

# Current Co-operative Studies and Research

Information on the current contribution by Universities and Colleges to co-operative studies and research has been given in previous *Bulletins*. The following notes now give a comprehensive list for the session.

COURSES COMPLETED OR IN PROGRESS DURING SESSION 1971/72

## *Metropolitan and South*

ILEA College for the Distributive Trades: a five-day refresher course for managers.

## *North-West*

University of Manchester in association with Co-operative Union Section: a course on "Management in Retail Distribution" for senior officials.

Manchester University in association with Co-operative Union Section: a course for directors on Regionalisation and Integration of Co-operative Societies in Britain and Europe.

## *Yorkshire and Humberside*

Leeds University in association with Co-operative Union Section: this continuing course is now covering decision making areas in management, with particular reference being made to the making of decisions in large organisations.

## *Scotland*

University of Glasgow Extra-Mural Department in association with Co-operative Union Section: courses for board members in the Glasgow, Motherwell and Stirling Districts.

Under discussion: courses for board members in the Falkirk and Ayrshire Districts.

Glasgow University Extra-Mural Department in association with Co-operative Union Section: a six week course for senior officials at Kilmarnock Technical College.

Under discussion: courses for board members in the Borders, East of Scotland, Fife, Glasgow and District, Forfar, and North-East.

## **Research in Progress**

### *Yorkshire and Humberside*

Leeds University: Level of Decision-making in the Board Room, Mr. T. E. Stephenson.

Role of the Chief Executive Officer, Mr. T. E. Stephenson.

Problems arising in the emergence of supra-regional societies. Mr. T. E. Stephenson.

### *North-West*

Manchester University: The Co-operative Movement in Sweden. Dr. A. Wilson.

The Degree of Member Participation in West European Co-operative Movements, Mr. D. Smythe.

Information about research and courses in progress or in prospect will be welcomed and should be sent to the Secretary, Society for Co-operative Studies, Stanford Hall, Loughborough, Leicestershire.