

## Appointments of Dr. Wall, Dr. Tschirgi and George Murphy

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The appointment of three new administrators for the San Diego campus of the University of California has been approved by the University Board of Regents, it has been announced by the University President Clark Kerr and San Diego Chancellor John S. Galbraith.

They are Dr. Frederick T. Wall, Professor of Chemistry and Vice Chancellor-Research on the Santa Barbara campus, who has been appointed Professor of Chemistry and Vice Chancellor-Graduate Studies and Research at San Diego; Dr. Robert D. Tschirgi, Professor of Physiology and Anatomy, Los Angeles campus and University Dean of Planning, who has been appointed Professor of Physiology and Anatomy and Vice Chancellor-Academic Planning at San Diego; and Mr. George S. Murphy Jr., Associate Dean of Students and Acting Dean of Men on the Berkeley campus, who has been appointed Dean of Student Affairs on the San Diego campus.

Dr. Wall and Dr. Tschirgi will assume newly created positions at UCSD. Mr. Murphy will take over the duties of Dr. Theodore W. Forbes who has been named Chairman of the Department of Physical Education at UCSD.

Dr. Wall, born in 1912, attended the University of Minnesota where he received a B.S. in 1933 and a Ph.D. four years later. He began his academic teaching career in 1937 as an Instructor in Chemistry at the University of Illinois. He was named Professor of Chemistry at Illinois in 1946 and was given the additional assignment of Chairman of the University Research Board in 1950. In 1955 he was named Dean of the Graduate College and Research Professor of Chemistry at Illinois.

Dr. Wall moved to the Santa Barbara campus at the University of California in 1964 as Professor of Chemistry and last August he was named Vice Chancellor-Research at Santa Barbara. His appointment at San Diego is effective July 1, 1966.

Dr. Wall is a member of the American Chemical Society, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Physical Society, and the Faraday Society. He was given the American Chemical Society Award in Pure Chemistry in 1945, the University of Minnesota Outstanding Achievement Award in 1959, and was elected to the National Academy of Sciences in 1961.

Dr. Tschirgi, born in 1924, attended the University of Chicago where he received a S.B. degree in 1945, an A.M. degree in 1947, a Ph.D. in 1949 and an M.D. in 1950 and held the post three years before moving to the University of California, Los Angeles as Associate Professor of Physiology and Anatomy. In 1959 he was named Professor and a year later added the duties of Academic Assistant to the President.

He took a special leave of absence during the 1963-1964 academic year to serve as Project Director of the bio-medical sciences program at the University of Hawaii. He was named University Dean of Planning in January, 1964. His appointment at San Diego is effective April 1, 1966.

Dr. Tschirgi serves as consultant to the National Science Foundation, Churchill Films, the Rand Corporation, and the Veterans Administration. He is a member of the American Academy of Neurology, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Physiology Society, the Biological Photographic Society, the Chicago Literary Club, the International Brain Research Organization, the San Diego Zoological

Society, Sigma Xi, the Society for Experimental Biology and Medicine, the Society for History of Medical Science(president, 1958-59) and the Biophysical Society.

He is the recipient of both the Ginsberg Award and the Borden Award for Physiological research.

Mr. Murphy, born in 1934, attended the University of Wisconsin where he received a B.S. degree in 1956 and an M.S. degree in Personnel and Counseling in 1963. He served as Assistant to the Dean of Men and Director of the University Housing Bureau at Wisconsin before moving to the University of California, Berkeley as Assistant Dean of Students in 1963. In April, 1964, he was named Executive Director of the Academic Senate's Committee on Special Scholarships. He was named Associate Dean of Students in 1965 and since July, has served as Acting Dean of Men.

Mr. Murphy is a member of Sigma Phi Society and is the recipient of the King Christian Award for significant contribution to human understanding. His appointment at San Diego is effective July 1, 1966.

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