

John Wood appointment

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John Wood, 27, has been appointed to head the publications and public information department of the new University of California Extension on the San Diego campus.

Extension, which has operated in San Diego since 1917, will officially open on the San Diego campus July 1. In the past it has operated through the extension office in Los Angeles.

Wood is former director of public relations and advertising for Mission Bay Park. Previous to his Mission Bay position, he was manager of public relations at Sea World and a reporter for The San Diego Union.

San Diego Extension, under the direction of Dr. Martin Chamberlain since January, will expand its curriculum this fall. It will also begin training Peace Corps volunteers and broadening its work in television and special community seminars.

Last year more than 10,000 people enrolled in a variety of Extension courses from sculpture to linear algebra. Chamberlain said he expects a 20 per cent increase in enrollment this year.

Extension will publish quarterly schedules in the coming year listing its classes, now on a quarterly system. Interested persons may be put on the Extension mailing list by writing, care of the San Diego campus or calling.

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