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CIA recruits as Yalies protest

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A recruiter for the U.S. Central Intelligence Agency drew a mixed bag of students Wednesday during his visit to Yale's Career Advisory and Placement Service.

While "a full schedule" of more than 15 Yalies had interviews with the CIA representative, about an equal number picketed outside with signs like "The CIA Kills With Yale's Help."

"We want to register the fact that there are people who think it's outrageous the CIA is coming here," said Amy

Tyson of the Left Study Group. "We want students to think twice before signing up."

The group distributed leaflets accusing the CIA of "recruiting Yalies to murder, lie, torture and subvert liberation movements." The statement asserted the CIA has interfered in the internal policies of many countries, including Chile, Iran and El Salvador.

The group said the CIA put into power the "murderous" Shah of Iran. "The people of Iran overthrew this dictator and took hostage U.S. diplomatic and Army personnel and CIA agents. They (the Ira-

nians) have been accused of inhumanity — can we ignore what our government and the CIA did in Iran? What were the hostages doing in Iran? No one in Iran escaped having a friend or member of their family disappear or be tortured by techniques learned from the CIA."

Asked to comment on the demonstration and allegations, CIA representative Charles Pecinovsky said, "That's their constitutional right. My reaction is not to react."

Pecinovsky said he had "a full schedule" of students to interview, as well as "a little bit of an overflow." He does not plan to return to campus until next fall.