathematical Models for Social Sciences, Counsellor of the President of the State Council
Previously Director of the library of the Academy, counsellor of the U N Permanent Mission, New York, Director of Cultural Relations, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs, Minister of Education
Cooperates to the Academy of Social and Political Sciences, Member, The Union of Writers, member, The Union of Journalists
Author of Mathematical Models in the Educational System (co-author, 1972), Futures Research and Learning Theories (1972)

(Further information Malita Mircea, Department of the University of Bucharest str Academiei, 14, Bucharest, Romania)

JOHN PLATT
please add to page 510 of Social Forecasting 1972
Research Biophysicist and Associate Director the Mental Health Research Institute at the University of Michigan
Previously Professor of Physics and Biophysics at the University of Chicago. U S Public Health Service Career Award
Author of On Social Transformation, 1972

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GEORGE PICH T
please add to page 469 of Social Forecasting 1972
Author of (among others) Mut zur Utopie Die grossen Zukunftsaufgaben (Courage for Utopies The Great Future Tasks), Munchen Piper, '69, page 154, Wissenschaft, Technologie und Humanitat (Science, Technology and Humanity), in Heimendahl (ed.) Zukunft im Kreuzverhor, Gutersloh Bertelsmann, 1970

RUDIGER PROSKE
please add to page 469 of Social Forecasting 1972
Journalist especially concerned with futures research Several TV Films and series on futures research
Author of (among others) Modelle und Elemente kunftiger Gesellschaften (Models and Elements of Future Societies) Co-author Klamroth/ Thoemen, Reinbek Rowohlt, 1971, page 118

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Specialist in international relations and peace and conflict research
Engaged in 3 study projects 1) Analysis of the Military Industrial Complex of the Federal Republic of Germany, 2) Criticism of the Contemporary Practices of Armament-Controlling and Disarmament talks, Exemplified at SALT, 3) Problems of Contemporary Imperialism, with Special Reference to Latin America

KARL STEINBUCH
please add to page 470 of Social Forecasting 1972
GERHARD STOBER
please add to page 471 of Social Forecasting 1972
Author of several papers (among others) Uber Aufgaben und Methoden interdisziplinärer Forschung und Lehre zur räumlichen Umweltplanung (On Tasks and Methods of Interdisciplinary Research and Lecturing with Concern to the Planning of the Regional Environment, in Kommunikation, vol 6, no 2, 1970

M von ARDENNE
Director of the Forschungsinstitut Manfred von Ardenna, Dresden-Weißen Hirsch, DDR
Author of Die Erhöhung des Leistungs – und Lebensalters des Menschen Durch die Künftige Multidisziplinäre Medizin (The Increase in work The Age of People Through the Future Multidisciplinary Medicine)

HORST WAGENFUHR
please add to page 471 of Social Forecasting 1972
Author of several articles and books, especially on future development of economic sectors and branches Among others Industrielle Zukunftsforschung (Industrial Futures Research), München Verlag Moderne Industrie, 1970, page 186, Zukunft in Wort und Zahl (Future in Words and Figures), Tübingen Demokrit, 1970, page 230, Industrial Design im Blick der Zukunftsforschung (Industrial Design from the Point of View of Futures Research), in Rationalisierung, vol 22, no 4, 1971
BIENNIAL OF FUTUROLOGY (Biennale de Futurologie) is the theme of a conference held in San Remo (Italy) from 1st to 5th of September 1972 by Rencontres Creatives Internationales. The programme presented many lectures in the field of science, medicine, ecology, technology and business, economy, sociology, developing countries, international affairs, philosophy, religion, education, urban planning, humanities and liberal arts, leisure.

(Further information Rencontres Creatives Internationales RCI, Headquarters 3963, Crans, Switzerland)

THE CHALLENGE OF INTERMEDIATE TECHNOLOGY was a lecture held in the Adams Arms (Conway St. London) on October 1972, organized by BSSRS and given by George Macrobe of the Intermediate Technology Group.

CHRISTOLOGY AND EVOLUTION is the theme of a conference held in London on January 15th 1973 by the Teilhard Center for the Future of Man.

(Further information The Teilhard Centre, Cromwell Place, London SW7, 2 JE, United Kingdom)
PURARIA – PURACQUA (Clean Air – Clean Water 1972) was an exhibition held in Milan from 15th to 19th of November 1972 by the United States Ministry of Trade

COMPUTER SIMULATION OF HUMAN BEHAVIOUR is the theme of a conference to be organized in Berlin for one or two weeks in the Summer of 1973 by the International Institute of Management.

