

Dr. Robert Hamburger receives special guest speaker invitation

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Dr. Robert N. Hamburger, Professor and Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics and Chief of the Division of Immunology and Allergy in the School of Medicine, University of California, San Diego, has received a special invitation to be a guest speaker at The Nuffield Foundation's Fourth Rheumatism Conference.

The Nuffield Foundation is noted world-wide for its contribution and research in tissue culture and rheumatoid arthritis. The conference will be held in Ditchley Park, Oxfordshire, England, May 5 through 8. Dr. Hamburger's topic and discussion will be on "Allergic Tissue Damage and Foreign Antigens."

While in England, Dr. Hamburger will also attend the spring meeting of the British Society for Immunology, May 1 and 2 in London.

Dr. Hamburger was named Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics last year. He joined the UCSD faculty in 1961 as a member of the Department of Biology and later served as Assistant Dean of the School of Medicine during the School's formation.

Dr. Hamburger received his M.D. degree from the School of Medicine at Yale University. He was an intern, an assistant resident and instructor in the Pediatric Department of Strong Memorial Hospital and the University of Rochester in New York after leaving Yale.

He has also served as an assistant clinical professor at Yale and chief of pediatrics at Milford Hospital in Connecticut.