This booklet has been prepared as an aid in sorting out the long-term projects funded by the United States Office of Education. Sections are: (1) Regional Educational Laboratories, (2) Research and Development Centers, (3) Educational Policy Research Centers, (4) Regional Research Program: Small Project Research, (5) Research Coordinating Units for Vocational Education, (6) Instructional Materials Centers for Handicapped Children and Youth, and (7) Educational Resources Information Centers. Each section begins with a short explanation, followed by the address and telephone numbers of project directors. In most cases, the projects are described and their location is illustrated on a map. An index is included. (SB)
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FOREWORD

It seems that to the making of studies, surveys, investigations, and reports there is no end. In recent years the U.S. Office of Education has begun to fund continuing efforts so that continuity can exist between one project, survey, or report, and the indicated follow-up activity. In the education world there is much talk of regional labs, R & D centers, RCU's, and ERIC documents. Names, places, and acronyms have become a dazzling maze. It is hoped that this little booklet will be a helpful reference in sorting out the projects funded by the U.S. Office of Education as long-term undertakings.

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SECTION I

THE REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORIES

Title IV of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 authorized the U.S. Office of Education to support a network of non-profit educational laboratories. The purpose of the laboratories is to narrow the gap between educational research and educational practice. To accomplish this, twenty laboratories have been funded. Geographic distribution and regions served are depicted on facing page.

The work of the laboratory staff is to offer tested alternatives to existing educational practice. Where it has been found that appropriate curriculum materials do not exist, the laboratories have taken on the task of curriculum development and field testing. All activities are carried out with the cooperation of local institutions — state department of education, public and private schools, colleges and universities, and other organizations which are concerned with the educational problems of their region.

Each laboratory is an independent non-profit corporation with its own governing board and management capable of making decisions regarding specific program objectives, attracting the resources (personnel, funds, and facilities) necessary to realize the objectives, and directing the operations by which the objectives will be achieved. It should be pointed out that any laboratory is free to seek additional financial support from sources other than Title IV of E.S.E.A.

The special emphasis areas of each of the laboratories are described in the directory which follows. Inquiries for further details should be directed to the individual laboratory directors.
APPALACHIA EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (AEL)

REGION SERVED: West Virginia and parts of Virginia, Tennessee, Ohio, Kentucky, and Pennsylvania

DIRECTOR: Dr. Benjamin Carmichael

ADDRESS: Appalachia Educational Laboratory
1416 Kanawha Boulevard
Charleston, West Virginia 25325

TELEPHONE: (304) 344-8371

AEL is concentrating on the special educational problems caused by the geography and isolation of the Appalachian region. A model for cooperative use of material and human resources is being developed. Initial cooperative projects have included the use of telelectures and television in three pilot areas: (1) vocational guidance, (2) early childhood education at home (via television as there are no public kindergartens in the region), and (3) a program in language arts and reading especially appropriate to the problems of Appalachian children.

CENTER FOR URBAN EDUCATION (CUE)

REGION SERVED: Metropolitan New York and some neighboring cities

DIRECTOR: Dr. Robert Dentler

ADDRESS: Center for Urban Education
105 Madison Avenue
New York, New York 10016

TELEPHONE: (212) 889-7277

CUE is primarily concerned with the improvement of educational practice in metropolitan areas. Four staff committees direct the work of the Center: Curriculum, Community Relations, Mass Media, and Educational Personnel. The Curriculum Committee is testing a number of strategies which will insure literacy in the early grades, including multiculturally based programs which will take into account the acquired vocabulary of urban children. The Community Relations Committee is assisting the implementation of integration programs in urban communities, and the Educational Personnel Committee is seeking ways to improve morale and effectiveness of new elementary teachers in urban ghetto schools. The Mass Media Committee is assessing the effect of mass media such as television on the development of school-age children. The CUE staff has published a number of monographs and puts out a bimonthly periodical, The Urban Review.
CENTRAL ATLANTIC REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (CAREL)

REGION SERVED: Northern Virginia, West Virginia, District of Columbia, Maryland, and Delaware

DIRECTOR: Dr. C. Taylor Whittier

ADDRESS: Central Atlantic Regional Educational Laboratory
1200 Seventeenth Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036

TELEPHONE: (202) 293-1150

CAREL is developing instructional strategies and materials in art, music, theatre, dance, and literature for students from ages 3 to 8. The teaching objectives have been specified through a cooperative effort of performing artists or writers, classroom teachers, and special education teachers. Following initial design of materials for the art curriculum, for example, field testing will be carried out by the classroom teachers with the artists and art educators acting as consultants.

