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Report of the Director

SRL did not escape the effects of the economic downturn that plagued the University of Illinois and our State during the past year. This adversity, however, did not dampen our enthusiasm for our work nor the productivity of our staff. This report chronicles SRL’s performance during this difficult economic period and documents our service to the University and to the citizens of Illinois. Our staff have much about which to be proud.

During this fiscal year, twenty-six new grants and contracts were awarded to SRL. In addition, a total of 58 research projects were active at one time or another during the year, along with 23 smaller service projects. Looking toward our future, SRL also submitted 59 formal research proposals.

Some individual accomplishments are also noteworthy. Jennifer Parsons was promoted to Associate Director for Research Programs. Jennifer’s hard work, professional example, and dedication to SRL are all widely recognized and respected. Sharon Shavitt, SRL Research Professor and Professor of Business Administration at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, was named the newest Investors in Business Education (IBE) Distinguished Professor. Her appointment was made based on her record of significant and distinguished contributions and clear prospects of continuing at that level. Of course, we are very proud to have professionals such as Jennifer and Sharon associated with SRL.

Many other SRL staff also had a productive year. In total, our staff made 53 professional presentations this year, the most in our history. Twenty-six of these were at professional conferences. Most noteworthy were ten papers presented at the annual meeting of the American Association for Public Opinion Research, held in Nashville in May 2003. Several of these conference papers are now...
available on SRL’s Web site. Twenty-seven additional presentations were made by SRL staff to on- and off-campus audiences. These included SRL’s free methodology workshops, held on both the Chicago and Urbana-Champaign campuses. This year, a total of 125 individuals registered for one or more of these workshops, and attendees represented 57 different University units. On a personal note, I was invited to give a series of lectures on various aspects of survey methodology in the Dominican Republic this year. Further, a total of 18 peer-reviewed articles were published and 11 research reports were released by SRL staff.

Two doctoral students on the Urbana-Champaign campus were awarded the Ferber and Sudman dissertation awards during ceremonies held in April 2003. Leo Zulu of the Department of Geography received the Ferber Award for his dissertation proposal Re-scaling Conservation: The Political Ecology of Community-Based Forest Management in Southern Malawi. Reeshad Dalal (Department of Psychology) received the Sudman Award for his proposal Meta-analytic and Experience-Sampling Investigations into the Structure of Behavior at Work. These scholars are the second annual recipients of these prestigious awards.

Along with our colleagues in the Public Administration Program, Allyson Holbrook and I participated in the development of nine new courses in survey research methodology that were approved at the campus level in April 2003. These courses will be offered for the first time in the fall of 2003 and will be taught primarily by SRL-affiliated faculty.

Several important technical upgrades to SRL’s computer system were addressed during this past year. The SRL Intranet Web server received both hardware and software upgrades. SRL staff can now use this server to access our internal resources more efficiently. This server also was reconfigured to permit secured logon for SRL staff through the Internet to allow them access to their e-mail when away from the office. We also completed development of an SRL Project History Tracking System, which allows us to retrieve and analyze historical information by viewing a set of customized reports. Some of these data date back to 1985. Our Laptop Computer Control system was extended to cover all SRL sections involved in the development and maintenance of computerized interview systems. This program enables us to better maintain inventory control of our highly mobile computer resources.

Most of these accomplishments are chronicled in more detail on the following pages.

Looking ahead to the new year, there are several goals that we plan to pursue. The first involves continuing initiatives to improve the quality and efficiency of our survey operations. Response rates continue to decline nationally, particularly in urban areas where SRL does most of its work. Virtually all efforts to improve response rates involve additional costs and human subjects issues. We will continue experimenting with new approaches to quality improvement on a project-by-project basis.

A second set of goals will involve continued development of a graduate training program in survey research methods in
collaboration with colleagues in Public Administration, Public Health, and Sociology at UIC. Once up and running, our hope is to expand the program so that it is available to students on both campuses.

We also will continue to develop additional ties and relationships with academic and other research units within the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs (CUPPA). Currently, SRL collaborates with CUPPA faculty via guest class lectures and consulting and through the development of research proposals and publications. We also will explore other opportunities for closer collaboration with faculty and for other mechanisms by which we can work more closely with other research units within the College.

A final set of goals involves preparations for the celebration of SRL’s 40th anniversary in September 2004. SRL’s two faculty advisory committees have provided unique sets of recommendations for the specific form of celebration that should be planned for each campus. Planning groups currently are beginning year-long assignments to work on these various plans. As this year’s accomplishments suggest, there will be much to celebrate.

Respectfully submitted,

Timothy P. Johnson

SRL Studies

At any one time, the Survey Research Laboratory is involved in between 50 to 100 studies, ranging from small, short-term service projects to large, multi-year studies. These studies encompass a broad array of substantive issues in a wide variety of topical areas. This section presents brief summaries of the 58 new and continuing studies that were active during 2002–2003, a table of the affiliations of these studies’ sponsors (see Table 1 on page 21), and a table of the 23 service projects active during this period (see Table 2 on page 22).

New Studies

From July 1, 2002, through July 30, 2003, SRL staff and clients initiated 25 new studies, all of which are described below. Of these, fifteen were for University of Illinois clients (Chicago and Urbana-Champaign campuses), two were for government agencies, one was for a client at another academic institution, and seven were for other organizations. For information on those studies that were direct awards to SRL staff as principal investigators, see the Grants and Contracts listings in the Staff Activities section.

Homeland Security Data Entry. On behalf of the National League of Cities, SRL entered the data provided by 891 respondents to a survey on issues related to Homeland Security. The questionnaire asked about the level of concern about various terrorist attacks, what facilities and infrastructure need to be secured and protected, collaboration and coordination across levels of government and city departments, economic impacts on public safety after September 11, and future needs for Homeland Security. Principal Investigator: Christopher Hoene (National League of Cities). Study 927.

Cultural Orientation and Survey Responding. This study examined the role of collectivist and individualist values in prompting socially desirable responding among U.S. survey participants. Findings indicate that both
collectivists and individualists engage in socially desirable responding, albeit in distinct ways. Collectivists engage in impression management (dissimulation to avoid the appearance of violating norms), whereas individualists engage in self-deceptive enhancement (holding and reporting unrealistically positive impressions of the self). Future survey research will be conducted in different priming contexts to test whether contexts that influence the salience of collectivist and individualist values affect the measurement error resulting from such socially desirable response styles. Results have implications for improving the quality of data obtained from samples with different cultural orientations, especially when survey questions ask for sensitive information. Principal Investigator: Sharon Shavitt (Department of Business Administration, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign/SRL). Study 928.

National Crime Lab Survey. SRL is conducting a mail survey of crime laboratories to determine future funding and resources. The questionnaire asks about administrative personnel, procedures followed, and level of work performance. Data collection will begin in July. Principal Investigator: Joseph Peterson (Department of Criminal Justice, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 930.

Helping Young Smokers Quit. In Phase 1 of this two-part study, SRL is conducting snowball sampling in 408 randomly selected U.S. counties to identify the administrators of eligible teen tobacco cessation programs for a 45-minute telephone interview. Interviewing began in October 2002. These data will be used to identify 40 to 50 programs for in-depth evaluations during Phase 2. Principal Investigator: Susan Curry (Health Research and Policy Centers, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 931.

