# New Board of Directors

#### **MORTON BERKOWITZ**



his B.A. from Hunter College in the Bronx in 1961, a political science major. His minor was history. Serving as president of his class during his junior and senior years, he was elected to membership

Morty received

in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, and was voted the outstanding senior of 1961.

Following graduation Morty attended the Fordham University School of Law where he has just been awarded his LL.B. degree.

It is his plan to teach political science at the college level, while working toward Master's and Doctoral degrees in political science.

He has served the Association as a member of the Executive Council and the Professional Groups and Career Planning Conferences Committee, and as chairman of the Free Tuition Committee.

#### LORRAINE WOODS COSTELLO



School Mathematics teacher in New Jersey.

Since graduation Lorraine has been active in the affairs of the Association, having served as a member of the Executive Council for eight years, and as secretary and now president of the Bronx Chapter. The Chapter recently named her as one of its five most outstanding members.

Lorraine is a trustee of the Paramus N.J. Public Library, secretary of the Board of Trustees, and director of the Borough's Home Library Service.

Paramus is home to Lorraine, her husband and daughter.



Gertrude entered Normal College after graduation from Ethical Culture High School. With zeal she plunged into her studies and all college activitiessports, college publications, clubs, and student government.

"Soon it will be fifty years," she says, since she started on her long cherished dream of teaching. Retired now, she works in her husband's office.

And all of this time Gertrude has been an active Alumna, serving on committees, holding office and a directorship. She was a founder and officer of the Westchester Chapter and an officer of her Class of 1916.

She feels that her extracurricular undergraduate activities and her Hunter education prepared her to take part in community and professional work.

The Hanauers live in Manhattan,

#### **CATHERINE F, O'HARA**

Catherine (February '17) was class president in college and has remained so up to the present. Catherine served in the New York City high schools as teacher and chairman of a Department of English, retiring in

1959. During this time she was president of the Association of Chairmen of English and vice-president of the School and College Conference on English.

Since graduation she has participated in Alumni activities as class representative to the Executive Council and as director. From 1961 to June, 1965 she served as vice-president and president of our Scholarship and Welfare Fund. At present she is on the Steering Committee of the Centennial Fund.

Catherine lives in Manhattan.





Ever since February, 1915 when she entered Hunter College High School, Beatrice has been active in the academic and extracurricular life of Hunter. She received her B.A. degree summa cum laude in 1922.

After three years of teaching in elementary school, Bea became an instructor in languages, Spanish, French, German, and English, in the high schools, continuing until her retirement in 1962.

She has represented her class on the Executive Council of the Association for many years and has also served on the Lenox Hill Settlement House Committee. Bea has also given service to the Association as assistant corresponding secretary, corresponding secretary, third and second vice-president, and as chairman of chapters.

She and her husband live in Manhattan.

ETHEL GARFUNKEL BERL

Association; has secured scholarships

from foundations for Hunter students.

appearing on television recently for the

Susan Wagner Scholarship Fund, estab-

lished by Harry Brandt; and co-chaired,

with Miriam F. Larus, several fund-rais-

ing functions for the Scholarship and Wel-

Ethel has been executive secretary of

the George N. Shuster Faculty Fellowship

Fund; chairman of a reception to honor

Dr. Joseph G. Cohen, retiring Dean of

the Teacher Education Program in the

Municipal Colleges; and vice-president

and chairman of the Organization Com-

mittee of the Hunter College Opera As-

Ethel lives in Manhattan.

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sociation.

Ethel, who re-

ceived her B.A. in

1927, is now Pro-

fessor of Education

at the College, a

certified psycholo-

gist, and a consult-

ing psychologist for

College and Career

Consultants, Inc. (a

community organi-

zation assisting un-

## MARY STRAWGATE EPSTEIN

Hunter when her son was five and her daughter less than a year old. At the time she was the only married student with children at the College. She was a member of Phi Sigma, the Honorary Biology

She has served on the Board of Directors of the Scholarship and Welfare Fund and the American-European Friendship

Since her retirement, Mary has been active in the American Jewish Congress and the National Council of Jewish Women. She has been a faithful member of the Birthday Luncheon and Thrift Shop Committees of the Association. Mary makes her home in Manhattan.

