

Editors Note - listing of UCSD faculty members receiving honors and awards. Also, grant of \$126,000 given by the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation for partial support of U.S.-Mexican Studies Project

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EDITORS NOTE

There have recently been a number of honors and awards given to UCSD staff and faculty members and to graduate students. In addition, the campus itself has received funds to support a research project through the Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies. We have combined a number of these into a single report for your use now or for future reference.

The Alfred P. Sloan Foundation has authorized a grant of \$126,000 to UCSD for partial support of a research project titled, "Government Attempts to Regulate the Use of Mexican Labor in the U.S. Economy: A Study of Outcomes." The project will be coordinated through the Center for United States-Mexican Studies under the direction of Dr. Wayne A. Cornelius.

Alan Schneider, Quinn Martin professor of drama, has been named to receive an honorary degree of Doctor of Fine Arts from Williams College, Williamstown, Massachusetts. The degree will be presented next September during a convocation titled "The Arts - A Celebration." The convocation will honor several outstanding representatives of the performing arts.

Dr. Victor H. Rumsey, professor of electrical engineering, received the George Sinclair Award from Sinclair Radio Laboratories of Omaha, Nebraska. Rumsey was lauded for his contribution to the laboratory, to the profession of electrical engineering and to the work that led to the design and refinement of many practical antennas.

Dr. Stephen O. Rice, research physicist in the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Sciences, received the Alexander Graham Bell Medal "for his contributions to the fundamental understanding of communications systems and to the underlying mathematics, and for inspiring younger scientists and engineers."

Mark Dresser, a graduate student in the Department of Music, has been awarded a Fulbright grant to participate in the binational program of educational exchange between the United States and Italy. Dresser is a contrabassist and composer who has performed locally and throughout Europe. The grant will enable him to study the Italian school of bass playing with Franco Petracchi for one year.

Bertram Turetzky, professor of music, has been chosen as Alumnus of the Year by the Hartt School of Music at the University of Hartford in Connecticut. He was cited for his pioneering work in converting the contrabass from an "orchestral" instrument into a major solo instrument.

David Antin, professor of visual arts, has been awarded a fellowship for independent study and research from the National Endowment for the Humanities. Antin, a poet, critic and performance artist, will study the sociological implications of art knowledge and the social structure of the avant-garde.

Dr. David Lewis, professor of history, is one of 41 scholars to be named Fellows and Associates of the National Humanities Center for 1983-84. The National Humanities Center is an institute for advance study in history, philosophy, literature and other fields of the humanities located in North Carolina. Lewis will work on projects of research and writing and will engage in interdisciplinary seminars, lectures and conferences while at the center.

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