Dr. Donald Helinski appointed Associate Professor of Biology

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Dr. Donald R. Helinski, Assistant Professor of Biology at Princeton University, has accepted appointment as Associate Professor of Biology at the University of California, San Diego, it has been announced by University President Clark Kerr and San Diego Chancellor John Galbraith.

Dr. Helinski's appointment is effective July 1.

Dr. Helinski joined the faculty at Princeton in 1963 after spending three years as a Public Health Service, Postdoctoral Fellow at Stanford University. He received a B.S. degree in chemistry from the University of Maryland in 1954 and an M.S. degree in biochemistry from the University of Maryland School of Medicine in 1956. He received a Ph.D. in biochemistry from the Western Reserve University School of Medicine in 1960.

He served as a Public Health Service Predoctoral Fellow at Western Reserve University from 1957 to 1959. At the University of Maryland he was awarded the William Simon Gold Medal in Chemistry and was later named a Weaver Fellow in Biochemistry at the University.

Dr. Helinski is a member of the American Society for Microbiology, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, Sigma Xi Honor Society and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. He has published numerous articles and papers on the subject of biochemistry.