(Further information International Institute of Management, Gneigstrasse 5, D-1000, Berlin 33, Germany)

CONFERENCE ON RESEARCH INTO TERTIARY SCIENCE EDUCATION is the theme of a conference held in London from the 18th to the 20th of December 1972 by Thames Polytechnic in association with the Society for Research into Higher Education, the Association for Programmed Learning and Educational Technology, the Association for Science Education, the Chemical Society and the Institute of Physics. The aim was to
- Review methods and organization of educational research
- Discuss original educational research results and their applicability

(Further information Academic Registrar, Thames Polytechnic, London SE1 8, 6 PF, United Kingdom)

CROSS CULTURE PERSPECTIVES ON EARLY DEVELOPMENT is the theme of a lecture held by the American Society for the Advancement of Science in Washington on December 26th, 1972.

(FFurther information American Society for the Advancement of Science, 1515 Massachusetts Avenue NW Washington DC 20005, USA)

CROSS-NATIONAL APPROACHES TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF ALTERNATIVE FUTURE SYSTEMS is the theme of a meeting which was held at the 1972 Meeting of the International Studies Association organized by an interdisciplinary and international group formed by John Galtung, International Peace Research Institute, Oslo, Norway, George Kent, Department of Political Science, University of Hawaii, L'ma, Gerhard Krutsch, Educational Policy Research Center at Syracuse, Stuart McClean, Department of Religious Studies, University of Santa Clara, Dennis C Pirages, Department of Population Biology, Stanford University, Jonathan Sanford, Department of Political Science, American University, John Shippee, Department of Political Science, California State College, Fullerton, California

DEVELOPMENT OF PRODUCTION SYSTEMS is the theme of the 2nd International Conference organized in Copenhagen from the 27th to the 31st of August 1973 by the International Conference on Production Research, The Technical University of Denmark, AMT.

(FFurther information The Technical University of Denmark, AMT, Lyngby, DK)
EDUCATIONAL IMPLICATIONS OF ZERO GROWTH is the theme of a lecture held by the American Society for the Advancement of Science in Washington on December 27th 1972.

(Further information American Society for the Advancement of Science, 1515 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Washington DC 20005, USA)

HUMAN PROGRESS is the theme of a conference held in London on November 16th 1972 by the Teilhard Centre for the Future of Man.

(Further information The Teilhard Centre, Cromwell Place, London SW 7, 2 JE United Kingdom)

THE INFLUENCE EXERTED BY THE CONCEPT OF LIFE-LONG EDUCATION ON THE REFORM OF TEACHING AND PROGRAMS is the theme of a conference held in Hamburg (Germany) from the 5th to the 9th of December 1972 by the Unesco Institute for Education and the German National Unesco Commission.

(Further information UNESCO, Place de Fontenoy, Paris VII, France)

INNOVATION is the theme of a conference which will be held in Berlin in the Spring of 1973 by the International Institute of Management.

(Further information International Institute of Management, Griebenstrasse 5, D 1000, Berlin 33 Germany)

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MARINE POLLUTION is the theme of a conference held in London from the 30th of October to the 10th of November 1972 by the British Government with the participation of Unesco and of the Transgovernmental Oceanographic Commission.

LEISURE ACTIVITIES IN THE INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY is the theme of an international congress to be organized in Brussels on April 5th, 6th, 7th 1973 by the Van Cle Foundation. The purpose of this congress is to approach the many-sided, important problems of recreation from multi-disciplinary points of view. Moreover, the conclusions of this congress must make it possible to inspire concrete policy options. Among the themes: The Industrialized Society, Origin of Evershortening Working-hours and of Increasing Leisure Time, The Perspectives of Leisure Activities in Tomorrow’s Society, The Physiological Influence of the Individual, the Family and the Community by the Gradual Increase of Leisure Time.
EVENTS
meetings, courses, lectures, exhibitions

The Criteria of a Recreation Policy, Particularly Ethical and Cultural Aspects
Evolution and Policy of Recreation

(Further information The Van Cle Foundation, Grote Markt 9 B 2000 Antwerpen Belgium)

LONG RANGE PLANNING AND THE ENVIRONMENT is the theme of a conference which will be held in March 1973 by the Society for Long Range Planning