CENTRAL MIDWESTERN REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (CEMREL)

REGION SERVED: Eastern Missouri, southern Illinois, central and western Tennessee, and Kentucky

DIRECTOR: Dr. Wade M. Robinson

ADDRESS: Central Midwestern Regional Educational Laboratory
10646 St. Charles Rock Road
St. Ann Missouri 62074

TELEPHONE: (314) 429-3535

CEMREL has six major program interests which will have national as well as regional application: (1) development of a comprehensive mathematics curriculum for the general student population in grades K-12; (2) development of a curriculum in aesthetics education for the general student population in grades K-12; (3) development, application, and evaluation of the results of an implementation model for exemplary social studies curricula; (4) design of teaching strategies, with related materials, particularly appropriate to special student populations; (5) demonstration of a program of computer-assisted instruction in arithmetic in a rural area and evaluation of its impact on student achievement and social interaction; and (6) development of a system of computer applications for administrative purposes to function as a utility for the region’s educators.
COOPERATIVE EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH
LABORATORY, INC. (CERLI)

REGION SERVED: Indiana, portions of Michigan and Illinois, and Wisconsin shared with the Upper Midwest Regional Educational Laboratory

DIRECTOR: Dr. David Jackson

ADDRESS: Cooperative Educational Research Laboratory, Inc.
540 West Frontage Street
Northfield, Illinois 60093

TELEPHONE: (312) 273-2444

The CERLI staff is attempting to speed innovation by creating new roles for school personnel: "continuing education leader" and "evaluator." The continuing education leader trains fellow professionals in the use of tested innovations, and the evaluator assists schools in assessing the value of innovative practices and programs.

EASTERN REGIONAL INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATION (ERIE)

REGION SERVED: New York State (with the exception of metropolitan New York City) and western Pennsylvania

DIRECTOR: Dr. Sidney Archer

ADDRESS: Eastern Regional Institute for Education
635 James Street
Syracuse, New York 13203

TELEPHONE: (315) 474-5321

The ERIE staff is carrying out three projects designed to test prototypes of three different instructional systems. One project employs the Science — A Process Approach curriculum (developed by the American Association for the Advancement of Science) to stress teaching of learning skills as opposed to acquisition of facts alone. Another project will demonstrate a system of individualized instruction which will incorporate as one element the Individually Prescribed Instruction system developed by the Pittsburgh Learning Research and Development Center (see page 16). A third project is to design a system for installing and monitoring a new curriculum in schools of diverse characteristics. Again the new Science — A Process Approach curriculum is employed. An "engineering" manual is planned which will show other schools how to adopt the new curriculum successfully.
EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT CENTER (EDC)

REGION SERVED: New England

DIRECTOR: Dr. Leonard Sealey

ADDRESS: Education Development Center
         55 Chapel Street
         Newton, Massachusetts 02160

TELEPHONE: (617) 969-7100

The Education Development Center was created from a merger in January 1967 of Education Services, Inc., a curriculum development corporation, and the Institute for Educational Innovation which had been established as the New England regional educational laboratory. The laboratory staff is working with schools in four communities — the Cardozo district of Washington, D.C.; Bridgeport, Connecticut; Boston, Massachusetts; and Brunswick-Rockland, Maine — to improve the quality of their educational programs. Initially the laboratory is creating a resource team and resource center in each of the four communities. The centers will be places for teachers, administrators, parents, and community leaders to learn about new curriculum materials and the ways in which they might be used in educational programs in their communities.

