

Dr. Martin Chamberlain named assistant chancellor

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Dr. Martin N. Chamberlain, director of University of California Extension in San Diego, has been named assistant chancellor of the University of California, San Diego.

Announcing the appointment, UCSD Chancellor William J. McGill said Chamberlain will continue to supervise UC Extension programs in San Diego, but will also assume direction of UCSD's public affairs, gifts and endowments, and arts and lectures activities.

Chamberlain joined the UC faculty in January, 1966 after serving for two years as director of the Peace Corps in Tanzania, East Africa. Prior to that assignment he was Director of Continuing Education at the University of Washington, Seattle.

A professional educator with broad academic and administrative experience, Chamberlain received a B.S. degree in mining engineering and geology from the University of Washington in 1936. The University of Chicago's Division of Social Sciences granted him a Ph.D. in 1960.

Under Chamberlain's directorship, student enrollment in UC's Extension courses in San Diego rose from 8,185 in 1966 to this year's record high of 13,365 students.

Chamberlain is a retired member of the U.S. Naval Reserve with the rank of captain. During World War II he served as commanding officer of the USS Earle and executive officer of the USS Parker.

Chamberlain and his wife, Susan, reside in La Jolla.