

Grad student Thomas Holzer gets post-doctoral fellow from NATO

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A postdoctoral fellowship sponsored by the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) has been awarded to a UCSD graduate student.

Thomas E. Holzer, research assistant in the Department of Applied Physics and Information Sciences, has been notified by the National Science Foundation of the NATO award, which will underwrite a year's study by Holzer at Imperial College, University of London.

Holzer, a candidate for a Ph. D., was one of 45 recipients selected from a field of 452 applicants. Applications were screened by panels of scientists appointed by the National Research Council.

The NATO-founded fellowship program was initiated by NATO in 1959 to promote "full development of science and technology, which is essential to the culture, economy, strength and welfare of the Atlantic community."

The fellowship includes a stipend of \$6,500 for a year's study abroad, plus allowances for dependents and travel.

Holzer's wife, Cathie, will accompany him to England.