

Congolese justice system, as well as, identify opportunities for improvement. The Field Officer will also develop and implement other trainings both for individual organizations and larger groups. The following qualifications are needed: Advanced university degree in law or other relevant field and fluency in French. Direct resume and cover letter to: Congo Program Field Officer Search, International Human Rights Law Group, 1200 18th Street, NW, Suite 602, Washington, DC 20036; Fax: (202) 822-4606; Email: HumanRights@HRLawGroup.org.

#### AFRICA PROGRAM DIRECTOR

The International Human Rights Law Group is seeking an Africa Program Director, who is based in Washington D.C and manages the Law Group's rule of law, human rights and civil society projects of Africa. Responsibilities include all aspects of program design, implementation and evaluation; organizing/conducting human rights training; facilitating international advocacy; report writing; and working with the Development Department to ensure adequate funding for programs. An advanced university degree in law, international relations or other relevant field is required. Specialized study of human rights is preferred. Travel required. Direct cover letter and resume to: Director Africa Program Search, International Human Rights Law Group, 1200 18th Street, NW, Suite 602, Washington, DC 20036. Fax: (202) 822-4606; Email: HumanRights@HRLawGroup.org.

#### INTERNSHIP

The Ubuntu Education Fund is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the educational institutions of the black townships in Port Elizabeth, South Africa. It is devoted to assisting young people in overcoming the destructive legacy of apartheid through knowledge and education. Anyone interested in issues such as Education, Health, Aids and Sustainable development, contact: Jacob Lief (215) 951-0330 (ext.162).

## MEETING CALENDER

#### AFRICA WORKSHOP

The Africa Workshop will be at NAFSA'S: Association of International Educators San Diego conference **May 29th 2000 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m..** Workshop #27: Understanding U.S./Africa Relations through Respect & Mutuality. For further information contact: Christine Ann Djondo, Senior Program Officer for Special Programs Council for International Exchange of Scholars, 3007 Tilden Street, NW, Suite 5L, Washington DC 20008-3009; Tel: (202) 6864004; Fax: (202) 3623442; Email: cdjondo\_cies@iie; Website: www.nafsa.org/sandiego/registration/may29.html.

#### MIDDLE PASSAGE PROJECT

An International conference organized as part of the Middle Passage Project at the College of William and Mary. "Monuments of the Black Atlantic: History, Memory, Politics" will convene in Williamsburg, PA **May 24 - 28, 2000** to explore the Atlantic slave trade and ultimately expand current knowledge and understanding of Africans in the Diaspora. For further information contact: Amy K. Ruth, Associate Director, Office of University Relations, The College of William and Mary, P.O. Box 8795 Williamsburg, VA 23185-8795; Tel: (757) 221-2628; Website: www.wm.edu/mid-passage/papercall.html.

CENTRE FOR DEVELOPMENT RESEARCH COPENHAGEN Presents its International Seminar in Copenhagen from **May 22 - 24, 2000**. The research program on "Livelihood, Identity and Organization in Situations of Instability" which - since 1996 - has been based at the Centre for Development Research in Copenhagen, International Development Studies, Roskilde University, and the Department of Anthropology, University of Copenhagen, is inviting people to attend an international seminar on "State, Violence and Mobility Narrative and Everyday Approaches in Development Research". Further information, program and registration form can be downloaded from Website: www.cdr.dk/livelyse.pdf.

#### WOMEN IN AFRICA AND THE AFRICAN DIASPORA

The Third International Conference on Women in Africa and the African Diaspora (WAAD) will be held in Antananarivo, Madagascar **October 6 - 13, 2000**. The theme is "Facing the New Millenium: Gender in Africa and the African Diaspora - Retrospection and Prospects." For further information contact: Obioma Nnaemeka, Convener, Third WAAD Conference, Women's Studies Program, Cavanaugh Hall, Room 001C, Indiana University, 425 University Boulevard, Indianapolis, IN 46202; Tel: (317) 278-2038; (317) 274-7611 or (317) 274-0062; Fax: (317) 274-2347; Email: nnaemeka@iupui.edu; Website: www.iupui.edu/~aaws/.

#### PANAFRICAN ASSOCIATION

The PanAfrican Association of Prehistory and Related Studies will hold its 11th Congress from **February 7 - 12, 2001** in Bamako, Mali. For further information contact: Dr. Tereba Togola, Direction Nationale des Arts et de la Culture, BP 91, Bamako, Mali; Tel: 223 22 33 82; Fax: 223 21 67 86; Website: www.rz.uni-frankfurt.de/~bornu/safa/panaf.htm.

#### THE ARTS COUNCIL OF THE AFRICAN STUDIES ASSOCIATION

The Arts Council of the African Studies Association (ACASA) presents its 12th International Triennial Symposium on African

Art, Transitions, Passages and Confluences. **April 25 - 29, 2001** at the Marriott Frenchman's Reef, St. Thomas Virgin Islands. The symposium is hosted by University of the Virgin Islands. The conference will coincide with carnival and carnival events will be built into the schedule. For hotel reservations, contact: Marriott Frenchman's Reef, P.O.Box 7100 St. Thomas, USVI 00801\*0100; Fax: (340)715-6191.

#### YORK UNIVERSITY STUDENT CONFERENCE

The 12th Annual Student Conference will be held on **May 26 - 28, 2000**. Theme: The Role of the African Youth on the Continent and in the Diaspora in the 21st Century. For further information contact: The 12th Annual All African Students' Conference, c/o African Studies Program, 217 Founders College, York University, 4700 Keele Street, Toronto, ON, M3J1P3; Tel: (416) 736-5732; Email: aasc@yorku.ca, Website://www.yorku.ca/aasc.

#### SOUTH AFRICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

Bellville University of the Western Cape presents its Annual Congress of the South African Sociological Association, **July 2 - 5, 2000**. For further information contact: Franco Barchiesi, Dept. of Sociology University of the Witwatersr and Private Bag 3, PO Wits 2050 Johannesburg, South Africa; Fax: (+27 11) 339-8163; Tel: (+27 11) 717 - 4445; E-mail: 029frb@muse.wits.ac.za; Website: jefferson.village.virginia.edu/~spoon/s/aut.html.

#### UNIVERSITY OF NAMIBIA

The History Department of the University of Namibia, Windhoek Campus (Pioneer's Park) will hold a conference **August 24 - 27, 2000** provisionally titled "Public History Forgotten History." For further information contact: Dr Jeremy Silvester or Wolfram Hartmann c/o History Dept, University of Namibia, Private Bag 13301, Windhoek, NAMIBIA; Email: nht@iafrica.com.na; Tel: ++264 61 206 3000; Fax: ++ 264 61 206 3806.

## PAPER CALENDER

#### THE INSTITUTE OF DRUZE STUDIES

The Institute of Druze Studies, in collaboration with the Department of Religious Studies, San Diego State University, the Society for the Academic Study of Religion and the G. E. Von Grunebaum Center at UCLA, is pleased to announce its second international conference to be held at San Diego State University, **September 8 - 10, 2000**. The theme of this year's conference is "Immigrant Religious Communities: Ideas and Identities". For further information contact: Institute of Druze Studies, San Diego State University, P.O. Box 22828, San Diego, CA 92192; Email: ids@druzestudies.org and copy to Samy S.Swayd;