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THE WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL OF PHILADELPHIA

FIVE O'CLOCK FORUM 1969-70

proudly presents

His Excellency

ABDUL HAMID SHARAF

Ambassador of Jordan to the U. S.

speaking on

**"JORDAN, THE UNITED STATES
AND THE MIDDLE EAST"**

TUESDAY, MAY 12, 1970

His Excellency Abdul Hamid Sharaf, Ambassador of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the United States, received his Bachelor's and Master's Degrees from the American University of Beirut. He has served as Head of Arab and Palestinian Affairs and Director of the Political Department in the Jordanian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In 1964 he became Assistant Chief of the Royal Court, and in 1965, Minister of Information. In August of 1967 he was appointed Ambassador to the United States and in June 1969 his duties were enlarged to include the Ambassadorship to Canada. This charming and erudite young man is a cousin of King Hussein and speaks excellent English.

Ambassador Sharaf will discuss the Middle East situation and United States-Jordanian relations.

(Please note: the public address system of the Academy has been improved.)

5:00 P. M.

Academy of Music Ballroom
Broad and Locust Streets

OGDEN WILLIAMS

Coordinator, Vietnam Training Center

speaking on

**"VIETNAM: PERSPECTIVES ON
THE PROBLEM AND
ITS SOLUTION"**

TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1970

Ogden Williams, Coordinator of the Vietnam Training Center of the Foreign Service Institute first served in Vietnam in 1956-57 as part of an advisory team to the then President Ngo Dinh Diem. In May 1962 he was appointed AID Mission Director to Laos but was later transferred to Saigon as Special Assistant to the Director, USAID, where he served until July, 1964. From 1966 to 1969, Mr. Williams was Director, Chieu Hoi Division, of the Civil Operations and Revolutionary Development Support (CORDS), Military Assistance Command in Vietnam.

His three tours of duty in Vietnam, between 1956 and 1969, involved him in Vietnamese affairs during the entire period of major U. S. involvement in that country. He has been intimately acquainted with leading Vietnamese and U. S. policy makers at the Saigon level and has repeatedly visited every province of Vietnam in the course of his duties.

5:00 P. M.

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Jefferson Hall, Thomas Jefferson University
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