

## **Four UCSD faculty members named recipients of 1991-92 President's Research Fellowships in the Humanities**

**May 23, 1991**

Media Contact: Pat JaCoby, 534-7404

FOUR UCSD FACULTY MEMBERS SELECTED AS 1991-92 PRESIDENT'S RESEARCH FELLOWS IN THE HUMANITIES

Four University of California, San Diego faculty members have been named recipients of 1991-92 President's Research Fellowships in the humanities.

Awardees include Michael Meeker, professor of anthropology; Frederick Olafson, chairman and professor of philosophy; Steven Shapin, professor of sociology, and Rachel Klein, associate professor of history. Olafson declined the award, however, due to his upcoming retirement.

Meeker's work focuses on the resurgence of provincial social traditions in Turkey; Shapin is working on a book about science and credibility in the 17th century, and Klein is researching artists, audiences and the politics of painting in mid-19th century New York.

Purpose of the fellowships, which range up to \$25,000, is to allow faculty members to extend their sabbatical leave, with pay, beyond the base period.

(May 23, 1991)