THE FAR WEST LABORATORY FOR EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (FWLERD)

REGION SERVED: Northern California and Nevada (with the exception of Clark County)

DIRECTOR: Dr. John Hemphili

ADDRESS: The Far West Laboratory for Educational Research and Development
         Claremont Hotel
         1 Garden Court
         Berkeley, California 94705

TELEPHONE: (415) 841-9710

A major effort of the FWLERD staff is the development of self-contained units for inservice teachers (elementary and secondary) in a variety of instructional skills. Based on the Stanford "microteaching" concept, a typical unit would be designed to change the "questioning techniques" of an elementary teacher, or the ability to develop language skills in Mexican-American or Afro-American children.
MOREL, too, is concentrating on inservice teacher training based on the Stanford “microteaching” concept. Specially trained teams of teachers (called field action units) will test training strategies with other experienced teachers. Initially, test sites will be in urban settings.

MID-CONTINENT REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (McREL)

REGION SERVED: Eastern Nebraska, western Missouri, eastern Kansas, and central Oklahoma

DIRECTOR: Dr. Robert S. Gilchrist

ADDRESS: Mid-Continent Regional Educational Laboratory
104 East Independence Avenue
Kansas City, Missouri 64108

TELEPHONE: (816) 221-8686

Self-directed learning is the main focus of the McREL program. Studies are underway to identify the student behaviors associated with self-directed learning and to define teacher behaviors which will elicit self-directed learning in students. The schools of education in the universities of Nebraska and Missouri are cooperating with the laboratory in these studies, as well as the Kansas City public schools.
NORTHWEST REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (NWREL)

REGION SERVED: Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Washington, and Oregon

DIRECTOR: Dr. Larry Fish

ADDRESS: Northwest Regional Educational Laboratory
400 Lindsay Building
710 Southwest Second Avenue
Portland, Oregon 97204

TELEPHONE: (503) 224-3650

The NWREL program concentrates on the special educational needs caused by the region's inner city problems, rural isolation, and poverty. To speed the adoption of new teaching strategies, "instructional leaders" are being trained to carry out inservice programs for professionals in their own and nearby school districts. Special instructional materials are being developed to meet deficiencies in rural schools, and to meet the needs of Indian, Alaska-native, and inner-city children. A computer center is being designed to demonstrate applications of computer-assisted instruction, instructional management, and administrative management of schools.

REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY FOR THE CAROLINAS AND VIRGINIA (RELCV)

REGION SERVED: North Carolina, South Carolina, and southern Virginia

DIRECTOR: Dr. Everett Hopkins

ADDRESS: Regional Educational Laboratory for the Carolinas and Virginia
Mutual Plaza
Durham, North Carolina 27701

TELEPHONE: (919) 688-8057

RELCV is the only regional laboratory which has a focus on higher education as well as projects at the elementary and secondary level. Initially the laboratory is working with twenty colleges and universities to upgrade their educational practices. Each of the institutions' presidents has assigned a personal assistant to work with the laboratory and within the institution to identify and plan for needed changes. Among long range goals is the development and dissemination of model computerized systems for institutional research, decision making, and long range...
planning. At the elementary and secondary level the laboratory is introducing the Individually Prescribed Instruction program (developed by the Pittsburgh Learning Research and Development Center) in selected schools within the region. Plans are underway for an adaptation of the Samoan experiment with educational television in teaching English as a second language to children in a rural South Carolina county who speak a nonstandard English dialect.

RESEARCH FOR BETTER SCHOOLS, INC. (RBS)
REGION SERVED: Delaware, New Jersey, and eastern Pennsylvania
DIRECTOR: Dr. James W. Becker
ADDRESS: Research for Better Schools, Inc.
121 South Broad Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107
TELEPHONE: (215) 546-6050

RBS's major program is the field testing, monitoring, and further development of the Individually Prescribed Instruction (IPI) system developed by the Pittsburgh Learning Research and Development Center. Teacher training programs in the use of the IPI system are being carried out. The concept of "research implementation teams" is being experimented with in the Delaware State Department of Education and the Newark and Philadelphia public schools.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (RMEL)
REGION SERVED: All portions of Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, Arizona, Idaho, Montana, Kansas, and Nebraska
DIRECTOR: Dr. Donald O. Bush
ADDRESS: Rocky Mountain Educational Laboratory
1620 Reservoir Road
Greeley, Colorado 80631
TELEPHONE: (303) 353-6350