Sexual Identity and Drinking: Longitudinal Follow-Up. SRL is assisting in the programming of questionnaires to be administered to 450 lesbians in Chicago via computer-assisted face-to-face interviews. SRL also will prepare final data sets following both of two waves of follow-up interviews. The research is expected to provide valuable information about drinking patterns among lesbians. Principal Investigator: Tonda Hughes (School of Nursing, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 932.

Well-Being of Illinois Children in Substitute Care. To determine the well-being of children in foster care in Illinois, SRL is interviewing 546 foster parents and 546 Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS)

caseworkers by phone. Face-to-face interviews will be conducted with 74 foster parents and 168 foster children. Principal Investigator: Mark Testa (DCFS). Study 933.

Conscientiousness and Health Behaviors. Funded by the National Institute on Aging, this five-year panel study is examining the link between conscientiousness and health behaviors, such as smoking, drinking, drug use, and exercise. Face-to-face interviews will be conducted with adults age 20–60 across Illinois. Principal Investigator: Brent Roberts (Department of Psychology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). Study 934.

Technical Assistance for Mental Health Services Research. SRL's work in this project involves programming a questionnaire, training mentally ill women to administer the questionnaire, and processing the collected data. Principal Investigator: Susan Pickett (Mental Health Services Research, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 935.

National Survey of Sexual Harassment and Alcohol Use. This nationwide random-digit-dial study will survey 2,500 adults who have worked at least twenty hours per week at some point in the last six months. The study's purpose is to gather information on sexual harassment at work, use of health/mental health services, and alcohol use. Baseline interviews are expected to begin in August 2003, and SRL will conduct six- and twelve-month follow-up interviews with respondents. Principal Investigator: Kathleen Rospenda (Department of Psychiatry, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 936.

Hope VI Panel Study Tracking. The purpose of this study is to track residents of Chicago's Ida Wells public housing project who could be relocated but leave public housing or do not qualify for replacement housing. From December 2002 to April 2003, SRL conducted baseline face-to-face interviews with approximately 700 residents and 300 squatters. Follow-up interviews will be conducted in 2004. Principal Investigator: Susan Popkin (The Urban Institute). Study 937.

Neighborhood Violence Evaluation: Youth, Wave 2. SRL is conducting in-person interviews with 50 youth age 15–22 in each of five Chicago neighborhoods (Austin, Logan Square, Southwest Cluster, South Chicago, and the 11th District) about neighborhood and domestic violence. Youth are being interviewed on-site at one or two specific agencies in each neighborhood. Interviews began in June and are expected to be complete in August. In Wave 1 (SRL Study 839), SRL interviewed 214 youth in the
targeted communities. **Principal Investigators:** Gary Slutkin and Elena Quintana (Chicago Project for Violence Prevention, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 939.

**Administration**

The administrative office of SRL is responsible for the fiscal activities of the department. Its responsibilities include:

- The management of grant and contract accounts;
- Processing of employment paperwork;
- Payroll submission and distribution;
- Processing of bi-weekly cost reports;
- Reconciliation of monthly financial reports;
- Processing, review, and submission of proposal budgets; and
- Addressing and assisting staff with resolving any matters related to affirmative action.

Despite the cut to SRL’s state funding in FY03, we still ended the fiscal year with a positive balance.

From July 1, 2002, through June 30, 2003, SRL Accounting assigned 62 pending numbers to new project development work, and 26 active number assignments were given to newly-awarded contracts and grants. Fourteen service projects were assigned during the same period.

The UI-Integrate Finance and Student Systems went “live” on July 1, 2003, presenting us with the challenge of working with the UI-Integrate team to establish an interface with the new system. An interface is needed to allow for the significant volume of financial transactions created bi-weekly by data stored in our departmental systems. When UI-Integrate went “live,” SRL had to start manually entering the transactions. This process is extremely labor intensive and, as a manual process, subject to potential data entry errors. We hope to work with the UI-Integrate team very soon to create the interface.

In fiscal year 2004, SRL Accounting will begin training for the UI-Integrate Human Resource component that is scheduled to become active in January 2004. This component will replace many, if not all, of the systems we currently use for Human Resource processing.

Also in the coming year, we will be working with the SRL Office of Computing Services to develop a new program that will allow staff to access their benefits reports directly (e.g., vacation and sick time). We look forward to this change.

**SECTION REPORT**

**2002–2003 Annual Report**

**Latino Gay Male Study.** For this face-to-face study of Latino gay men in San Francisco and Chicago, SRL is assisting in questionnaire programming, interviewer training, and preparation of a final dataset. To date, SRL has programmed the pretest questionnaire and trained interviewers in its administration, and pretest interviews are underway. **Principal Investigator:** Jesus Ramirez-Vallas (Department of Community Health Sciences, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 940.

**University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) Annual Faculty Retention Survey, 2002.** In fall 2002, SRL mailed questionnaires to faculty who recently left UIC to determine their reasons for leaving. **Study 941.**

**Chicago Public Schools Asset Management Program.** This mail survey, which was fielded in winter 2002, sought to gather information on certain building services provided to Chicago Public Schools through the Department of Operations. Completed questionnaires were returned by 259 schools. **Principal Investigator:** Paula McCabe (Chicago Public Schools). **Study 942.**

**Evaluation of Hospital Choice and Use Among African Americans.** The purpose of this study is to identify the reasons that underlie the hospital preferences of a sample of African Americans living in a small community served by two regional medical facilities. Historically, it has been said that minorities in the area favor one of the two hospitals over the other. Therefore, another goal of the study is to discover what, if any, factors contribute to the perception that one facility maintains an atmosphere that is more user-friendly and welcoming of minorities than the other. Focus groups have been completed, and participants were asked to discuss what influences their hospital preferences and what characteristics make a medical facility inviting. The results are being used to develop a short paper-and-pencil questionnaire that will address these same issues, which will be administered to social service and community agencies and neighborhood health clinics in the area. **Principal Investigator:** Robert Cranston (Carle Foundation Hospital). **Study 943.**

**State of America’s Cities Survey.** On behalf of the National League of Cities, SRL entered the data provided by the 329 respondents to this study of city economic conditions. Questionnaire topics included changes in revenue collection, increased/decreased expenditures, fiscal actions taken, layoffs of city staff, additional expenditures for Homeland Security, changes in state aid to the city, spending on capital projects, and short-term borrowing by the

Survey of Health Behaviors in Greater Lawn, 2003. This telephone study, which is being funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, will gather information on the health behaviors of 350 residents of the Chicago Greater Lawn community and 200 residents of a control community in Aurora, Illinois. Questions will address smoking, diabetes, health care access, nutrition, and physical activity, and data collection is scheduled to begin in July. SRL conducted a similar study in 2001 (Study 842). Principal Investigator: Susan Levy (Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Center, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 945.

Chicago Alternative Policing Strategy (CAPS) 2003 Survey. CAPS, which is Chicago’s community policing program, was instituted citywide in 1995. This random-digit-dial survey of city residents was part of an ongoing evaluation of the program that is examining Chicago’s progress in implementing selected components of the program and monitoring trends in public assessments of the quality of police service in Chicago. During March–June 2003, SRL interviewed approximately 2,800 English- and Spanish-speaking residents about crime and safety in their neighborhoods and their opinions of the Chicago Police Department. Households for which an address was available were mailed advance letters. The Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority funded the study. Principal Investigator: Wes Skogan (Northwestern University). Study 946.

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC) Sports Survey, 2003. This mail survey of 1,000 UIUC students will assess student interest in a variety of on-campus sport opportunities. Study 947.

