

Dr. Robert B. Livingston elected Associate Member of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons

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A San Diego scientist has been elected an Associate Member of the American Association of Neurological Surgeons. Dr. Robert B. Livingston, chairman of the Department of Neurosciences of the University of California, San Diego's School of Medicine, was so honored at the Association's recent annual meeting in Chicago.

Dr. Livingston, who has served in his present position since 1965, received his AB from Stanford University in 1940 and his MD from the Stanford University Medical School in 1944.

Prior to joining UCSD, Dr. Livingston held residency, teaching and administrative positions with Stanford University Hospitals, Yale University School of Medicine, Harvard Medical School, the University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine and a combined appointment as Scientific Director of the National Institute of Mental Health and the National Institute of Neurological Diseases and Blindness.

Dr. Livingston, a member of several professional organizations and author or co-author of more than 100 scientific articles, has given numerous invited lectures throughout the United States.

His honors include: Bronze Star, World War II; Wilhelm Gruber Fellow in Neurophysiology, France and England (1949-50); Special Fellowship, National Institute for Mental Health, Sweden (1956); Assistant to the President, National Academy of Sciences-National Research Council (1951-52); and Fellow, American Academy of Arts and Sciences (1966).

The American Association of Neurological Surgeons was founded in 1931 as the Harvey Cushing Society, in honor of the father of modern neurosurgery. It was established to promote and advance neurological surgery and related sciences. Associate Membership is conferred upon basic medical scientists who have contributed significantly to advancement in the field of neurosurgery. Membership in this neurological society, which publishes the *Journal of Neurological Surgery*, is worldwide.

Dr. Livingston, his wife, and three daughters live in La Jolla.