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Information on the contribution by universities and colleges to co-operative studies and research detailed in the *Society for Co-operative Studies Bulletin 3* (March 1968)

## Courses Completed or in Progress During Session 1967/68

### Midlands

*Birmingham University in association with Co-operative Union Section:* a course designed to show how economic and political analysis makes its contribution to management organisation and administration in retail trades for senior management.

*Leicester University in association with Co-operative Union Section:* a course on markets and marketing for senior management, including a group analysis of a society departmental store.

*Nottingham University in association with Co-operative Union Section:* under discussion, a course on economics of retailing and personnel aspects of retail management for senior management.

*Derby College of Technology in association with Derby and adjacent societies:* a course on food hall management for grocery branch managers.

### North

*Leeds University in association with Middlesbrough Society:* a three-year course on business efficiency with the accent on retail distribution for departmental managers and above.

*Durham University Business School in association with Stockton Society:* an 8-meeting course based on Harvard Business School Case Study method for departmental managers and above.

*Durham University Business School in association with Hartlepool Society:* a course is under discussion.

*Stockton/Billingham Technical College, Billingham, in association with Co-operative Union Section:* a course based on Co-operative Union Syllabus "Facing the Future", for society directors.

*Municipal College of Commerce, Newcastle, in association with Co-operative Union Section:* a course based on Co-operative Union syllabus "Facing the Future" for society directors.

### Yorkshire and Humberside

*Leeds University in association with Co-operative Union Section:* a study group (2nd year) analysing the problems in the development of a regional society for senior managers.

*Leeds University:* conference on the Industrial Training Act.

*Leeds College of Commerce in association with Co-operative Union Section:* a third year course (final year) leading to the Diploma in Management Studies for managers.

*Bradford University Business School in association with Co-operative Union Section:* a retail management forum for directors and senior managers.

*Bradford University Management Centre*: a series of seminars on retailing.

*Hull and Sheffield Universities in association with Co-operative Union Section*: discussions proceeding.

*Urwick, Orr & Partners Ltd. (management consultants) in association with Co-operative Union Section*: seminar in Leeds on "Making Training Pay" for chief executive officers.

### **North-West**

*Manchester University in association with Co-operative Union Section*: two courses and a workshop for senior officials.

### **Scotland**

*Dundee, Edinburgh and Glasgow universities in association with Co-operative Union Section*: courses on Co-operative Studies for society directors.

### **South**

*Oxford University in association with Co-operative Union Section*: a course on Co-operative Management for chief officials and departmental managers.

### **South-West**

*Plymouth College of Technology in association with Plymouth Society*: four seminars on marketing management for departmental managers.

## **Research in Progress**

### **Yorkshire and Humberside**

*Leeds University*: Level of decision-making in the board room, Mr. T. E. Stephenson.

### **North-West**

*Manchester University*: Business Ratios in Co-operative Societies. Mr. J. Roper.

The Co-operative Movement in Sweden. Dr. A. Wilson.

*Keele University*: Democratic Participation in a Co-operative Society. Mr. J. Whitfield.

### **Scotland**

*Heriot-Watt University*: Labour Relations in the Consumer Co-operative Movement. Mrs. J. Paterson.

*Strathclyde University*: Co-operative Accountancy. Mr. L. Oakes.

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