

Livingston & Lockwood join School of Medicine staff

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The appointment of a distinguished scientist and a key administrator to the staff of the School of Medicine at the University of California, San Diego has been announced by Dr. Joseph Stokes III, Dean of the School.

Dr. Robert B. Livingston, currently associated with the National Institutes of Health, and Dr. Richard A. Lockwood, consultant to the Medical Education Study at the University of Hawaii, will join the staff at UCSD on or soon after July 1. Their appointments double the staff of the School of Medicine which presently consists of Dr. Stokes and Dr. Robert N. Hamburger, Assistant Dean.

The first medical students are scheduled for entrance at UCSD in the fall of 1968. Construction of the Basic Science Building, the first building planned for the School of Medicine complex, will begin on the Camp Matthews site next year.

According to Dr. Stokes, Dr. Livingston will serve as the Chairman of the new Department of Neurosciences, the first department created at the UCSD School of Medicine. He was born in Boston, Massachusetts, the son of a distinguished surgeon. He received both his undergraduate and medical degrees from Stanford University and served his internship and assistant residency in medicine at the Stanford Hospital.

Following military service, Dr. Livingston moved to Yale University in 1946 as Instructor in Physiology. Six years later he joined the Departments of Anatomy and Physiology at the UCLA Medical Center where he advanced to Professor of Anatomy and Physiology in 1956, just prior to joining the staff of the National Institutes of Health.

He served in a variety of capacities at the NIH, first as Director of Basic Research in the National Institute of Mental Health and the Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness, then as Chief of the Laboratory of Neurobiology, and finally as Chief of the General Research Support Branch of the Division of Research Facilities and Resources and Associate Division Chief for the Program Planning of the same division.

He is the author of over 100 scientific publications and has recently accepted the responsibility of revising Piltan's textbook of neurophysiology, which has served for many years as the definitive text in the field.

At UCSD, Dr. Livingston will coordinate and integrate the teaching and research in neurobiology, neuroanatomy, neurophysiology, and neuropathology with that of clinical neurology. In most medical schools each of these disciplines is either considered a separate department unto itself or is a subdivision of such departments as biology, anatomy, physiology, pathology and clinical medicine. At UCSD, however, the academic plan is designed to relate closely the clinical disciplines with the basic sciences.

Dr. Lockwood will serve as Assistant to the Dean for Hospitals and Institutions and will work with Dean Stokes and Dean Hamburger in the rapidly increasing administrative duties of the new School. Dr. Lockwood was trained as a surgeon and, until 1963, practiced surgery in Los Angeles and served at UCLA as an Assistant Clinical Professor of Surgery. He gave up his practice two years ago to become a consultant to the Medical Education Study at the University of Hawaii where he helped plan the two-year biomedical program for that school.

He was born in Los Angeles and attended Harvard University as an undergraduate. He received his medical degree from Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in 1947 and served as an intern in pathology at the Strong Memorial Hospital at the University of Rochester. He later interned in surgery I at Johns Hopkins Hospital and served as a resident in surgery at the Wadsworth Veterans Administration Hospital in Los Angeles.

Following military service, he returned to Wadsworth in 1953 as a resident in proctology. He began his private practice in 1955.

At UCSD Dr. Lockwood's principal job will be to coordinate the program planning for the Clinical Science Building and Campus Hospital which will be a \$30 million complex in the heart of the campus medical center and scheduled for completion by 1971.

He will also coordinate the programs at the County and Campus Hospitals and will work closely with the Veterans Administration in planning their new hospital facility also planned for the Camp Matthews area.