Diagnosis and prescription for individual learning disabilities in elementary school children is the primary interest of RMEL's program. Diagnostic instruments are being developed, and teachers in the region are becoming familiar with relevant research, teaching strategies and materials available for remediation. A program in occupational education is in the planning stages.
SOUTH CENTRAL REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY CORPORATION (SCREL)

REGION SERVED: Arkansas, Mississippi, and parts of Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, and Louisiana

DIRECTOR: Dr. J. D. Williams

ADDRESS: South Central Regional Educational Laboratory Corporation
302 National Old Line Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

TELEPHONE: (501) 376-4641

The SCREL program concentration is on early childhood compensatory education for three populations: the non-reservation Indian, Delta Negro, and white Ozarkian. Initial emphasis is on improvement of basic skills and self-concept. To compensate for the absence of kindergartens throughout the region, laboratory and school personnel are conducting Saturday sessions. A variety of materials and strategies are employed, including programmed instruction to teach English as a second language, and computer-assisted instruction in arithmetic.

SOUTHEASTERN EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (SEL)

REGION SERVED: Alabama, Florida, Georgia

DIRECTOR: Dr. Robert Hopper

ADDRESS: Southeastern Educational Laboratory
3450 International Boulevard
Hapeville, Georgia 30054

TELEPHONE: (404) 766-0951

SEL aims to improve the education offered disadvantaged children of its three state region. A 24-school project is experimenting with new ways of instructing these students. An inservice teacher education program focuses on teacher-student and teacher-teacher interpersonal relationships. Video and audio recordings are used to analyze communication skills problems of the disadvantaged. Supplementary projects include the establishment of a bilingual (Spanish-English) materials center in Miami and a migrant education center in Tampa.
SOUTHWEST EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT LABORATORY (SWEDL)

REGION SERVED: Texas and Louisiana

DIRECTOR: Dr. Edwin Hindsman

ADDRESS: Southwest Educational Development Laboratory
800 Brazos Street
Austin, Texas 78767

TELEPHONE: (512) 476-6861

SWEDL's region has three predominant subcultures with special educational needs: the Negro American, the French Acadian, and the Mexican American. Raising achievement and aspiration levels of these pupils is a major objective. Bilingual curriculum materials are being used, and parent involvement is fostered. In addition, applications of computer technology, both for instruction and for management applications, are in use.

SOUTHWEST REGIONAL LABORATORY FOR EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT (SWRL)

REGION SERVED: Southern California, southern Nevada, and western Arizona

DIRECTOR: Dr. Richard Schutz

ADDRESS: Southwest Regional Laboratory for Educational Research and Development
11300 LaCienega Boulevard
Inglewood, California 90304

TELEPHONE: (213) 776-3800

The initial SWRL program has four primary areas: communication skills for grades K-4; generalized problem-solving skills for grades K-4; computer-managed instruction in reading, reading readiness, and mathematics at the first-grade level; and a computer-managed administrative planning system to assist in administrative decision-making (now restricted to administrative budget planning for personnel costs). Both computer programs are in cooperation with the System Development Corporation in Santa Monica, California.
SOUTHWESTERN COOPERATIVE EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (SWCEL)

REGION SERVED: Portions of Arizona, Oklahoma, Texas, and all of New Mexico

DIRECTOR: Dr. James L. Olivero

ADDRESS: Southwestern Cooperative Educational Laboratory
117 Richmond Drive, NE
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106

TELEPHONE: (505) 265-9561

The SWCEL program objective is to develop an improved first-year school experience in the language arts with initial emphasis on oral language for Mexican-American and Indian children.

