

Armin Rappaport will head Third College as Provost

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The Regents of the University of California today approved the appointment of Dr. Armin Rappaport, Provost of the new Third College on the San Diego Campus, effective July 1. President Clark Kerr and San Diego Chancellor John S. Galbraith announced the appointment of Dr. Rappaport, Professor of History on the Berkeley Campus since 1949.

The Third College is scheduled to begin instruction in the fall of 1970. It is one of a series of 12 interrelated colleges, each accommodating 2300 to 2500 students, giving students and faculty the opportunity of working in desirably small academic units while enjoying the advantages of a major university.

Dr. Rappaport, born in New York City in 1916, joined the faculty at Berkeley in 1949. Since 1962, he has held a special appointment as Assistant Dean of Students in addition to his duties as history professor.

He received a Bachelor of Science Degree in 1936 from the University of Virginia and a Master of Arts Degree in History two years later, also from the University of Virginia. He received a second M.A. from Yale in 1942. After serving in the U.S. Army during World War II, he earned a Ph.D. in History at Stanford University in 1949. During the 1964-65 academic year, he served as Fulbright Professor of History at the University of Paris and lectured in other parts of Europe.

Dr. Rappaport is the author of "Patterns in American History" and editor of "Issues of American Diplomacy," and "Sources in American Diplomacy." He also served as editor for "Essays in American Diplomacy" and as general editor of the "American Diplomatic History Series." His articles and papers have appeared in numerous historical publications.