Smoking Cessation Processes Data Analysis. This study is examining how a number of factors contribute to smoking cessation among women of childbearing age and of low socioeconomic status. These factors include cognitive factors, exposure to organized smoking cessation interventions, changes in pregnancy status, and socioeconomic status conditions. The study is relying upon existing data from two panel studies, which are being supplemented by information about the socioeconomic characteristics of the community area in which each respondent resides. Principal Investigator: Clara Manfredi (Health Research and Policy Centers, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago), Co-investigators: Kathleen Crittenden (Department of Sociology, UIC), Young Ik Cho (SRL), and Richard B. Warnecke (Center for Health Services Research/Division of Population, Cancer Center/SRL). Study 948.

Physical Activity Programs for Older Adults. This face-to-face study is part of a larger project that is seeking to identify the three best community-based physical activity programs for those age 55 and older. SRL’s role is to conduct baseline, six-month follow-up, and twelve-month follow-up interviews with participants of three physical activity programs. Each questionnaire will include several physical activity measures, allowing an assessment of changes in respondents’ physical fitness over the study period. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation is funding the project. Principal Investigator: Susan Hughes (Center for Research on Health and Aging, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 949.

Evaluation of RealBenefits Program. RealBenefits is a Web-based information service that enables those working with low-income families to analyze and calculate eligibility for multiple public benefit programs in a single session, generate completed applications and electronically file them for certain programs, and provide comprehensive, updated program descriptions. For this project, SRL is developing an evaluation plan for the Illinois RealBenefits demonstration program and will conduct the evaluation. Further, SRL is conducting focus groups with staff of both agencies currently using RealBenefits and agencies not using the service. Principal Investigator: Enrique Balaguier (Community Catalyst, Inc.). Study 950.

Health Needs of Jewish Households. This face-to-face study is similar to Study 912 (see Continuing Studies section), except that interviews will be conducted with Jewish adults living in West Rogers Park in Chicago. SRL will collect data on social and environmental health factors, such as nutrition and alcohol use, and the prevalence of a variety of conditions, such as asthma and diabetes. As with Study 912, for each household, there may be two interviews conducted: the first will be with a randomly selected adult, while the second will be conducted only if there are children 12 or younger in the household. If so, SRL will interview the adult in the household who knows the most about the health care of a randomly selected child. Principal Investigator: Joel Carp (Jewish Federation). Study 951.

Chicago United Diversity Survey, 2003. This is the third mail survey of top Chicago corporations aimed at determining the amount of racial and ethnic
diversity that exists at the companies’ highest levels. Data collection will begin in the winter, and SRL will analyze the data and prepare a report of the findings. Study 952.

Illinois Smokers Survey. 2003. As was the case with Study 924 (see Continuing Studies section), this telephone study will evaluate the effectiveness of the American Lung Association’s Illinois Tobacco Quitline, which is staffed by health professionals and provides information on a variety of smoking-related issues. Respondents, all of whom will be previous Quitline callers, will be asked about the Quitline overall, the counselors, the materials, and their own smoking behaviors. Principal Investigator: Thomas O’Rourke (Department of Community Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). Study 953.

CONTINUING STUDIES


Testing the Impact of Incentives on Compliance with Drug Testing. This study sought to evaluate the feasibility and utility of three different types of biological measurement procedures (hair, saliva, and urine testing) that were used as an adjunct to a household survey on drug abuse. Also, respondents were randomly assigned to either a high incentive ($20) or low incentive ($10) condition to determine if size of incentive influences willingness to participate in drug testing. Audio computer-assisted self-interviews with Chicago-area English-speaking adults were conducted from June 2001 through January 2002. Of the 627 respondents, over 90% consented to at least one type of test, and 57% provided hair, saliva, and urine samples. A supplement to the study examined the prevalence of alcohol and substance use, community involvement, and health risk behaviors among gay and bisexual men in Chicago. From August 2002 through January 2003, SRL conducted in-person interviews with 211 respondents. Funding was provided by the National Institute on Drug Abuse. Principal Investigator: Michael Fendrich (Department of Psychiatry, University of Illinois at Chicago), Co-principal Investigator: Timothy P. Johnson (SRL). Study 860.

Urban Survey Research Monograph. SRL currently is conducting an exhaustive literature review, which will result in a written report summarizing the current literature regarding urban survey research methodology. Principal Investigator: Timothy P. Johnson (SRL). Study 862.

Work and Well-Being: Waves 3 Through 5. This is the continuation of a longitudinal mail study of job stress and alcohol and drug use among current and former employees of the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC). Wave 1 was conducted between October 1996 and February 1997, while Wave 2 was conducted between November 1997 and April 1998. Wave 3 was conducted from May 2001 through January 2002, while data collection for Wave 4 extended from October 2002 through April 2003; both included e-mail and telephone prompts of nonrespondents. SRL received completed questionnaires from 1,730 respondents for Wave 3 and 1,640 respondents for Wave 4. Principal Investigator: Judith Richman (Department of Psychiatry, UIC). Study 867.
Review of Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) Personnel Records. The purpose of this review of the personnel records of 2,950 highway maintenance workers was to examine IDOT’s disciplinary and mandatory drug testing practices. SRL’s review resulted in a written report to IDOT. Principal Investigator: Timothy P. Johnson (SRL). Study 874.

Student Health Services Survey. This mail study sought to assess students’ satisfaction with the health services provided by the University of Illinois at Chicago. During January–March 2002, SRL received 334 completed questionnaires and subsequently prepared a report detailing the findings. The project was sponsored and funded by the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management and the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Health Affairs. Study 875.

Perceptions of Smoking-Related Symptomatology. This study explored the perceptions of current and former smokers of the connections between their smoking and symptoms such as coughing, headaches, difficulty sleeping, etc. It also examined cultural differences in the willingness to connect smoking with various symptoms. SRL conducted focus groups with Caucasians, African Americans, Mexican Americans, Koreans, and Chinese. Principal Investigators: Frederick Kviz (Department of Community Health Sciences, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago), Melissa Clark (Brown University), and Timothy P. Johnson (SRL). Study 881.

Evaluation of Statewide Smoking Cessation Program. To assess the effects of a smoking cessation program offered at public health clinics throughout Illinois, SRL is conducting baseline and six-month follow-up telephone interviews with participants. Potential respondents, all of whom are female smokers of childbearing age, are being recruited by participating clinics. Baseline interviews began in March 2002, with follow-ups commencing in October 2002. Additionally, SRL conducted interviews with 674 women from another sample from July 2001 through October 2002. Principal Investigator: Clara Manfredi (Health Research and Policy Centers, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago), Melissa Clark (Brown University), and Timothy P. Johnson (SRL). Study 884.

Primary Pulmonary Hypertension Study. This project involved creation of a Limited Access Data File for the Pulmonary Hypertension Patient Registry for the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI) of the National Institutes of Health. Using data collected approximately fifteen years ago, SRL edited and removed all potentially identifying information and prepared technical documentation to support the final data file, which will be made accessible to doctors and medical researchers searching for causes of and cures for primary pulmonary hypertension. Principal Investigator: Paul Levy (Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 889.