UPPER MIDWEST REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY (UMREL)

REGION SERVED: Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin

DIRECTOR: Dr. David Evans

ADDRESS: Upper Midwest Regional Educational Laboratory
1640 East 78th Street
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55423

TELEPHONE: (612) 861-4421

The UMREL program is focused on teacher competency. Both preservice and inservice teacher education activities are underway. Some 88 teacher training institutions in the region are involved in a conference series. A theoretical model for an entire teacher preparation program is one of the envisioned products.
SECTION II
THE RESEARCH
AND DEVELOPMENT CENTERS

The Research and Development Centers program was established in 1963 under the Cooperative Research Act, prior to the passage of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 and before Regional Educational Laboratories were set up. The center concept is to bring together interdisciplinary talent and resources to focus on a significant educational problem, to then design and conduct interrelated programs of basic and applied research and development that will move toward solution of such problems in a systematic way. Projects are not chosen on the basis of whether or not they can be classified within the general focus of the center, but by how individual projects relate to or reinforce each other in achieving overall objectives of the center. Promising leads from one project can be followed up immediately in another project.

The first two centers, Pittsburgh and Oregon, were started in the spring of 1964. Wisconsin followed in the fall. In the summer of 1965, Berkeley, Texas, Georgia, and Stanford began operation. The University of California at Los Angeles and Johns Hopkins became members in 1966. Two additional centers were funded under the Vocational Education Act of 1963, Ohio State in 1966 and North Carolina State in 1967. The most recent addition is the National Laboratory on Early Childhood Education at Urbana, Illinois.

A listing of the centers follows, with a brief description of each center's focus.
Through increased understanding of the social context in which educational institutions operate, the Center hopes to bring about improved practices in educational administration and organization. Four major program areas have developed: innovation and organizational structure, educational administration and the normative and value structures of American society, career processes of educational personnel, and the allocation of resources in higher education.

The Center has designed research and development activities to assist individuals and institutions responsible for higher education "to improve the quality, efficiency, and availability of education beyond the high school." A dissemination journal, The Research Reporter, is published quarterly.
CENTER FOR RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, AND TRAINING IN OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION

DIRECTOR: Dr. John K. Coster
ADDRESS: Center for Research, Development, and Training in Occupational Education
North Carolina State University
at Raleigh
Raleigh, North Carolina 27607
TELEPHONE: (919) 755-2493

One of two research and development centers established under the Vocational Education Act of 1963, the Center is inter- and multi-disciplinary in scope and organization. Nine departments of the University are contributing their resources and research potential to the Center. The total program is divided into five areas which include the research program, the evaluation program, the research development program, the research training program, and the services and conferences program.

CENTER FOR RESEARCH AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT IN VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION

DIRECTOR: Dr. Robert E. Taylor
ADDRESS: Center for Research and Leadership Development in Vocational and Technical Education
The Ohio State University
980 Kinnear Road
Columbus, Ohio 43212
TELEPHONE: (614) 293-7351

The Center, founded under the Vocational Education Act of 1963, was set up to stimulate and encourage research nationally in vocational and technical education. Procedures encompass basic and applied research, field testing, dissemination and demonstration activities, and leadership development of state personnel. The ERIC Clearinghouse on Vocational and Technical Education is also a part of this Center.
CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF THE EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

DIRECTOR: Dr. Erick L. Lindman
Dr. Merlin C. Wittrock

ADDRESS: Center for the Study of the Evaluation of Instructional Programs
University of California
Los Angeles, California 90024

TELEPHONE: (213) 478-9711 Ext. 3115

The Center aims to improve the theory and practice of evaluation of instructional programs in school settings. Studies will include evaluation of classroom instruction, the study of contextual variables (relationships between student characteristics and instructional procedures), study of criterion variables (development of measures of individual student's achievement and organizational criteria), and the evaluation of elementary school and higher education programs.

CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF SOCIAL ORGANIZATION OF SCHOOLS AND THE LEARNING PROCESS

DIRECTOR: Dr. Edward L. McDill

ADDRESS: Center for the Study of Social Organization of School and the Learning Process
The Johns Hopkins University
Baltimore, Maryland 21218

TELEPHONE: (301) 467-3500 Ext. 1227-8

The Center's major program interests focus on the social and administrative organization of the school and community as related to the learning process of diverse groups of students. Research and development efforts include the development of simulation games and studies of the influence of games on student learning, study of education and social change for Negro Americans (including a further analysis of the data in the national study of "Equality of Educational Opportunity," or the Coleman Report), studies of modification in the social organization of schools and classrooms which will enhance the acquisition of cognitive skills in socially disadvantaged children. A film, "Introduction and Orientation to Academic Games," is in production.
The Center's major program interest is the interaction between learning research in the behavioral sciences and instructional practices in the schools. The Center is carrying out basic learning studies, conducting experimental development of computer-assisted instruction, doing field research in community schools, and conducting experimental school development in three areas: Individually Prescribed Instruction (IPI), responsive environment projects, and a Primary Education Project (PEP). Two dissemination films have been developed on IPI: “The Oakleaf Project” and “Rx for Learning: IPI.”

