

Robert H. Smith appointed Director of Development

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The appointment of Robert H. Smith as Director of Development at the University of California, San Diego, was announced today by Dr. Martin N. Chamberlain, Assistant Chancellor - Public Affairs.

A native of Oak Park, Illinois, Smith graduated from the University of Denver in 1953 with a Bachelor of Law degree.

Prior to joining UCSD, he was Director of Deferred Giving and Associate Director of Development for Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, Illinois.

He was program associate and consultant for the American Baptist Home Mission Societies, Valley Forge, Pennsylvania, and was president for two years of the Cambridge Apartments, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Dr. Chamberlain said Smith will conduct general solicitation programs, including alumni gifts, and will work with estate planners, attorneys, and trust officers in the areas of wills and estates.

Private, corporation and foundation support is needed at UCSD for scholarships, research and buildings, Dr. Chamberlain said, adding that the general campus, School of Medicine and Scripps Institution of Oceanography each has a variety of projects which need outside funding.

The Smiths, who have four children, live at 10031 Pandora Drive, La Mesa.