

Professor Leonard D. Newmark Joins UCSD Staff

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A young scholar whose activities have included studies of the Albanian language and teaching Panjabi, a language of Pakistan, to Peace Corps volunteers, has accepted an appointment as the first Professor of Linguistics at the University of California, San Diego, Chancellor Herbert York announced today.

Leonard D. Newmark, 34, at present an Associate Professor of Linguistics and Director of Linguistics at Indiana University, will join the San Diego staff late in August.

Dr. Newmark received his bachelor's degree from the University of Chicago in 1947, his M.A. in linguistics from Indiana in 1951 and his Ph.D. from Indiana in 1955. He was a member of the staff of Ohio State University from 1957 to 1962, when he returned to teach at Indiana.

He is the co-author of a book on spoken Albanian; author of a study of the grammar of Albanian; author of a publication on spoken Panjabi; co-author with Dr. Morton Bloomfield of Harvard of "A Linguistic Introduction to the History of the English Language," now in press; and co-author of "Using American English," also in press.

He has published several technical articles and reviews in linguistics.

Dr. Newmark is spending a part of this summer as a National Science Foundation grantee for a Seminar in Computational Linguistics at RAND Corporation.

He is married and has one child.