# FRANCES SCHONFELD GROSSMAN

Frances is a member of this year's sixtieth anniversary class and serves as its president.

She has a long history of participation in varied community activities. During World War II she devel-

FLORENCE BLOCH



in Latin. While an undergraduate, she was a member of the German and Classical Clubs, and served as president of the latter. She was also elected to the German and

Florence Bloch

'36 majored in Ger-

man and minored

Classics honorary societies. In June 1938 she received her M.A. in German from Hunter, writing her thesis on a subject that involved both German and Latin.

In September 1936 Florence joined the Administrative Staff of Hunter, serving as secretary of the Departments of German and Classics, until October 1963, when she became secretary to the Chancellor of the City University. Currently Florence is secretary to the Doctoral Program in Political Science at the City University.

Florence is a native New Yorker and lives in Manhattan.

# **EVELYN SHUB DAVIDSON**



graduation, she worked as a laboratory technician.

After the birth of the second of her three children, Evelyn returned to Hunter at night to take pedagogy courses and subsequently enrolled under the fifth year plan in education.

Evelyn has served as president of both the Bronx Chapter of the Association and of the Westchester Chapter. She is also a member of the Board of Directors of the Scholarship and Welfare Fund.

A native of Paducah, Kentucky, Evelyn now lives with her family in New Rochelle where she teaches the third grade.



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#### **RICHARD H. BOROW**

Among his many awards at graduation in 1956 from Hunter College in the Bronx Richard won honors in Economics, the Phi Sigma Prize for excellence in the social sciences, and six varsity letters.

He received his



LL.B. in 1959 from the Columbia University School of Law, where he served as a member of the Board of Editors of the Columbia Law Review.

Richard is a member of the Committee on Arbitration and Conciliation of the New York County Lawyers Association, also of the Committees on Arbitration and on the Labor Law and Social Security of the Bronx County Bar Association.

He is married to Trudy Speiser '58. With their three children, the Borows live at Rochdale Village, Queens, N.Y. where Richard is president of the Rochdale Coop Federal Credit Union.

Mary entered



Society, and was graduated magna cum laude in 1925. From 1928 until her retirement in 1959 she was a member of the College faculty.



oped a health program for war plants. She has served as a speaker for the Greater New York Fund and has conducted an adult education program under the auspices of the Board of Education.

Frances' current pet project is our Thrift Shop and she says she would rather talk about the Shop than about herself so please see page 10.

Frances lives in Manhattan

### **RUTH ULMAN**

Ruth was introduced to Hunter when she attended High School. She received her B.A. in 1944, having maiored in English. She has an M.A. in English literature from Columbia and has attended the Columbia



School of Library Service.

An assistant editor in the General Publications Department of the H. W. Wilson Company, Ruth also handles technical production of reference works, library textbooks and teaching aids, professional library material, bibliographic tools, and illustrated biographies of authors and composers.

She was editor of University Debaters' Annual and assistant editor of Good Reading (Mentor, 1964), an annotated list of books representing various fields of knowledge and literary types.

Ruth has served as her class representative on the Executive Council of the Association and has been a member of a number of committees including the Committee on Chapters and the Luncheon and Hospitality Committees.

She lives in Manhattan.

#### HERTHA DREHER WINSCH

Hunter and Hertha became acquainted via the Hunter College High School route. She received her B.A. in 1928. Later, at Columbia, she became an M.A.

Her connection with Staten Island began after gradu-



ation from Hunter, when she was appointed to the elementary school division there. Subsequently, she was appointed to teach biology in the high school division.

She joined the staff of New Dorp High School, Staten Island, upon its inception. In addition to teaching biology, she is faculty adviser of Arista, the honor society.

Hertha has always been active in the Staten Island Chapter and is now its president.

