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A series of interdisciplinary courses focusing on the interrelationship between law and society are currently being offered by Revelle College at the University of California, San Diego.

The series of five new courses were initiated by Revelle Provost June Louin Tapp, a nationally known expert on the relationship between psychology and the law.

Four of the courses will be taught by visiting professors from the law schools at the University of San Diego and the University of Southern California. The remaining course will be taught on an interdisciplinary level by 16 professors from seven different departments on the UC San Diego campus.

The new courses are entitled: Jurisprudence, Legal Systems and Legal Methods, Law and Society, Environmental Law, and Justice.

In announcing the new courses Prof. Tapp noted that "historically the study of law--at least for the Oxford and Cambridge Colleges--was part of the general education of a young scholar.

"In today's contemporary world," she continued, "familiarity with the institution of the law is necessary. The perspective of the social sciences and humanities brings to the study of law an important benefit for future citizens."

Visiting faculty for the winter and spring quarters will include: Edmund Ursin and Paul C. Wohlmuth, professors of law at USD, and Martin Levene, former general counsel to the United States Senate Subcommittee on Constitutional Rights and currently professor of law at the University of Southern California.

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