Nationwide Survey on Colorectal Cancer Screening Practices. This was a nationwide random-digit-dial survey of adults age 50–85 to describe the prevalence of colorectal cancer screening utilization behaviors and to assess barriers to cancer screening, including physician recommendations, lack of access to the medical system, cost of health insurance coverage of cancer screening tests, psychosocial factors, socioeconomic status, and race. Between August 21, 2001, and January 27, 2002, SRL interviewed 1,081 adults age 50–64 (589 men and 492 women) and 979 adults age 65–85 (485 men and 494 women). Principal Investigator: Richard B. Warnecke (Center for Health Services Research/Division of Population, Cancer Center/SRL). Study 891.

Renal Cell Cancer Study. This multi-year project involves face-to-face interviews with approximately 800 renal cancer patients and 800 controls. Interviews began in February 2003, and respondents are being asked to provide biological samples and information about their medical and dietary histories. The National Cancer Institute and National Institutes of Health are funding this study. Principal Investigator: Faith Davis (Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 893.

Veterinary Pathologists Survey. Sponsored by the Recruitment Committee of the American College of Veterinary Pathologists and the Society of Toxicologic Pathology, this mail study surveyed organizations and institutions that employ veterinary pathologists and academic training programs to determine if there currently is a shortage of qualified veterinary pathologists. The study also estimated future demand for veterinary pathologists. Principal Investigator: Ricardo Ochoa (Pfizer, Inc.). Study 897.

American Cancer Society (ACS) Insurance “Secret Shopper” Survey. A supplement to Study 891, this study was designed to assess what type of information insurance companies provide to their clients about coverage for colorectal cancer screening procedures. From September 2001 to February 2002, SRL screened Study 891 respondents to determine their eligibility (i.e., current health insurance coverage) and willingness to participate. Those eligible and willing were mailed a packet of materials, which asked them to
(1) call their insurance providers and ask a series of questions about screening test coverage, (2) complete a form, and (3) return the form to SRL. Ninety-six of 216 recruits returned completed forms. Principal Investigator: Bob Smith (ACS). Study 900.

Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) Ridership Survey. From August through October 2002, SRL conducted telephone interviews with 1,020 adult residents of the Chicago metropolitan area about issues relevant to the RTA and its riders. Principal Investigator: Joe Voccia (RTA). Study 902.

Survey of Uninsured Patients. Funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, this study will provide information about how health care institutions take care of and bill patients who are uninsured or underinsured. Beginning in September 2003, SRL will conduct computer-assisted personal interviews with 300 such patients at Rush, UIC, and Michael Reese hospitals. Principal Investigator: Saul Weiner (General Internal Medicine, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 903.

Clergy Study. From July 25 through September 30, 2002, SRL conducted computer-assisted telephone interviews to assess the current violence prevention efforts of Chicago clergy. Two groups of clergy were targeted: those already part of a violence prevention initiative (signatories to the Covenant for Peace in Action) and those working in high-crime communities. Interviews were completed with 55 of the signatories and 83 of other clergy members. The questionnaire used was similar to that used in Studies 872 and 873, which assessed adults’ and youths’ perceptions of neighborhood violence. Principal Investigator: Elena Quintana (Chicago Project for Violence Prevention, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 907.

Oral Cancer Survey. This study’s objective is to develop a statewide model for oral cancer prevention and early detection built upon the existing network of 96 local health departments in Illinois. Face-to-face interviews of patients with advanced stages of oral cancer began in April. Principal Investigator: Richard B. Warner (Center for Health Services Research/Division of Population, Cancer Center/SRL). Study 908.

Waukegan Property Purchasers Survey. Waukegan, Illinois, is a moderate-income area with a waterfront that was found to be contaminated with PCB in the 1970s. In 1992, a large amount of contaminated sediments was treated and confined, but some contamination remains. During late 2002, SRL sent mail questionnaires to recent purchasers of Waukegan property to determine

The primary role of the SRL Field section is to carry out the data collection activities on all SRL telephone and face-to-face surveys. Its responsibilities include

- Hiring and supervising interviewing staff;
- Monitoring data collection schedules and budgets;
- Assisting Project Coordination staff with study design, especially as it pertains to data collection;
- Assisting with instrument design through reviewing and testing questionnaires and training manuals; and
- Monitoring the quality of the data collected through general training, telephone monitoring, validation, and editing.

There were several noteworthy events in Field during FY 2002-2003:
1) Gabriela Avila, a capable telephone supervisor in the Chicago phone center, was charged with field coordinator duties on many of our studies (both telephone and face-to-face). We welcome her future contributions in the capacity of Field Coordinator.
2) We continued to closely monitor interviewer productivity and interviewers’ ability to gain respondent cooperation by producing weekly reports of the number of completes, number of refusal cases accrued, and total number of dials in the phone center or visits in a given week for a face-to-face study.
3) Many of Field’s important documents, which track such things as cooperation, validations, and weekly sample management, were redesigned and grouped together for easier access by Field staff. Since these documents are essential to our quality control efforts, we will evaluate their usefulness and update and revamp them on an ongoing basis.

(1) how much they knew about the waterfront contamination when they bought the property and (2) their perceptions of the value of redeveloping the waterfront. Completed questionnaires were returned by 955 respondents. Principal Investigator: John Braden (Department of Agricultural and Consumer Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). Study 909.

Healthy Start Evaluation Data Set Preparation. SRL’s role in an on-going evaluation of the Healthy Start program consists of creating data sets on a monthly basis: participating clinics forward data files consisting of approximately 100 cases to SRL each month. SRL then cleans the data and
prepares data sets for the client. The first set of files was received in January 2002. **Principal Investigator:** Myrtis Sullivan (Community Health Sciences, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). *Study 910.*

**Summer Research Opportunity Program (SROP).** The SROP provides minority college students with research experience. To assess the program's effectiveness, SRL will survey multiple cohorts of participants. The 2002 cohort received a questionnaire at an August 2002 conference, while other cohorts are being surveyed by mail. **Principal Investigator:** William Trent (Department of Educational Policy Studies, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). *Study 911.*

**Mt. Sinai Hospital Community Health Assessment.** For this face-to-face study, SRL collected data in six low- or mixed-income Chicago neighborhoods on social and environmental health factors, such as nutrition and alcohol use, and the prevalence of a variety of conditions, such as asthma and diabetes. Interviews began in September 2002 and were completed in April 2003. For each household, there may have been two interviews conducted: the first with a randomly selected adult, while the second was conducted only if there were children 12 or younger in the household. If so, SRL interviewed the adult in the household knowing the most about the health care of a randomly selected child. Interviews were completed with 888 adults only and 811 adult-child pairs. The collected data will provide information about the health status of these areas in relation to other neighborhoods in Chicago and to the nation and can be used to guide health policy development. **Principal Investigator:** Steve Whitman (Sinai Urban Health Institute). *Study 912.*

**Qualitative Evaluation of Domestic Violence Program.** The Domestic Violence and Mental Health Initiative is a nonprofit organization designed to mobilize a comprehensive response to the mental health needs of domestic violence survivors and their children. It provides an opportunity for domestic violence and mental health agencies in the Chicago area to collaborate and improve the scope, quality, and availability of services that address the mental health sequelae of domestic violence. The Initiative contracted with SRL to evaluate its efforts and provide a report on whether it had accomplished the goals it established for itself in 1999. To conduct the evaluation, SRL interviewed agency directors from domestic violence and mental health agencies that participate in the Initiative's network. **Principal Investigator:** Carole Warshaw (Domestic Violence and Mental Health Initiative). *Study 913.*