#### **CELIA DAVINSKY ZANGER**



Ever since her graduation from Hunter in 1922 Celia has rendered many and diverse services to the College and the Alumni Association. Among the Association activities in which she has participated, she has

saw.

been working as a member of the Executive Council, as a member of the Board of Directors, and as treasurer.

A retired teacher of the New York City school system, Celia is deeply interested in the advancement of education. She deems her major extracurricular activity her close connection with the Scholarship and Welfare Fund, serving both as chairman of the Grants Committee and as vicepresident.

Celia takes special pride in the fact that the class of which she is president (June 1922-January 1923) has established three permanent scholarships and is well on the way toward completion of a fourth. Four members of her class have donated individual scholarships. "This," she says, "is our way of expressing appreciation for what Hunter has meant to us."

Celia and her husband are Manhattan residents.

member of a girl barber shop quartet. She lives in the Bronx with her husband and two daughters.

#### **BETTY D. FOX**



serving as chairman of many committees including the Staff-Student Relations Committee: Sing workshop: senior presentation, "Labor Pains"; and the "Follies" when they had a live horse onstage. She also served as president of the Physiology Club.

Following graduation in 1954 Betty concurrently worked as a Social Investigator for the Department of Welfare and attended N.Y.U., earning her M.A. in sociology. She has published her thesis, Role Over-Validation. She is now research manager of a national multimedia business complex.

Last year Betty served as a member of the Professional Groups and Career Planning Conferences Committee and is now chairman of that committee.

During the years Betty has acquired a taste for country-living-in-Manhattan, and in the warm weather she is out barbecuing and watering down her vard and/or her two Welsh terriers, Flower and Geranium

#### ANNE SHEEHAN DUNN



A member of the first class to be graduated from the Bronx Campus, Anne received her B.A. in 1955. Active in the Bronx Campus Section of the Association since its inception in May 1961, she served for three

years as its corresponding secretary. Anne has also served on the Thrift Shop Committee, arranging pick-ups and deliveries for residents of the Bronx.

Anne is now employed as a secretary on the administrative staff at New York University. For many years her favorite form of relaxation has been choral singing. Recently she became the baritone

# VIRGINIA LEE LAUGHLIN

Virginia was graduated in 1960 from the Bronx Campus of Hunter, where, during her senior year, she served as president of the Student Self-Government Association. Her major subject had been statistics; her minor, sociology.

After graduation, while attending Teachers College, she worked for three years as Statistician and Technical Assistant to the Deans at the Columbia University School of Social Work. In 1963 she received her M.A. in Student Personnel Administration in Higher Education. She is now serving as Counselor for Student

Activities in the Office of the Dean of Students on the Bronx Campus.

Virginia has been actively involved with the Bronx Campus Section of the Association, and has held several offices: vicepresident, treasurer, recording secretary and membership chairman. She has been class representative to the Executive Council of the Association.

Virginia and her husband live six blocks from the Bronx Campus.

#### **RUBIE SAUNDERS**

known since high school days that she wanted to work in some area of publishing. Upon graduation in 1950, therefore, this journalism major went to work as an editorial secretary at Parents' Magazine

Enterprises. She has remained with the organization as editorial assistant, as assistant editor of Children's Digest, and now as editor of Calling All Girls. Although her job involves a great deal of reading, curling up with a book remains her favorite pastime.

Rubie is on the Board of Directors of the Alpha Chapter of Delta Pi, Hunter's first interracial, non-sectarian sorority, and is a member of the Centennial Fund Committee.

She lives in Brooklyn.

#### ELI A. SCHWARTZ

Eli graduated magna cum laude in 1959 with departmental honors in International Affairs. During his undergraduate days he was an active participant in the International Relations Club, intramural athletics,

and as manager of the varsity baseball team.

Awarded Woodrow Wilson and Princeton University Fellowships, he did graduate work in Politics at Princeton; and in Finance at New York University. Eli is now employed as associate economist for a prominent investment counseling firm.

He has been serving the Association as a member of the Centennial Fund Committee, the Constitutional Revision Committee, the Investments Committee, and the Bronx Campus Section.



A native New Yorker, Eli lives in Oueens with his mother and his sister, Toby, who is about to enter her third year at Hunter.

