

Applications of Sea-Going Computers will be next year

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A conference "Applications of Sea-Going Computers," has been scheduled for January 13 and 14, 1969, at Scripps Institution of Oceanography, University of California at San Diego, it was announced today.

Dr. William A. Nierenberg, director of Scripps Institution, has been named president of the conference, which is being co-sponsored by Scripps and the Marine Technology Society's Data Engineering committee.

"The conference program will concern itself -with the use of sea-going computers which enable scientists to record data more easily and to understand the data at sea rather than to wait for the later, delayed processing of data on shore," Dr. Nierenberg said. "The program will also examine the potential for computing machinery in marine and oceanographic applications."

Conference organizing co-chairmen are Charles B. Jackson, technical services supervisor with Univac and vice chairman of the San Diego chapter of MTS, and Dr. John D. Mudie, assistant research geophysicist at Scripps and a member of MTS' Data Engineering committee.

They said attendance at the conference is open to interested scientists and engineers in the United States, Canada, and Mexico and that invitations are being sent to selected scientists in other countries. A similar conference was held at UCSD in 1964.

All accepted papers will be published as conference proceedings.