

## **SIO and SSE Move to new quarters in Ritter Hall**

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More than a hundred members of the staffs of the University of California's Scripps Institution of Oceanography and School of Science and Engineering will be moving into new quarters on the La Jolla campus during the coming week.

A three-story addition to William E. Ritter Hall was formally accepted by the University on Friday, January 22. Some of the furniture has already been installed. Staff members will start moving into the new offices on Monday. The move may take several weeks to complete.

J.W. Tippetts, Building Program Coordinator at La Jolla, said that almost 50 percent of the available floor space in the new wing is allocated to the new School of Science and Engineering. The remainder will be occupied by staff members of the Scripps Institution.

The three-story building contains 58 laboratories, 83 offices, and several special-purpose rooms, totalling 50,000 square feet of space. It was designed by Frank Hope and Associates, San Diego, and built by Teyssier and Teyssier, San Diego.

Still under construction on the La Jolla campus are another large laboratory building and a 250-seat lecture hall. These will be completed by May 1.