**Substance Abuse Treatment Need and Treatment Utilization Among Youth Entering the Illinois Juvenile Corrections System.** Using data collected in mid-2000 via face-to-face interviews with 401 youth incarcerated in the Juvenile Division of the Illinois Department of Corrections, SRL examined the factors associated with the need for substance abuse treatment and treatment utilization among this population. The analysis also investigated possible cultural differences in treatment need and utilization. The National Data Evaluation Services, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment provided funding. **Principal Investigator:** Timothy P. Johnson (SRL), Co-investigators: Michael Fendrich (Department of Psychiatry, University of Illinois at Chicago) and Young Ik Cho (SRL). *Study 914.*

**Pathways to Disturbed Emotions, Perceptions, and Beliefs.** The results of this multi-year study will further understanding of the connection between childhood abuse and disturbed beliefs and emotions. For each of the twelve waves, SRL will conduct approximately 125 telephone interviews. Wave 5 data collection began in May. **Principal Investigator:** Howard Berenbaum (Department of Psychology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). *Study 915.*

**Campus Space Utilization Survey.** To assess room usage at the University of Illinois at Chicago, SRL mailed forms to all UIC departments/units. The 389 returns described usage of approximately 9,000 occupied rooms. *Study 917.*

**Household Survey of Illinois Adult Substance Abuse.** This random-digit-dial computer-assisted telephone interview study will determine alcohol and drug treatment needs among those age 16 and older in Illinois. Main study interviewing began in early 2003. **Principal Investigators:** Lillian Pickup (Illinois Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse) and Timothy P. Johnson (SRL). *Study 918.*

**HOPE VI Focus Groups.** HOPE VI is a Department of Housing and Urban Development program with the goal of public housing revitalization in three areas: physical improvements, management improvements, and social and community services to address resident needs. SRL conducted focus groups with Chicago-area community leaders in July 2002 and will do so again in late 2003 to assess how well the program is working. **Principal Investigator:** Mary Cunningham (The Urban Institute). *Study 919.*

**Chicago United (CU) Corporate Diversity Survey, 2002.** This was the second annual mail survey of top Chicago corporations aimed at determining the amount of racial and ethnic diversity that exists at the companies' highest levels. Data collection extended from spring through the
end of summer, and SRL analyzed the data and prepared a report of the findings. Principal Investigator: Carolyn Nordstrom (CU). Study 920.

**National League of Cities Survey.** The 309 city managers who responded to this survey provided information on their cities’ recent and projected revenues, spending, and needs. SRL entered the data and created a data set for the client. Principal Investigator: Christopher Hoene (National League of Cities). Study 921.

**Comparative Investigation of Physical Activity Questionnaires.** The purpose of this pilot study was to examine the performance differences between seven physical activity questionnaires. SRL conducted random-digit-dial interviews with 47 respondents and mailed each a diary in which to record information about his or her physical activities over the course of a week. Fourteen respondents returned completed diaries. Principal Investigator: Weimo Zhu (Department of Kinesiology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). Study 922.

**Mother/Daughter HIV Risk Reduction Intervention.** The purpose of this study is to evaluate the effectiveness of Health Education Reaching out into the Community (HEROIC), a program that trains mothers on HIV prevention and has them pass on what they have learned to their daughters. SRL programmed the questionnaire and is providing the client with preliminary and final datasets. Principal Investigator: Barbara Dancy (College of Nursing, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 923.

**Illinois Smokers Survey.** The purpose of this telephone study was to evaluate the effectiveness of the American Lung Association’s Illinois Tobacco Quitline, which is staffed by health professionals and provides information on a variety of smoking-related issues. The 598 respondents had called the Quitline in the past and were asked about the Quitline overall, the materials, and their own smoking behaviors. Interviews were conducted during July 2002; VA callers to the Quitline were oversampled. Principal Investigator: Thomas O’Rourke (Department of Community Health, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). Study 924.

**Youth Re-entering Foster Care.** SRL will conduct telephone interviews with Illinois Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) caseworkers and foster parents about the services received by children who were in foster care but since have returned home. Study results will allow comparison of those youth who subsequently re-enter foster care and those who remain home. Principal Investigator: Gail Tittle (Children and Family Research Center, School of Social Work, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). Study 925.

**Physician Reporting of Suspected Child Abuse.** In January 2003, SRL began interviewing pediatricians recruited by the American Academy of Pediatrics. These physicians are being asked to participate in two telephone interviews about a randomly selected case involving suspected abuse: one interview to be conducted six weeks after the physician examines the child, and another approximately six months after the examination. To compare the decision-making processes and support networks of the attending physicians, cases with low, moderate, and high levels of suspicion of child abuse are being sampled. SRL expects to interview approximately 100 pediatricians. Principal Investigator: Rise Jones (Health Research and Policy Centers, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Study 926.

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**Table 1**

**Affiliations of Sponsors of New and Continuing Studies**

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Study Development

A substantial portion of SRL staff time is devoted to developing budgets and research proposals for both internal and external clients. During 2002–2003, SRL staff were involved in the development of 41 new and continuing pending studies. Studies developed and funded during 2002–2003 are described in the previous section. Studies that were still pending as of June 30, 2003, both the thirty that were new in 2002–2003 and the eleven that were continued from previous years, are described in the following two sections. Table 3 (pp. 34–35) lists the 34 studies that were under development during the year but were either not funded or discontinued as of June 30, 2003.

New Pending Studies

The thirty studies that began development in 2002–2003 represent efforts on behalf of seventeen University of Illinois faculty and staff members (Chicago and Urbana-Champaign campuses), three other academic institutions, one government agency, and six other organizations.

Chicago Area Study. This study will replicate the Detroit Area Study, an annual survey of urban issues. The Chicago version will add questions on race issues. Face-to-face interviews will be conducted with an equal number of white, African-American, and Hispanic residents of Cook County. Principal Investigator: Maria Krysan (Department of Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9107.

Cognitive Interviews for a Patient-Based Tool Kit. Lymphedema, an abnormal accumulation of lymph fluids and plasma proteins, causes disfiguring and debilitating swelling of the legs, arms, and/or other body parts. Most commonly, it is secondary to cancer treatment. The objective of this proposed study is to conceptualize, construct, and validate a patient-centered measure of health outcomes specific to lymphedema that is suitable for use in outcomes and effectiveness research and quality improvement.
SRL’s role will be to conduct cognitive interviews with lymphedema patients to evaluate a questionnaire designed to measure their quality of life, satisfaction with care, and ability to adhere to a self-care regimen. Principal Investigator: Colleen McHorney (Regenstrief Institute of Health Care). Pending 9116 and 9117.

Lesbian Identity and Drinking. For this study examining the relationship between sexual identity and drinking, SRL will program the questionnaire for

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Information Services

Based in the Urbana-Champaign office, SRL’s Information Services (IS) section routinely performs a number of important tasks, including:

- Serving as the primary point of contact for staff and others seeking information about SRL and survey research in general;
- Maintaining a library of resource materials related to survey research for SRL staff use;
- Monitoring and updating a database of paper and electronic documents used by staff;
- Disseminating up-to-date information on SRL’s services and activities;
- Producing SRL’s Survey Research newsletter; and
- Providing editing services to SRL staff on an as-needed basis.

One of IS’s most critical duties is production of the Survey Research newsletter, which is published three times a year. The second issue published during 2002-2003 featured an article by Craig Helmstetter of Wilder Research Center and Anthony Murphy from the College of Saint Catherine titled “How Much Extra Would You Be Willing to Pay for Gasoline? Depends on How You Ask.” The lead article of the third issue—Number 1 of Volume 34—discussed issues related to testing computer-assisted interview questionnaires and was written by John Tarnai and Danna Moore of the Social and Economic Sciences Research Center at Washington State University.