The laboratory is designed to provide national focus and leadership in the area of early childhood education by conducting research in areas which need attention and dramatizing practices which are ready for implementation. The program includes a network of small research and development centers, a National Coordination Center, and an ERIC Clearinghouse on Early Childhood Education (see p. 47).
RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER
IN EDUCATIONAL STIMULATION

DIRECTORS: Dr. Warren G. Findley
Dr. J. A. Williams

ADDRESS: Research and Development Center in
Educational Stimulation
Fain Hall
University of Georgia
Athens, Georgia 30601

TELEPHONE: (404) 542-1656

The Center seeks greater achievement for children from ages 3-12 through early and continuous intellectual stimulation. Research, development and evaluation of instructional systems is being carried out at the pre-primary, primary, and intermediate levels for a cross section of children and for disadvantaged children. The center is studying the influence of cultural, social, emotional, and organizational variables which affect educational stimulation.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER
IN TEACHER EDUCATION

DIRECTOR: Dr. Robert F. Peck

ADDRESS: Research and Development Center in
Teacher Education
303 Sutton Hall
University of Texas
Austin, Texas 78712

TELEPHONE: (512) 471-3933

The Center is determining by empirically tested experiments which processes in teacher education will produce teachers who are maximally effective in inducing learning in all types of children. Projects include design studies to measure pupil gain, self-contained classroom studies, and studies of individualized instruction through team teaching.
The Stanford Center for Research and Development in Teaching is concerned with the theory and practice of teaching. Under investigation are the effects of the teacher's acts on the pupil, modifications in teacher training, and the effects of administrative practices on the teacher. There are three major programs: The program in the Behavioral Domain is a study of the effect of teacher behavior on pupils; the program in the Personological Domain is a study of the determiners and consequences of teacher traits and characteristics; and the program in the Institutional Domain is a study of the conditions which surround teachers. Several teacher training films have been produced on such topics as "Micro-Teaching," "Technical Skills in Teaching," and "Role Playing."

The Center's major interest is to secure efficient learning of children and youth in the cognitive domain through refinement of learning theory, improvement of educational technology, development of exemplary instructional programs, and the invention and refinement of models for conducting research in school settings. Instructional programs in development include a television course, "Patterns in Arithmetic"; an English language and composition course; a program in elementary science; and an individualized reading program.
SECTION III

THE EDUCATIONAL POLICY RESEARCH CENTERS

In June 1967 the U. S. Office of Education funded two centers to conduct a continuing examination of future educational needs and resources. Located at Stanford and Syracuse universities, the centers are concerned with four major themes:

What demands will society make on schools in the future and how might the schools begin preparing to meet them now? What might curriculum objectives be in the future and what are their implications for schools today? What technologies will be available to schools in the future and what are their implications for schools today?

Each center will consist of a permanent staff and a pool of part-time specialists (educators, physical and social scientists, philosophers, engineers, city planners, scholars, architects, artists, writers, businessmen, and physicians).

