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MENLO PARK, Calif. -- Carl F. Stover has been appointed senior political scientist in the Economic Development Division of Stanford Research Institute, William J. Platt, division director, announced today. Stover will be responsible for the development of research on public policy issues.

For the past two years, Stover has been director of studies in science and technology at the Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions in Santa Barbara, California. He also served as assistant to the chairman of the board of editors of Encyclopaedia Britannica.

In his new position, Stover will give particular attention to public policy issues arising from the rapid growth of science and technology and their impact on politics, economics, international affairs, and the general society. He will also work with the Political Science Department and the Schools of Business and Education at Stanford University on the development of cooperative programs of continuing education for government and business executives involved in the development and administration of public programs.

From 1957 to 1960, Stover was associate director of the executive conference program and senior staff member in governmental studies at the Brookings Institution in Washington, D.C. Earlier, he served as fiscal management officer in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. Department of Agriculture. From 1953 to 1955, he was an instructor in political science at Stanford University.

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Stover has written articles and reviews in political science, public administration, and education, including recent publications on "The Government of Science," "Science and the University," and "Law and Technology." He is contributing editor of the Fall 1962 issue of Technology and Culture, and of a related book on "The Technological Order," to be published early in 1963 by Wayne State University Press.

Stover has been a consultant to a number of public and private agencies, including the Cooperative Program in Educational Administration, the National Conference of Christians and Jews, the National Science Foundation, and the Veterans Administration. He has lectured at such institutions as The Foreign Service Institute, Columbia University's Executive Program in Business Administration, The George Washington University, Syracuse University, and the U. S. Department of Agriculture Graduate School.

Active in professional affairs, Stover has been a member of the national council of the American Society for Public Administration and president of its Washington, D. C., chapter. He is a member of the International Institute of Administrative Sciences, the American Political Science Association, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and other professional associations.

A native of Pasadena, California, Stover did his undergraduate and graduate work in political science at Stanford University. He was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, Delta Sigma Rho, and Pi Sigma Alpha.