Throughout the year, IS fielded information requests from SRL staff and other individuals and organizations, with the type of information sought ranging from specific publications, descriptions of SRL’s services, and details of past and current work. Further, IS staff continued their involvement in the production, review, editing, and formatting of all SRL documents.

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Validating Mammography Screening Rates Among Low-Income Women. The goal of this proposed study is to arrive at a fuller understanding of racial/ethnic differences in the use of screening mammography. Virtually all population-based surveys of mammography have relied upon self-reports; however, recent research suggests that substantial differences exist in the validity of self-reported mammography use among racial and ethnic groups.
The first year of the study will involve cognitive interviews with white, African-American, Hispanic, and Chinese-American women to test for cultural differences in interpretation of questions on mammography screening. SRL subsequently will conduct face-to-face interviews with women age 45 through 79 in Chicago and review their medical records for information related to their previous visits to mammography clinics. **Principal Investigator:** Garth Rauscher (School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). **Pending 9130.**

**Chicago Area Study.** Similar to Pending 9107, this proposed study will replicate the Detroit Area Study, an annual survey of urban issues. The Chicago version will add questions on race issues. Face-to-face interviews will be conducted with an equal number of white, African-American, and Hispanic residents in Cook, DuPage, and Lake Counties. **Principal Investigator:** Maria Krysan (Department of Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago). **Pending 9131.**

**Barriers to Drug Treatment for Pregnant Women.** Data from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services consistently show that less than 25% of annual admissions to treatment centers are pregnant women. In the clinical obstetrics community, the difficulties of obtaining treatment for pregnant women is widely known and is believed to be due, in part, to a fear of medical malpractice liability. Studies have shown that treatment centers generally are bereft of medical staff, especially those with obstetrical competency. The lack of participation by obstetrical clinicians in substance abuse treatment centers may be a significant barrier to treatment for substance-abusing pregnant women. This study proceeds to assess the impact of liability concerns on the acceptance of pregnant women into treatment centers via a mail survey of the directors of all facilities that provide substance abuse treatment to women in Illinois. **Principal Investigator:** Sarita Massey (Cook County Hospital). **Pending 9133.**

**Racial Ideology.** For this study of racial ideology in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, SRL will provide sampling, block listing, and consulting services. **Principal Investigator:** Helen Nevel (Department of Educational Psychology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). **Pending 9134.**

**Regret Survey.** This face-to-face survey of a representative sample of Illinois adults will determine in which life domains (e.g., career, family, health) regrets typically occur and will relate the occurrence of regret to emotional well-being. **Principal Investigator:** Neal Roese (Department of Psychology, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). **Pending 9135.**

**Prescription Drug Diversion Study.** Pharmaceuticals are responsible for almost 30% of the overall drug problem in the United States. The illegal diversion of prescription drugs occurs in a variety of ways, and the abuse of such drugs often is overlooked by the thinking that if a physician prescribes the drug and a pharmacist dispenses it, it cannot be abused. This study, which will involve focus groups and a mail survey, will look at the role of MDs, pharmacists, and nurses in prescription drug diversion. **Principal Investigator:** Linda Richter (Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse, Columbia University). **Pending 9138.**

**Social Networks and STD Transmission.** SRL will conduct face-to-face interviews with 500 respondents with a sexually transmitted disease at six clinics in Chicago and with 500 control cases. Each respondent will be asked to provide the name of up to six friends and family members, and those individuals will be interviewed by phone. **Principal Investigator:** Yoosik Youm (Department of Sociology, University of Illinois at Chicago). **Pending 9140.**

**Illinois Attorney Economic Survey.** This mail study will survey Illinois lawyers about their billable hours, hourly rates, time spent in various activities, and pro bono work. **Principal Investigator:** Dave Anderson (Illinois State Bar Association). **Pending 9142.**

**Facial Reconstructive Surgery Among Violence Victims.** As part of a larger project, SRL will conduct focus groups with women who have been physically injured by violence. **Principal Investigator:** Marta Huszar (School of Art Design, University of Illinois at Chicago). **Pending 9143.**

**Impact of Accreditation on Health Centers.** The Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO) is responsible for accrediting all hospitals and healthcare organizations in the U.S. The Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC), a division of HRSA, has contracted with JCAHO to evaluate the effectiveness of JCAHO accreditation on BPHC supported health centers (centers that serve low-income clientele). This mail study will involve two instruments: (1) a "Perception of Value” questionnaire that will be completed by four people within each community health center, and (2) an "Activities Affected by Accreditation” questionnaire that will be completed by the person at each center most familiar with the JCAHO review process. **Principal Investigator:** Lon Berkeley (JCAHO). **Pending 9145.**
Social Capital and Substance Abuse Treatment Efficacy. Secondary data analysis will allow examination of the relationship between social capital and the effectiveness of outpatient treatment services provided by the State of Illinois among Chicago-area clients discharged during 2001 and 2002. The study will use multiple data sources, including the 2000 Census (to measure the social capital of 77 Chicago community areas) and Illinois substance abuse treatment records (to measure treatment efficacy at the individual level). **Principal Investigator:** Young Ik Cho (SRL). **Pending 9154.**

Office of Computer Services

The Office of Computer Services (OCS) is responsible for maintaining SRL’s computer systems and providing technical support for all software and hardware. Specific tasks include
- Maintaining SRL’s Internet access and local area network, e-mail, Web, and Intranet servers;
- Maintaining and upgrading computer hardware and software;
- Ensuring system security and integrity;
- Assisting OSS in the installation of CASES on SRL network servers and desktop and laptop computers;
- Troubleshooting all computer-related problems; and
- Programming in-house software protocols and customizing existing software packages.

There were several noteworthy events in OCS during 2002–2003:
- OCS upgraded and reconfigured a new network file server in the Champaign office. The new server has a 40 GB capacity backup tape drive. The new configuration allows the Champaign office to back up the data files on the network server locally instead of from Chicago, which was problematic if there were problems with the network connections between the two campuses.
- A new network backup server was set up in Chicago with a new backup configuration as well. Having eliminated the need to perform the Champaign backups from Chicago, the backup operations in Chicago are much more stable than before.
- Other items of office equipment were upgraded and purchased, such as a new scanner, two new color printers, and two projectors for use at both offices.

Great Lakes Areas of Concern (AOCs) Homeowner Survey. Although over $500 million has been spent on toxic sediment cleanup in the Great Lakes AOCs, contamination persists at most sites. The overall purpose of this project is to assist decision makers in prioritizing sediment cleanup in AOCs and in other areas where sediment contamination limits beneficial uses of river or coastal waters. SRL will assist in the conduct of focus groups and in the administration of a mail survey to approximately 2,500 households in a to-be-determined AOC community. SRL recently completed a mail survey of homeowners in the Waukegan, Illinois, area, which also is an AOC (see Study 909 in the Continuing Studies section). **Principal Investigator:** John Braden (Department of Agricultural and Consumer Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign). **Pending 9153.**
Women's Networks in the Sciences. This is a mail and on-line survey of 4,500 Ph.D. female scientists in academia and government labs. The topic is women's networks in the sciences. **Principal Investigator:** Julie Melkers (College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9155.

