

Roger Revelle Chosen Dean of School of Science and Engineering, University of California, San Diego

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Roger Revelle, Director of The University of California's Scripps Institution of Oceanography for the past decade, has been chosen Dean of The University's new School of Science and Engineering in San Diego, President Clark Kerr announced last week.

Revelle retains his position as Director of Scripps.

The new School, designed to provide graduate instruction and basic research in the sciences and engineering opened its doors to graduate students for the first time in September. Departments of Physics, Chemistry and the Earth Sciences are already in being. Others are planned. The School is the first step toward the establishment of a large general campus of The University in the San Diego area. Revelle has served as Acting Dean for the past year and a half.

The 51-year-old Revelle, a graduate of Pomona College, took his Ph.D. at The University of California. Except for service with the U. S. Navy during and immediately after World War II, he has spent all of his professional career at La Jolla. A member of the National Academy of Sciences and the American Philosophical Society, he serves on numerous advisory committees to the U. S. Government, notably the Naval Research Advisory Committee and the United States National Commission for UNESCO.