(Further information Society for Long Range Planning 132 Terminal House Grosvenor Gardens London SW 1 OAA United Kingdom)

MAN, ENVIRONMENT RELATIONS AND HEALTH is the theme of lectures held by the American Society for the Advancement of Science in Washington from December 29th to 30th, 1972

(Further information American Society for the Advancement of Science 1515 Massachusetts Avenue NW Washington DC 20005 Usal)

METHODS OF SOCIAL INDICATORS ANALYSIS is the theme of a lecture held by the American Society for the Advancement of Science in Washington on December 26th, 1972

(Further information American Society for the Advancement of Science, 1515 Massachusetts Avenue NW Washington DC 20005 Usal)

EVENTS
meetings, courses, lectures, exhibitions

THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT The Law and Environmental Science is the theme of lectures held by the American Society for the Advancement of Science in Washington December 27th and 28th, 1972

(Further information American Society for the Advancement of Science 1515 Massachusetts Avenue, NW Washington DC 20005 Usal)

NATIONALISM, TECHNOLOGY AND DEVELOPMENT is the theme of the 8th Regional Conference of the Pan American Committee of CIOS organized in Caracas from the end of August to the beginning of September 1973 by CIOS

(Further information CIOS, D 6000, Frankfurt am Main, 8 Postfach 119193, Germany)

PROFESSIONS OF THE FUTURE AND THE FUTURE OF PROFESSIONS is the theme of a conference which will be held in Berlin in 1973 or early 1974 by Zentrum Berlin fur Zukunftsforschung, EV BZB

(Further information Zentrum Berlin fur Zukunftsforschung, EV BZB, 1, Berlin 31, Hohenzollerndamm 170, Germany)

ROLE OF FORECASTING AND IN MANAGEMENT PLANNING is the theme of a conference to be in Berlin for three days in the spring of 1972 by the International Institute of Management

(Further information International Institute of Management, Griegstrasse 5, D 1000 Berlin 33, Germany)
SCIENCE PLANNING WITH RELEVANCE TO SOCIETY is the theme of a conference which will held in Berlin in 1973 by Zentrum Berlin fur Zukunftsforschung, EV, ZBZ

(Further information Zentrum Berlin fur Zukunftsforschung, EV ZBZ, Berlin Hohenzollerndamm 170, Germany)


Papers on, Growth and Inflation, Prices and Incomes, Is Growth No Longer the Main Objective? The Optimum Size and Scale of the Organization, the Attitude of Management and Manpower, Consumption and Change, the Pursuit of Consumer Leisure Needs, Institutions and Investment, The Financial Structure of the New Europe

(Further information The Society for Long Range Planning, 132 Terminal House, Grosvenor Gardens, London SW1W OAR, United Kingdom)

ZUUM PROJEKTGRUPPE UMWELT UND ZUKUNFTSFORSCHUNG (ZUUM Project Group on Environment and Forecasting) held a course on "Environment and Forecasting in 1972." At the end of this course, a work group, whose intention is to continue the study of the problems which emerged during the course, was constituted. This group has developed the ZUUM group, which now includes about 7 or 12 followers. The material presented to us reflects the complexity of this discussion on the future and on environment. In short, during this course the material of Prof. Jungk's course was considered, the questions which can relate to civic enterprise and action were discussed, the ideas for TUB-MIT study sessions for the next year were developed and finally the group's specific problems were also discussed. In particular material on the problematic environment was presented to give some indications for the work in this field

(Further information Dok Graue Literatur Zukunftsforschung, 1 Berlin, 15, Kurfurstendamm 195/6, VI, Germany)

3rd INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON RELIGION, ARCHITECTURE AND THE ARTS is the theme of a conference sponsored in Jerusalem from September 9th to 14th by the Interfaith Research Center on Religious Architecture, as were the 1st International Congress (New York-Montreal, 1967) and the 2nd International Congress (Brussels 1970). The Congress is international, interfaith, intercultural and interdisciplinary in scope. Within the framework of religion it will deal with man's environment, his value systems and his models of expression

(Further information 1973 International Congress c/o Mr. John Potts, Treasurer, 287 Park Avenue South, New York, N.Y. 10010, U.S.A)

3rd WORLD CONFERENCE ON POPULATION (IIIème Conférence mondiale de la population) will be held in New York in 1974, by United Nations, Population Division

(Further information United Nations Population Division, New York, N.Y. 10017, U.S.A)
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