

## **Dr. Harold T. Hammel presents third PILS lecture**

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Dr. Harold T. Hammel, professor of physiology at the University of California, San Diego's School of Medicine, will present the Professor's Inaugural Lecture, Thursday, November 7, at 4:15 p.m. His topic will be "Regulation of Internal Body Temperature in Vertebrates."

The lecture, administered by the UCSD Committee for Arts and Lectures, is the third of this year's series. It will be held in the Humanities-Library Auditorium on the Revelle College Campus, and is free and open to the public.

Although he is a member of the School of Medicine staff, Dr. Hammel has been directly affiliated with the Physiological Research Laboratory at UCSD's Scripps Institution of Oceanography since 1967.

Beginning in 1953, his studies of thermal and metabolic changes in vertebrates have taken him on numerous physiological expeditions throughout the world. His most recent field work was conducted aboard the Scripps experimental biological laboratory vessel Alpha Helix during her recent expedition to the Bering Sea.

Dr. Hammel received his B.S. degree in physics from Purdue University in 1943, his M.S. degree in physics from Cornell University in 1950, and his Ph.D. in zoology from Cornell in 1953.

From 1953 to 1961, Dr. Hammel served as instructor and assistant professor in the Department of Physiology at the University of Pennsylvania. In 1961 he joined the Yale University School of Medicine faculty as associate professor of physiology and served there until his appointment at UCSD. At Yale he was also a Fellow and Head of the Physiology Division of the John B. Pierce Laboratory.

The author of many scientific papers, Dr. Hammel is a member of the American Physical Society, the American Society of Mammalogy, the American Physiological Society, the American Society of Zoologists, and the American Society of Plant Physiologists.