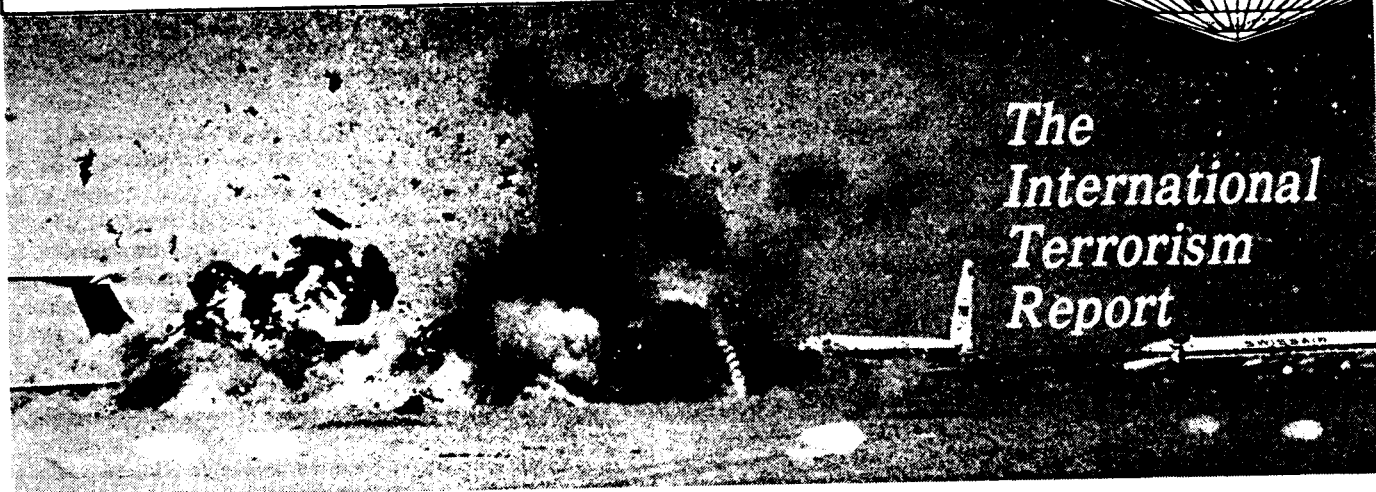


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Barron's Prints Expose Of Rockefeller's Institute For Policy Studies

Sept. 3 (NSIPS) — The following excerpts are drawn from a two-part article on the Institute for Policy Studies by David Kelley that appeared in the Aug. 23 and Aug. 30 issues of Barron's, the financial weekly of Dow Jones and Company.

Part I "For Socialist Alternatives"

Since the end of the Vietnam war, (the New Left's) attention has largely shifted to issues of the domestic economy. And the new society which the left envisions is being sought, not through confrontation or revolution, but through piecemeal changes in institutions. They are working within the system, often at the state and local level — in pursuit, apparently, not of communism or socialism, but of "alternatives."...

The movement has no head, but it does have a center: the Institute for Policy Studies, a Washington, D.C. research organization. The IPS serves as a source of funds, and a clearing-house of ideas, for a network of organizations across the country; it numbers many well-known academics among its friends and Fellows; it boasts frequent contact with the more liberal members of Congress....

Its purpose, according to an early brochure, (is) "to carry through on research on key problems of public policy and American civilization under conditions permitting close contact with the policy-making process." Among the latter was the fact that many at the Institute — including (IPS founder Marcus) Raskin, (IPS founder Richard) Barnet, Senior Fellow Arthur Waskow, and other Fellows — had served on Congressional and Executive staffs.... Raskin had served as aide to McGeorge Bundy on the staff of the National Security Council; Barnet had worked for the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament including (IPS founder Marcus) Raskin, (IPS founder Richard) Barnet, Senior Fellow Arthur Waskow, and other Fellows — had served on Congressional and Executive staffs.... Raskin had served as aide to McGeorge Bundy on the staff of the National Security Council; Barnet had worked for the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency; correspondingly, a heavy emphasis at IPS was defense policy and national security....

Waskow regularly took part in anti-war and other demon-

strations; he helped plan the demonstrations at the Democratic National Convention in 1968. When the "Chicago 7" were indicted for conspiring to riot, Institute members Raskin, Waskow, (Gar) Alperowitz, Paul Goodman, and Christopher Jencks joined the Committee to Defend the Conspiracy....

True, channels between the respectable and the violent Left remain open. For example, Tariq Ali is a Fellow of the Institute's overseas branch, the Transnational Institute; he is also a member of the United Secretariat of the Trotskyite Fourth International, which maintains contacts with terrorist groups worldwide. (An Argentine affiliate, the ERP, has committed a number of kidnappings and assassinations; Argentine police allege that \$100,000 from one ransom was given to Livio Maitan of the United Secretariat.)...

The Institute's theoretical products — made possible by grants from the Ford Foundation, the Stern Fund, DJB Foundation and others — are its most important tools for change....

The sins of technology, as they see it, are many. Most widely publicized is the claim that technology spawns massive pollution and wastes scarce natural resources... Behind these charges is another, more basic: that advanced technology is too complex for everyone to understand and make decisions about; it requires specialization.... Decentralization is seen as the only way to guarantee simpler technology and keep out large-scale industry...

