plan the future globally in the face of what otherwise is sure to overwhelm us all. If in this age of acceleration, in which the means of destruction threaten to get out of control, the contradictions within our society and culture cannot, perhaps, be completely resolved, they can at least be rendered tolerable through a high degree of foresight and planning. Today the very survival of man may well depend on the extent to which he succeeds in including the future both in his reflections and his actions.