

October 24, 1966

To: A.C. Barnett  
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IAU of P.R. Report for  
week of October 17, 1966

From: W. Wasson

### San Germán Friends of IAU

The San Germán Friends met Monday night, October 17. A working goal of \$100,000 was decided upon and it was agreed that the eight committee leaders will submit their pledge cards by Monday, October 24. Each member of the Committee, excluding the Chairman, submitted five names for team members for solicitation and recruitment.

### Board of Trustees

Dr. Rodríguez Quiñones has advised all members of the Board of Trustees of the action taken at the meeting of October 15 in regards to the Development Program and the Board working goal of \$500,000. As soon as possible, a meeting will be held in New York and in San Juan with the Board Solicitation Committee members to determine assignments. Mr. Beverley has assumed responsibility for recruiting initial leadership in the campaign organization and will advise this office when such action can be taken.

### President's Council

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~~Forty-one~~ individuals have accepted membership in the President's Council. Mr. Luis Ferré, Ponce industrialist, has agreed to chair the Steering Committee of the President's Council to meet November 4 in San Juan. The Steering Committee will present recommendations for Committee organizations and membership to a full Council meeting scheduled for December 6 in San Juan.



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### Alumni

Eight out of the ten areas now have directors selected by the Alumni Board. Ponce and San Juan municipalities have representatives and other municipal representatives are being recruited.

### Government Grants

Four applications for Title I grants are being prepared to be submitted immediately for the library, University School, Religious and Philosophy Departments, and faculty housing.

Seven applications for Title VI are being prepared for equipment of the University. These are matching grants.

A \$104,000 grant for a summer institute for teacher training under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act is being prepared for immediate submission.

### University School

Another meeting was held with Fomento officials and Dr. Hoxeng and University officials concerning financing of the University elementary and secondary school. Means of financing are being studied and another meeting is scheduled in the immediate future.

### Foundations

Mr. Witter has prepared a general file of Foundations with probable interest in the IAU Development Program. A list of some forty foundations was given to attending members of the Board of Trustees in the meeting of October 15 for evaluation and comment. These are to be returned in the immediate future. Approach to Foundations is now dependent upon information from the Board of Trustees and,



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most important, the printing of the annual report of the University. As soon as figures are available from the Business Office on financial data, the annual report can be processed.

**Publications and Publicity**

The Polygraph has been printed and will be distributed to all alumni, President's Council, Board of Trustees, faculty and members of the campaign voluntary organization.

The Profile copy will be submitted for Dr. Hoxeng's approval and will be printed as soon as such approval is obtained.

Front page publicity was obtained on recent seminar discussions given by Morales Carrión and Negrón López.

The sound slide presentation is being rewritten by the Public Relations Department and a shooting schedule is being prepared.

cc. Dr. Raymond B. Hoxeng  
Dr. José M. Rodríguez Quiñones  
Mr. Israel Planell  
Dr. Juan R. Meléndez  
Mr. Richard M. Witter