

Dr. Seymour Harris to speak on "The Economics of Education"

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Dr. Seymour E. Harris, world-known economics authority and Chairman of the Department of Economics at the University of California, San Diego, will speak on "The Economics of Education" at 8:00 p.m. Thursday (January 14) in Sherwood Hall, La Jolla.

The lecture, sponsored by the UCSD Committee for Arts and Lectures, is free and open to the public.

Dr. Harris is Lucius N. Littauer Professor of Political Economy, Emeritus, Harvard University, and Senior Consultant to the Secretary of the Treasury. He came to UCSD as Professor of Economics in July, 1963.

Dr. Harris joined the faculty at Harvard University in 1922. He served as Chairman of the Economics Department and was named Littauer Professor of Political Economy in 1957.

His extensive experience in governmental economics include positions as Director of the Office of Export-Import Price Control in 1942-43; member of the Secretary of State's Committee on Postwar Commercial Policy in 1943-44; consultant to the Social Security Board, the National Security Resources Board, and the Treasury Department; and member of President Kennedy's Task Force on the Economy. He has served as advisor to the Secretary of the Treasury since 1961.

Dr. Harris is the author of more than 40 books dealing with economics. His latest books include "Economic Aspects of Higher Education" (1963), "Economics of the Kennedy Years" (1963), and "The Economics of American Medicine" (1964).