Illinois Dental Workforce Capacity Survey. The dual purposes of this mail survey of all licensed dentists in Illinois are to assess the dental workforce capacity and to provide dental practitioner data to local health departments as part of local emergency preparedness. **Principal Investigator:** Gayle Byrk (Health Research and Policy Centers, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9156.

Mentally Ill Substance Abusers (MISA). This study will evaluate the effectiveness of the four MISA Consortia that provide services to mentally ill substance abusers in Illinois. Face-to-face interviews will be conducted with 250 clients of the MISA Consortia, who then will be re-interviewed one year later. **Principal Investigator:** James Schwartz (Jane Addams School of Social Work, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9157.

Helping Young Smokers Quit: Phase II. SRL will have a consultation role in this evaluation of smoking cessation programs targeting youth. **Principal Investigator:** Susan Curry (Health Research and Policy Centers, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9160.

Closed Claim Analysis. SRL will conduct an analysis of the malpractice claims paid out by the Illinois State Medical Insurance Services, Inc. (ISMIS) to reach a better understanding of malpractice risk. **Principal Investigator:** David Meyers (ISMIS). Pending 9161.

**CONTINUING PENDING STUDIES**

These studies began development before July 1, 2002, but still were pending as of June 30, 2003.

African-American Cancer Survivors. This study will consider the effects of different types of cancer on the quality of life and cancer screening behaviors of African Americans with and without cancer. It also will examine the differences between African American breast cancer survivors who participated in clinical trials vs. those who did participate in such trials. SRL's role is to identify and interview 450 cancer-free African American "matches" to African American cancer survivors. **Principal Investigators:** Carol Ferrans (Medical Surgical Nursing, University of Illinois at Chicago) and Richard B. Warnecke (Center for Health Services Research/DIVision of Population, Cancer Center/SRL). Pending 9988.

Thrombotic Thrombocytopenic Purpura (TTP) Case Control Study. For this study of TTP, SRL will identify 1,200 eligible and interested controls. Controls will be matched on geographic area, gender, and age. **Principal Investigator:** Dilip Pandey (Rush Medical Center). Pending 9053.

Parents of HIV Drug Users. For this study, young adult drug users will be approached at a Chicago needle exchange program and asked if they are interested in participating. Interviewers will collect consent and contact information from those that are interested, and telephone interviews will be conducted with their parents. SRL expects to complete 400 baseline interviews, and follow-up interviews will be conducted at two-month and four-month intervals. **Principal Investigator:** Susan Bailey (Community Outreach Intervention Projects, School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9065.

Adolescent Caffeine Beliefs. SRL will conduct focus groups and cognitive interviews with adolescents age 13–17 to explore their beliefs about the effects of caffeine use and the link between caffeine use and the use of other substances. **Principal Investigator:** Patrick Johnson (National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse at Columbia University). Pending 9066.

Herbal Use and Health Care Costs Among Menopausal Women. To gather information on menopausal women's recent use of herbal products and use of health care services outside the Veterans Health Administration system, SRL will mail questionnaires to patients from five VHA hospitals. **Principal Investigator:** Surrey Walton (College of Pharmacy, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9071.

Daily Living Think-Alouds. SRL will conduct think-alouds with adults age 50 and older to explore their perceptions of items on two questionnaires. **Principal Investigator:** Colleen McHorney (Regenstrief Institute of Health Care). Pending 9089.
Survey Systems

OSS provides technical support for all software directly related to data collection activities. Specific tasks include:

- Installing CASES software, related software, and study-specific programs on laptop computers;
- Front-end programming of CASES software used for computerized interviewing and direct data entry;
- Back-end production of CASES data sets and SAS and SPSS data files;
- Programming complex CASES applications; and
- Providing support for users of CASES and its related software packages.

OSS accomplished a number of important tasks during 2002–2003, including the following:

- Implemented improved system for tracking programming changes to production instruments. This facilitates the cleaning and production of final data deliverables as well as study documentation.
- Implemented the updated Laptop Computer Control system designed by OCS in 2002.
- Continued to update and improve various components of our CATI front-end modules.
- Refined our budget algorithms to better account for tasks needed on all studies, including, but not limited to, program review, laptop loading and cleanups, and rental and license fees.
- Assisted in programming several complex study-specific instruments over and above our usual support activities.
- During this fiscal year, Vince Parker provided students in two Community Health Sciences courses with a presentation on Technological Advances in Survey Research.

Section 8 Focus Groups. SRL will conduct six focus groups with Section 8 recipients who recently moved from low-poverty areas to high-poverty areas. Principal Investigator: Diane Levy (The Urban Institute). Pending 9092.

Early Detection Breast Health Practices. This random-digit-dial study will compare the mammography screening adherence behaviors of African-American and white women over 40 years of age living in selected Illinois census tracts. SRL also will conduct twelve focus groups to test an Internet intervention to promote adherence to mammography screening and breast cancer risk management. Principal Investigator: Eva Smith (School of Nursing, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9095.

Racial Differences in Mammography Rates and Prognosis at Diagnosis. This five-year study of breast cancer patients in the Chicago area will involve multiple projects. In Project 1, computer-assisted personal interviews will be conducted with 450 breast cancer patients; SRL’s role will be in programming the questionnaire and training interviewers in the use of laptops for survey administration. SRL also will be responsible for tracking/reminder mailings and will conduct follow-up telephone interviews with respondents. Project 2 will involve computer-assisted personal interviews with 350 African-American women, 350 Latinas, and 500 white women, all of whom are newly-diagnosed breast cancer patients. For Project 3, SRL will ask Project 1 and Project 2 respondents to provide contact information for five people with whom they discuss their health, and these individuals will be interviewed by telephone. The final project will involve focus groups. Principal Investigator: Richard B. Warnecke (Center for Health Services Research/Division of Population, Cancer Center/SRL). Pending 9096.

Cognitive Interviews for a Patient-Based Outcomes Tool Kit for Lymphedema. The client is developing a disease specific survey instrument, and SRL will assist in its development by conducting 25 cognitive interviews to evaluate questionnaire items. After a pretest, SRL will evaluate questionnaire items for their psychometric properties and refine the instrument as needed. Prior to the main study administration of the instrument, SRL will conduct ten additional cognitive interviews. Principal Investigator: Colleen McHorney (Regenstrief Institute of Health Care). Pending 9099.

Breast Cancer Case Control Study. This is a case control study of African-American women in Cook County who have undergone breast cancer surgery at two hospitals (Cook Country and Providence). CAPI interviews addressing diet and breast cancer behavior/risks will be conducted with 450 women who are diagnosed with breast cancer and 450 women who are disease-free. Principal Investigator: Faye Davis (School of Public Health, University of Illinois at Chicago). Pending 9101.
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**Projects No Longer Under Development as of June 30, 2003**

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### Special Event

In January 2003, SRL welcomed Professor Jon Krosnick for a day-long visit to SRL’s Chicago office. Dr. Krosnick led a workshop for SRL staff on questionnaire design, and the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs sponsored his afternoon talk on Americans’ perceptions of the health consequences of cigarette smoking. Dr. Krosnick is Professor of Psychology and Political Science at The Ohio State University.
**Staff Activities**

The Survey Research Laboratory strongly encourages and supports staff professional development, and the citations in this section document the considerable professional activities and accomplishments of SRL staff. In 2002–2003, SRL staff published reports for clients, articles in refereed journals and professional proceedings, and chapters in research volumes and textbooks. Several SRL staff also served as editors for professional journals. Eight staff members gave presentations at professional conferences, and twelve presented lectures and workshops. Three staff members held positions in professional organizations. Staff also served on many University and community committees and performed consulting and other professional service work. SRL’s commitment to improving the quality of the survey research profession is reflected in these accomplishments.