STANFORD EDUCATIONAL POLICY RESEARCH CENTER

DIRECTOR: Dr. Willis Harman

ADDRESS: Educational Policy Research Center
Stanford Research Institute
Menlo Park, California 94025

TELEPHONE: (415) 326-6200

The Center will study alternative states of society in the year 1990, based on identification of the most prevalent individual needs and concerns. They will then identify alternative educational programs designed to meet the various needs. Other studies at the Center will focus on such matters as a policy analysis of urban ghetto education and new methods of social forecasting.
The Center will develop scenarios or “future pictures” which will depict alternative possibilities for society in the years 1980 to 2000. They will be based on projections of such diverse factors as economic growth, technological development, family structure, population distribution, and changing human values. The Center will then study the educational implications of these scenarios in conjunction with educators throughout the country.
SECTION IV

REGIONAL RESEARCH PROGRAM:
Small Project Research

The Office of Education's Bureau of Research has established regional research offices to stimulate educational research in small institutions and to facilitate the prompt consideration of small research proposals (see map on page 22). In order to qualify for consideration under the Regional Research Program, a proposal for educational research activity must meet two basic requirements:

(1) The total investment by the Office of Education must be $10,000 or less.
(2) The project must be scheduled for completion within a period of eighteen (18) months.

Proposals requiring more dollar support or more time should be submitted directly to the Bureau of Research in Washington for consideration.

As stated in the guidelines for small project research, the purposes of the regional research program are:

(1) To facilitate participation in educational research by faculty members of small institutions.
(2) To encourage small colleges to undertake research programs so that their students will benefit from having professors who are engaged in educational research activities.
(3) To support significant, small-scale educational research projects.
(4) To provide an opportunity for small project proposals to receive prompt consideration.

Appropriate topics, recommended format, evaluation criteria, and further suggestions for development of small project research proposals are outlined in a guidelines pamphlet available from the Bureau of Research, Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, Washington, D.C., or from the nearest regional office (see directory which follows immediately).
Regional Research Offices
REGIONAL DIRECTORS OF EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH

REGION I: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Dr. Richard V. McCann
ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
John Fitzgerald Kennedy Federal Building
Boston, Massachusetts 02203

TELEPHONE: (617) 223-7246

REGION II: Delaware, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Dr. John Sokol
ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
26 Federal Plaza
Federal Office Building, Room 1013
New York, New York 10007

TELEPHONE: (212) 264-4423

REGION III: Kentucky, Maryland, North Carolina, Puerto Rico, Virginia, Virgin Islands, West Virginia, District of Columbia

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Mr. John A. Morrow
ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
220 Seventh Street, N.E.
Charlottesville, Virginia 22901

TELEPHONE: (703) 296-1239
REGION IV: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, South Carolina, Tennessee

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Mr. Theodore Abell
ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
50 Seventh Street, N.E.
Atlanta, Georgia 30323
TELEPHONE: (404) 526-5087

REGION V: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Mr. Joseph A. Murnin
ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
226 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago, Illinois 60606
TELEPHONE: (312) 353-5214

REGION VI: Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Dr. W. Phillip Hefley
ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
601 East 12th Street
Kansas City, Missouri 64106
TELEPHONE: (816) 374-3337

REGION VII: Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Dr. Harold A. Haswell
ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
1114 Commerce Street
Dallas, Texas 75202
TELEPHONE: (214) 749-2635
REGION VIII: Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Wyoming

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Dr. Lewis R. Crum

ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
Federal Office Building
19th and Stout Streets
Denver, Colorado 80202

TELEPHONE: (303) 297-3183

REGION IX: Alaska, Arizona, California, Guam, Hawaii, Nevada, Oregon, Washington

EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH DIRECTOR: Dr. Walter Hirsch

ADDRESS: Office of Education
Department of Health, Education & Welfare
50 Fulton Street, Room 250
San Francisco, California 94102

TELEPHONE: (415) 556-8984
SECTION V

RESEARCH COORDINATING UNITS
FOR VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Under the Vocational Education Act of 1963 it was stipulated that 10 percent of the federal appropriations for vocational education should be set aside for research purposes. Since vocational education is carried out at the secondary or community college level, research resources in these institutions are limited. Therefore, the Division of Comprehensive and Vocational Education Research in the Office of Education's Bureau of Research has established some 46 research coordinating units located in state departments of education or on university campuses.

Staff activities of the research coordinating units include the establishment of state research advisory committees, inventories of research resources within the states, identification of outstanding problems amenable to research, dissemination of research information, review of research proposals, and provision for consultant services to local school district researchers and others.