#### VIRGINIA STAUDT SEXTON



Her college teaching career, begun at Notre Dame Col-

lege of Staten Island in 1944, followed service in elementary and secondary schools, and in the New York City Department of Welfare. After receiving a Ford Foundation Fellowship for research at New York State Psychiatric Institute and Columbia University, she joined the Hunter faculty in 1953. Her present rank is Associate Professor of Psychology. She has written Catholics in Psychology: an Historical Survey, and some fifty articles on psychology which have been published in various books and journals. She holds office as Vice Chairman, Psychology, New York Academy of Sciences; and as President, American Catholic Psychological Association.

Her home is in Forest Hills. Florence C. Staudt, her sister, is also a Hunter Alumna.

#### **ELIZABETH VERA LOEB STERN**



ber of the Department of Speech and Theatre at Hunter, Vera includes among her numerous affiliations the Speech Association of America, the Modern Language Association and the Linguistic Society

of America.

Vera was co-founder and co-chairman of the Hunter College Chapter of the National Conference of Christians and Jews. Twice she served as president of the College Chapter of the American Association of University Professors and twice as president of the College Faculty Club. She is a charter member of the New York

Chapter of the American Institute of Parliamentarians.

Association and was chairman of the com-

Laws.

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Currently she is an assistant to the director of the New York Federation of Reform Synagogues. Vera and her husband live in Manhat-



At the Hotel Roosevelt on a lovely after-

fore 2:00 P.M., the announced time for the start of the Reunion. More than 140 persons were in the room when the program began.

Anne Trinsey, president of the Associaand introduced the guest of honor-the first "lady President" of the College, even though in a temporary capacity-Dean of Faculties Mary Latimer Gambrell. Dean Gambrell spoke of some of her duties in latest activities of departments of the Col-Prom which had been held the evening before. She expressed thanks to the Asto the College and wished us continued success.

Dean Kathryn F. Hopwood, Dean of Students at Park Avenue, spoke of the contributions to students by the Association and by the Scholarship and Welfare Fund. Professor Ruth Weintraub, Director of Graduate Studies at the College, also greeted all present. With us too was Dean of Administration James R. Meehan. Entertainment was supplied by folksinger Lois Raebeck who presented a program of songs from many nations. Her lovely voice and manner charmed us all. Our team of hostesses helped to keep everyone happy. I wish to express thanks to each of them and to the office staff who accepted and sold tickets at the door.

Fanny Casher, Madeline Fellerman, Betty Fox, Florence Greenhut, Frances Grossman, Lenore Meyer, Ray Nussbaum, Catherine O'Hara, Lucy Perry, Clara Reid, Sadie Singer, Helen Taffel, Ruth Ulman, and Beatrice Weinberg.

> Meta Aronson Schechter '12 Chairman, Spring Reunion



Vera serves as parliamentarian for the mittee which prepared our new set of By

noon, Saturday, May 8, in the Terrace Room with its adjoining spacious lounge, the Association held its Spring Reunion. Alumni started arriving early, well be-

tion, greeted and welcomed all present the absence of President Meng, of the lege, and of the exemplary behavior of the students at the Bronx Campus Senior sociation for its interest in and assistance

The hostesses were: Beatrice Broido,

# Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee invites all active members to submit suggestions for each of the posts to be filled at the next annual election.

Nominations are in order for the following:

Nine officers-President; First, Second, Third and Fourth Vice-Presidents; Secretary and Assistant Secretary; Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer. No officer shall hold more than one office at any one time, nor is eligible for two complete consecutive terms in the same office.

Board of Directors: Seven Directorsno director may serve consecutively for more than two complete terms.

Candidates for officer or director shall have been active (dues paying) members of the Association for at least three consecutive fiscal years immediately prior to their election, the third year being the one ending May, 1966.

Suggestions for names of Alumni to fill these positions are earnestly solicited. Please give an account of the person's qualifications. These may be sent, not later than December 1, 1965 to the chairman:

> Betty D. Fox 55 East 9 Street New York, N.Y. 10003

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