

**SOCIAL PROBLEMS FORUM**

**2009-2010 REPORT TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS;  
EDITORIAL AND PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE; AND THE  
BUDGET, FINANCE, AND AUDIT COMMITTEE**

Over the past year, *Social Problems Forum* has continued to present and report the business of the *Society for the Study of Social Problems*. In addition to announcements and reports on *Society* business, the following special features appeared:

Five essays

Four book reviews

Two student columns

Three Board of Directors open letters

The content of these materials ranged from relief efforts following the earthquake in Haiti, to articles on the undemocratic practices of Tea Party adherents.

This past year also saw a change in editorship of *SPF*. Volume 40, number 3, and Volume 41, number 1, were edited by Ken Kyle, while Volume 41, number 2, was co-edited by Stephen Couch and Anne Mercuri. As of this writing, a search is underway for a new editor for *SPF*, whose term will begin with the Winter 2011 issue.

Respectfully Submitted,

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**PROPOSED BUDGET, 2010-2011**

**Society for the Study of Social Problems contributions**

\$12,000 for release time

\$500 honorarium

**Home institution contribution**

Miscellaneous expenses: office space, telephone, copying, printing, postage