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SECTION VI

INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS CENTERS
FOR HANDICAPPED CHILDREN AND YOUTH

In 1962 the President's Panel on Mental Retardation recommended that a network of instructional materials centers be established. Not until the passage, late in 1963, of PL 88-164, The Handicapped Children Act, were funds available to establish these centers for special education. Under the aegis of the Division of Research and Demonstration in the Bureau of Education for the Handicapped, a network of fourteen instructional materials centers (IMC's) has been established.

A first effort of the IMC's was to determine what materials do exist which are appropriate for the teaching of the handicapped. The centers are now disseminating information on these materials to teachers, administrators, media specialists, librarians — all those either directly or indirectly concerned with the education of the handicapped. The centers will also engage in research and development activities focused on improvement of teaching materials for the handicapped. The ERIC Clearinghouse on Exceptional Children (see page 48) has worked very closely with the IMC's. Some centers have concentrated on a special area; for example, the IMC at George Washington University is primarily concerned with the severely mentally retarded. Such areas of specialization have been noted in the directory which follows.

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SECTION VII

EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES
INFORMATION CENTER

The Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC) is a national information network designed to facilitate dissemination of educational research findings and other research related documents. Four major components constitute ERIC:

1. Central ERIC is the headquarters staff office located in the U. S. Office of Education, Washington, D.C. Overall management and coordination of the other three components is carried out from Central ERIC.

2. Nineteen ERIC Clearinghouses analyze, abstract, and index documents for dissemination through components 3 and 4 of ERIC. Each ERIC Clearinghouse staff has competence in a specialized area of educational research, the scope of which is described in the Directory beginning on the next page.

3. Research in Education is a monthly abstract journal which lists research reports currently abstracted by the seventeen ERIC Clearinghouses and also contains resumes of recently funded projects of the Bureau of Research, U. S. Office of Education. The annual subscription price to Research in Education is $11.00 domestic, $13.25 foreign. Orders should be addressed to Superintendent of Documents
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   Washington, D.C. 20402

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education for adults; educational media programs involving adults; correspondence study; and continuing education in the professions. Adulthood is defined not only by chronological age, but also by the assumption of mature responsibilities such as marriage or full-time employment.

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The clearinghouse on counseling and personnel services is responsible for materials and research reports relating to the preparation, practice, and supervision of counselors and other personnel workers at all educational levels and in all settings. Included are materials describing theoretical developments; the use and results of personnel procedures such as testing, interviewing, disseminating, and analyzing environmental information; group work and casework; and reports on program development and evaluation. Included also are materials which deal with the nature of pupil, student, and adult characteristics; descriptions of educational, occupational, and community settings; and discussions of the types of assistance provided by personnel workers in such areas as career planning, family consultations, and student orientation and activities.

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The clearinghouse on the teaching of foreign languages is responsible for research reports and other documents related to the teaching of French, German, Italian, Russian, Latin, and Classical Greek. It is responsible for collecting information on instructional methodology, psychology of language and language learning, presentation of the cultural and intercultural context, application of linguistics, curricular problems and developments, and teacher training and qualifications specific to the teaching of these languages. Also included in the scope of this clearinghouse is the teaching and the preparation of college teachers of English at the undergraduate and graduate level.

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The clearinghouse on linguistics and the uncommonly taught languages is responsible for research reports and other documents dealing with linguistics and related language sciences and languages not commonly taught in the United States; that is, all except French, German, Italian, Spanish, Russian, Latin, Classical Greek, and English as a second language. Included are those reports concerned with the language teacher or researcher in the language sciences and those dealing with phonetics, psycho-linguistics, programmed instruction of languages, socio-linguistics, structural and descriptive linguistics, applied linguistics, language pedagogy, bilingualism, and those instructional materials restricted to the uncommonly taught languages.

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READING

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The clearinghouse on reading is responsible for research reports and other materials on all aspects of reading behavior, with emphasis on physiology, psychology, sociology, and the teaching of reading. Included are reports on the development and evaluation of instructional materials, curricula, tests, and measurements; the preparation of reading teachers and specialists; methodology at all levels: the role of libraries and other agencies in fostering and guiding reading; and diagnostic and remedial services in school and clinic settings.

RURAL EDUCATION AND SMALL SCHOOLS

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