

The Swift/Esmark Lecture series presents Dr Lawrence Bogorad to speak on "Genetic Engineering: The Practice, The Promise, The Problems"

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Dr. Lawrence Bogorad, Maria Moors Cabot Professor of Biology at Harvard University, is scheduled to lecture on genetic engineering at 3:00 p.m. Thursday, December 3, at the University of California, San Diego.

Bogorad's talk, titled "Genetic Engineering: The Practice, The Promise, The Problems," will be held in the Mandeville Center Recital Hall. It is part of the continuing Swift/Esmark Lecture series presented by the Department of Chemistry and sponsored by the Esmark Foundation.

Bogorad has been associated with Harvard University since 1967 and was named the Maria Moors Cabot Professor of Biology in 1980. He had previously taught at the University of Chicago where he received a B.S. degree in 1942 and a Ph.D. in 1949.

He is a member of the National Academy of Sciences, a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and a foreign member of the Royal Danish Academy of Sciences and Letters. He served as a Merck NAS-NRC fellow from 1951 to 1953, as a Fulbright research scholar in 1960 and as a National Science Foundation senior postdoctoral fellow in 1960-61.

Bogorad served as president of the American Society of Plant Physiologists in 1968-69 and as chairman of the botany section of the National Academy of Sciences from 1974 to 1977. He currently serves on a number of national and international scientific boards and on the editorial boards of three scientific journals: "Journal of Molecular and Applied Genetics," "Plant Cell Reports," and "Plant Molecular Biology." He is also a member-at-large of the Section Committee of the Section of Biological Sciences of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

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