

UCSD news and notes

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NEWS SOURCES

NUCLEAR ARMS CONTROL AND NEGOTIATING WITH THE SOVIETS...The Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, headquartered at UCSD, has several experts available to discuss current nuclear arms control negotiations. HERBERT YORK (534-3357) is director of IGCC and a former arms negotiator at the Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty , conferences in Geneva... GERALD JOHNSON (534-6894) is a new research associate at IGCC with a long and distinguished background as a SALT negotiator and is also a former delegate to the nuclear test ban treaty negotiations...ALAN GREB (534-3352) is associate director of IGCC and has studied problems relating to nuclear arms control.

POLITICS AND ELECTIONS... There are several members of the political science department with expertise on American politics and the elections. SAM KERNELL (534-3548) is an authority on the presidency and returns to UCSD after an extended stay at the Brookings Institution in Washington, D.C....GARY JACOBSON (534-4295) is one of the country's leading experts on congress...SAM POPKIN (534-2758) is an expert on the American political process and political polling, and STEVE ERIE (534-3083) is also an excellent resource to comment on the elections....Well known political pollster PATRICK CADDELL will also be on campus as a Regents' Lecturer Nov. 13-19.

CAMPUS NOTES

AUTHOR, AUTHOR... Several UCSD faculty have hit the big time with recent books. PAUL SALTMAN has been getting a lot of ink and an appearance on the "Phil Donahue Show" for his new book "The California Nutrition Book" and DICK FRIEDMAN ("Who Wrote the Bible") is waiting in the wings to do an upcoming "Nightline" with Ted Koppel. Friedman was the subject of a front page story in the Wall Street Journal and a two-page article in U.S. News and World Report. Next up is anthropologist SHIRLEY STRUM, who will do a nationwide promotional tour in November for her new book "Almost Human: A Journey into the World of Baboons" published by Random House. HERBERT YORK, director of the Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation, is about to hit the stands with his newest book, "Making Weapons, Making Peace," a study of the nuclear arms race by a man who has been an insider since the original Manhattan Project.

AROUND UCSD... Dr. MARGARET BURBIDGE, director of the Center for Astrophysics and Space Sciences at UCSD, will be honored by Mt. Holyoke College in Massachusetts Nov. 7, where she will be a recipient of a medal honoring the school's 150th anniversary...JOHN CATES, a supervisor in physical education, has been named to the Board of Directors of the World Corporate Games to be held in San Francisco Oct. 22-Nov. 5, 1988...The physics department has dedicated a room in honor of Nobel Laureate MARIA MAYER for whom Mayer Hall is named... Physicists ASOKA MENDIS and CARL MCILWAIN have recently returned from the Soviet Union where they were among the invited guests celebrating the 30th anniversary of the launching of Sputnik.

UPCOMING AT UCSD

November 7: U.S. SEN. DANIEL MOYNAHAN SPEAKS TO "EVENING WITH ..." DINNER DANCE

November 10-12: AIDS AWARENESS WEEK AT UCSD

November 13-19: POLITICAL POLLSTER PATRICK CADDELL REGENTS' LECTURER

November 15: HELEN SUZMAN, M.P., A MEMBER OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN PARLIAMENT AND OUTSPOKEN OPPONENT OF APARTHEID WILL SPEAK ON "WILL SOUTH AFRICA SURVIVE?"

December 2: NORMAN COUSINS, FORMER EDITOR OF THE "SATURDAY REVIEW", WILL SPEAK ON "IS THERE A LONG RUN SOLUTION TO THE ARMS RACE?"

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