28 January 1964

Memo to:

Leo Szilard

From:

George Conn

Subject:

Retirement Age, University of California

The official retirement age of the University of California at San Diego is 67, with the provision that extensions may be made from year to year. There is no established precedent to determine the number of years during which a retirement can be extended; this being on the basis of individual considerations.

It would appear to me that 65 would be an appropriate retirement age for the Institute.

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SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA 93018

April 6, 1964

Professor Leo Szilard Enrico Fermi Institute University of Chicago Chicago 37, Illinois

Dear Professor Szilard:

On behalf of Chancellor Cheadle and the Committee on Arts and Lectures, I am writing to see if you expect to have an opportunity to visit our campus in the Fall. We regret that you were unable to accept a Regent's Lectureship this Spring, but now we are hopeful that your schedule has become clear enough for you to forsee a month in the fall when you might come to us.

In your last letter to Chancellor Cheadle, you asked for clarification of time involved. This could be left very much to your own convenience, since the Regent's Lectureships are flexible, varying from two weeks to two months or more at the rate of \$1500 per month plus travel expenses.

As to time required after arrivel, this too is subject to some flexibility. If you could be with us for a month, we would hope for two public lectures of a general nature (non-technical), a seminar with students once-a-week and office hours a few days each week for students and faculty. We would assume that you would also be called upon for some class visitations, according to developments once you arrive on campus.

Please let us hear from you at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Philip Chamberlin

Coordinator

25 May 1964

To:

All Resident and

Non-Resident Fellows

Subject:

Biographical Data

We are revising that section of the Institute brochure in which brief biographical material is presented on each of the Fellows.

Attached is the current version. Will you please make any necessary changes and return the copy to me. In the event I do not receive any changes, I will assume that the language is satisfactory.

W. Glagier

Attach.

Leo Szilard (Resident Fellow) is one of the world's most eminent theoretical and nuclear physicists. He was Chief Physicist at the University of Chicago's Metallurgical Laboratory from 1939 to 1942 when he and Enrico Fermi devised the chain reaction system of uranium and graphite used in the atomic pile. In addition to his pioneer work in nuclear physics, Dr. Szilard has developed theories on aging, bacterial growth, the mechanism of mutation and of antibody formation.