**Publications**


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**Project Coordination**

Our year began with the addition of two new project coordinators to our team. Lori Harmon joined us from the National Opinion Research Center, and Liz Clary was previously employed at the Chapin Hall Center for Children at the University of Chicago.

Overall, the coordination staff managed a total of 76 pending projects and proposals and coordinated a total of 81 active projects. Project coordinators also were active with professional development activities. At the 58th Annual Meeting of the American Association for Public Opinion Research in Nashville, Jennifer Parsons presented a poster entitled *Forcing Respondents to Make a Choice Provides Better Data: Do You Agree, Disagree, or Are You Not Sure?* Isabel Calhoun Farrar also had a poster presentation: *What Do You Do? Occupational Coding Versus Respondent Self-Classification of Occupation Status.* Jane Burris presented two papers: *Validating Self-Report of Socially Desirable Behavior* (with Tim Johnson and Diane O’Rourke) and *Improving the Validity of Self-Reports of Cancer Screening Behaviors* (with Tim Johnson, Diane O’Rourke, and Richard Warnecke).

This fiscal year corresponded to the "general topics" series in our seminar rotation. The questionnaire design workshop was led by Jennifer Parsons, Jane Burris taught Mail Survey Methods, and Ingrid Graf led a workshop on Web Surveys.


**Conference Presentations**


Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Society of Criminology, Chicago.


Sampling staff also led workshops as part of SRL’s Seminar Series. In September 2002, Karen Retzer led the Introduction to Sampling seminar on the UIC campus. In February 2003, she gave the same seminar on the Urbana-Champaign campus.

In addition, Linda gave three guest lectures to classes at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in the fall of 2003. She presented her research on sexual orientation and body image to Professor Rachel Schurman’s course in research methods (Sociology 280) and provided students in Professor Jim Kluegel’s graduate-level survey methods course (Sociology 415) with an overview of survey implementation. Her lecture to Professor Steve Brechin’s Survey Methods course (Sociology 381) covered sampling methods.
cognition: A study of need for cognition and need to evaluate. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Boston.


Warncke, R., Parsons, J., Smith, R., & Cokkinides, V. (2003, May). Forcing respondents to make a choice provides better data: Do you agree, disagree, or are you not sure? Poster presentation at the 58th Annual Meeting of the American Association for Public Opinion Research, Nashville.


### Other Conference Activity

O'Rourke, D. P. Conference Coordinator, Eighth Conference on Health Survey Research Methods, to be held February 2004.

### Other Presentations

The presentations listed below include lectures to graduate and undergraduate students at the University of Illinois and two workshops that were held in the Dominican Republic and led by SRL's Director. The list also includes a series of introductory seminars on survey research methodology that were offered free of charge to the faculty, staff, and students at both the Chicago and Urbana-Champaign campuses.

- **Johnson, T. P.** (2002, September). *Técnicas de investigación para identificar y entender las actitudes y reacciones públicas (Research techniques for identifying and
understanding public attitudes and opinions). Sponsored by the Fundación Global, Democracia y Desarrollo, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.


Parsons, J. (2003, February). Questionnaire design. Survey Research Laboratory Seminar Series, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.


Positions Held in Professional Organizations

Timothy P. Johnson
Member, American Statistical Association Census Advisory Committee.
Member, Standards Committee Subcommittee/Task Force on IRB Issues, American Association for Public Opinion Research.

Sharon Shavitt
Member, Education and Training Committee, Society for Consumer Psychology.
Member, Selection Committee, ACR-Sheth Foundation Dissertation Proposal Award, Cross-Cultural Track.

Richard B. Warnecke
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Editorial Activities

Timothy P. Johnson
Member, Editorial Board, Substance Use & Misuse
Guest Editor, Substance Use & Misuse, Volume 38, Issue 3–6

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Associate Editor, Journal of Consumer Psychology

Survey Research Newsletter

Each calendar year, SRL publishes three issues of Survey Research newsletter, which has a circulation of about 1,200 individuals and organizations worldwide. It serves as an instrument of communication among and about academic and not-for-profit survey research organizations, listing current research activities and announcing conferences, calls for papers, job openings, changes in personnel, and other items of interest. The newsletter also announces new publications in survey research, with an emphasis on methodological publications. A list of approximately 100 academic
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Advising

SRL continued its policy of providing free advice regarding survey methodology to University faculty, staff, and students, and periodically staff provide such assistance to individuals outside the University as well. Staff member spent 52 hours providing this service during 2002–2003, and individuals and departments served include the following:

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Member, Task Force, Medical Center Organization, University of Illinois at Chicago.

Consulting and Other Professional Services

Timothy P. Johnson
Member, Expert Consultant Panel, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Agency.
Member, Steering Committee, Interviewer Falsification Summit.
Member, Steering Committee, 8th Conference on Health Survey Research Methods.

Richard B. Warnecke
Member of the Board, American Medical Center, Cancer Program.
Member, Scientific Advisory Board, Northern California Comprehensive Cancer Center.
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Member, Steering Committee, 8th Conference on Health Survey Research Methods.
Consultant, Survey of Rural Discharge Planners, Brown University.
Consultant, Outreach Program and Cancer Information Service, Office of Cancer Communication, National Cancer Institute.
Consultant, National Cancer Institute.
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Grants and Contracts

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Health Literacy, Social Support, and Health: Survey of Medicare Enrollees (SRL Study 904); Co-principal Investigator; 7/01 through 6/04; Source of funds: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, National Institutes of Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; $854,913.

Illinois State Treatment Needs Assessment Program (SRL Study 918); Co-investigator; 10/01 through 9/04; Source of funds: Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; $590,864.

A Panel Study of Quit Smoking Processes in Low SES Women, 2003–2004 (SRL Study 948); Co-investigator; 3/03 through 2/05; Source of funds: National Institutes of Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; $293,377.

Patterns and Correlates of Substance Abuse Treatment Need and Utilization Among Youth Entering the Illinois Juvenile Corrections System (SRL Study 914); Co-investigator; 1/02 through 8/02; Source of funds: Caliber Associates, National Evaluation Data Services; $92,679.

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Sexual Identity and Drinking: A Longitudinal Follow-Up (SRL Study 932); Co-investigator; 6/02 through 5/06; Source of funds: National Institute on Alcoholism and Alcohol Abuse; $1,479,780.

Eighth Conference on Health Survey Research Methods (SRL Study 938); Principal Investigator; 9/02 through 3/04; Source of funds: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; $50,000.

Oral Cancer Prevention and Detection: The Illinois Model (SRL Study 908); Principal Investigator; 9/01 through 8/02; National Institute of Dental Craniofacial Research and the National Cancer Institute; $100,000.

Smoking Control in MCH Clinics: Dissemination Strategies; Co-investigator; 9/00 through 8/03; Source of funds: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; $407,013.

Quality of Life of African-American Cancer Survivors; Co-investigator; 7/01 through 12/15/05; Source of funds: National Institutes of Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; $442,752.

Chronic Renal Insufficiency Cohort Study; Co-investigator; 9/01 through 8/08; Source of funds: National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases; National Institutes of Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; $456,833.
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