

3 faculty members elected to The American Academy of Arts and Sciences

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Three members of the University of California, San Diego faculty were among 122 leading scholars, scientists, public figures and writers from throughout the U.S. elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences at the Academy's 196th annual meeting in Boston, May 13.

The new San Diego members are: Dr. Frederick G. Bailey, professor of anthropology; Dr. Harmon Craig, professor of geochemistry at Scripps Institution of Oceanography, and Dr. Dan L. Lindsley, professor of biology.

Nineteen UC faculty from six campuses were admitted to membership in the society founded in 1780 by John Adams and other intellectual leaders prominent in laying the philosophical foundations of the new American nation. The Academy, whose membership of 2,300 includes representatives from the sciences, social sciences, theology, fine arts and humanities, carries on an active program of study and publications on major national and international problems requiring expertise in many disciplines.

At the May meeting, 22 foreign honorary members from eleven countries including the Soviet Union, were also admitted to the Academy.

Bailey, a native of England, joined the San Diego faculty in 1970. He has carried out research in political anthropology in India and Europe and conducted expeditions to India and Cuneo, Italy.

Lindsley, whose work during the past several years, has dealt with the genetics of fruit flies, has studied and worked at Oak Ridge, Sao Paulo, Brazil, and Rome. In 1972 he received Revelle College's Excellence in Teaching Award.

Craig, who has pursued his research interests in deep-ocean geochemistry at sites and on expeditions throughout the world, is a member of the NSF three-man executive committee directing GEOSECS, a multi-nation program which is providing information about deep-water circulation as it affects climate, oceanic mixing and conditions governing the production of sea life.

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