The Institute has sought ways to strengthen local community government, and to expand its powers over local economic activity. Under the aegis of the Office of Economic Opportunity, the federal poverty program in the 1960s spawned the concept of community development corporations (CDCs). These are private, non-profit organizations, often led by radicals... CDCs have received millions in aid from OEO and Model Cities programs...

As another step against the corporation, Barnet recommends (in his book, *Global Strategy*) mandatory disclosure... And the Institute seconds the motions popularized by Ralph Nader, such as public and worker representation on corporate boards, and federal chartering of large companies....

Part II "Going Public — The New Left Plans Radical Switch In Control of Capital"

Last week, in the first half of this two-part article on the Institute for Policy Studies, some of the basic tenets of the Washington, D.C., research organization were spelled out, including a decentralized socialistic economic, small-scale technology and public allocation of capital. Another key element in this strategy for transforming society is the implementation of these ideas in experimental form at the local level....

The Institute's chief vehicle for involvement here is its Conference on Alternative State and Local Public Policies. The Conference is funded by IPS, and directed by IPS fellow Barbara Bick and Lee Webb, a former SDS National Council member....

At a recent (Conference) convention in Austin, Texas, speakers included (Colorado State Treasurer) Sam Brown, who is on the Conference's Steering Committee (he was also a member of the Democratic Platform Committee this year); Justin Ravitz, a Detroit municipal judge; Chet Atkins, Massachusetts State Senator; Tom Hayden, SDS founder and recent contender for the Democratic nomination for the Senate; and aides to Senator James Abourezk (D., S.D.) and Rep. Michael Harrington (D., Mass.)

What unites this motley group? According to a grant request from Lee Webb to IPS's Transnational Institute, the Conference is an organization of "populist" and "activist" public officials. "We are particularly interested in initiatives involving the control of capital, tax restructuring, and the control of government institutions themselves."...

As Derek Shearer (described the notion of a state bank) in a Conference pamphlet: "The basic thrust is to substitute public for private criteria in the investment of money...it would go far toward making government the equal rather than the handmaiden of the private sector."...

Still better suited to this end is the concept of the community or regional development bank... (Most recent in the series of such proposals) is a bill dropped in the hopper last month by Rep. Michael Harrington that would create up to 10 regional development banks, capitalized at \$1 billion each.)...

Meanwhile, back in Washington, the Institute for Policy Studies is working on the third of Raskin's vehicles for social change: the federal government.

One program now in the works is an entry in the health insurance sweepstakes...a model bill drafted by the Institute's Community Health Alternatives Project would create a complete government health system....

The proposed system is modelled on the public schools. At its heart is the Community Health Organization, a single health agency which would provide primary care to a community of 25,000 - 50,000. These organizations would be governed by health boards elected from the community....

The system would also take over all medical education. All "health workers" would be trained in schools run by the district boards, which would pay tuition and support...Curriculum in each school would be determined by the district board, which would be required to give priority to leading causes of illness in its district.

As for the future, the chief IPS program now in the works is an "alternative federal budget." Last year, at the request of 47 House Democrats, the Institute prepared a study of the President's 1976 budget....

The study seems to have found a receptive audience, since this year some 55 members of Congress have asked IPS to bring out not just a study, but a full-scale alternative budget which reflects the Institute's social philosophy. "I think that will have," Raskin says, "during the period of transition here in Washington, on the assumption that the Democrats win the election, really a powerful effect."

Wall St. Reactivates International Terrorist Scenarios

A Grid Of Developments: Aug.29-Sept.4

Sept. 5 (NSIPS) — Black propaganda stories, directed at conditioning the population of the United States and Western Europe for a possible new wave of Wall Street-ordered international terrorist incidents, were featured prominently this week in the Atlanticist press on both sides of the ocean. This marked a radical departure, particularly in the U.S., from what had been a nearly four week period of virtually no significant activation of the Rockefeller international terrorist machine — a stalemate brought about by the resounding defeat of the planned July Fourth terrorist extravaganza in the United States, and the quick response of the Third World, the Socialist sector and President Ford to the threat to national sovereignty represented by the Israeli commando raid on Entebbe Airport, Uganda, July 3.

The move by the Rockefeller forces this week, to activate the preparatory psychological warfare for a repeat of Entebbe, is a "divide and conquer" tactic directed at creating an artificial schism between the now united non-aligned and advanced sector forces and at guaranteeing that President Ford remains a captive of Rockefeller-dictated economic policies.

Aug. 31, NEW YORK TIMES: Front page reports of a race "riot" that took place in London at the site of a Caribbean

cultural festival. The riot was provoked by Scotland Yard when a flood of police were sent into the festival grounds in response to rumors that pick pockets were planning to raid the event. Significant reaction was drawn out from the predominantly Black West Indian crowd that approximately 300 police were reported to be injured. (The Institute for Policy Studies-controlled Institute for Race Relations published an editorial in its recent journal *Race and Class* warning of expected "fascist" racial violence throughout the British Isles.)

AUG.31, JIMMY CARTER: In a speech before the New York Board of Rabbis, Democratic Presidential nominee Carter came out in support of the Israeli commando action at Entebbe and stated that he would endorse this as a policy that the U.S. should adopt under certain circumstances. The same day, speaking before the American Jewish Committee in Los Angeles, Carter running mate Sen. Walter Mondale attacked President Ford for taking a "soft" line on international terrorism. Mondale called for the implementation of strong international sanctions against nations "harboring terrorists."

SEPT. 1, CORRIERE DELLA SERA: The Italian daily