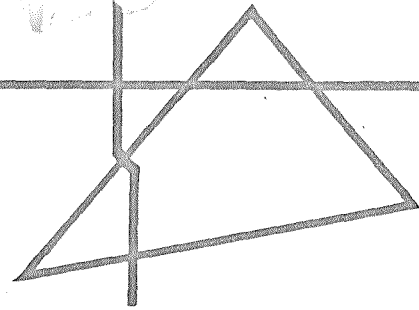


# NEWSLETTER



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This is the last Newsletter until Fall. The Program office will be unmanned over the Summer; to facilitate your contact with University members in the Pacific, data in previous Newsletters are collated here:

## FACULTY WHO WILL BE IN THE PACIFIC DURING SUMMER, 1969

- Abbott, Agatin (Geosciences)--Trust Territory (Palau)--leaving June 26, for 6 wks.  
Anderson, Donald (Lyon Arboretum)--Fiji--leaving Aug., 1969 for 3 mos.  
Bell, Theodore (Public Health)--Cook Is., Tahiti--left May 1, 1969 for 2 mos.  
Benedict, Albert (Microbiology)--Tahiti, Tuamotus--leaving late June, 1969 for 2 wks.  
Berger, Leslie (Microbiology)--Tahiti, Tuamotus--leaving late June, 1969 for 2 wks.  
Cardines, Richard (Public Health)--Cook Is., Tahiti--left May 1, 1969 for 2 mos.  
Clarke, Wm.C. (Geography)--Australia, New Guinea--leaving June, 1969 for 3 yrs.  
Cox, J. Halley (Art)--ship stops Fiji, Australia, New Zealand--leaving July 3, 1969 for 6 wks.  
Daws, Gavan (History)--Australia--leaving Aug. 1, 1969 for 9 mos.  
Dennis, Michael (Genetics)--Trust Territory (Marshalls)--leaving June 12, 1969 for 2 wks.  
Desowitz, Robert (Public Health)--Cook Is., Tahiti--left May 1, 1969 for 2 mos.  
Green, R.C. (Anthropology)--Fiji, SE Solomons--leaving Aug. 17, 1969 for 3 mos.  
Gundersen, K. (Microbiology)--Tahiti, Tuamotus--leaving late June, 1969 for 2 wks.  
Helfrich, Philip (Biology)--Trust Territory (Palau)--leaving June 23, 1969 for 1 mo.  
Kay, E. Alison (Gen. Science)--Trust Territory (Palau, Marshalls)--leaving June 22, 1969 for 5 wks.  
Malocha, Spencer (Genetics)--Trust Territory (Marshalls)--leaving June 12, 1969 for 2 wks.  
Moller, Norman (Political Science)--Trust Territory (Saipan)--leaving July 9, 1969 for 3 wks.  
Pirie, Peter (Geography)--New Zealand, W. Samoa--left June, 1968 for 15 mos.  
Rifkin, Erik (Genetics)--Trust Territory (Marshalls)--leaving June 12, 1969 for 2 wks.  
Sikkama, Mildred (Social Work)--Trust Territory (Saipan)--leaving June 22, 1969 for 1 wk.  
Smith, Albert C. (Botany)--Fiji--left Feb. 1, 1969 for 6 mos.  
Suehiro, Richard (Public Health)--Trust Territory (Saipan)--leaving June 8, 1969 for 3 wks.  
Tamarin, Robert (Genetics)--Trust Territory (Marshalls)--leaving June 12, 1969 for 2 wks.  
Townsley, Sidney (Zoology)--Trust Territory (Palau)--leaving June 24, 1969 for 3 wks.  
Trujillo, Eduardo (Plant Path.)--Trust Territory (Ponape)--left May 15, 1969 for 1 yr.  
Wyber, Susan (Genetics)--Papua, New Guinea--left May 27, 1969 for 3 mos.

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Peter Pirie to Head Pacific Islands Program

Commencing in September, Dr. Peter Pirie of the Geography Department takes over as Program Director, when Norman Moller goes on sabbatical. Currently Pirie is on sabbatical in New Zealand.

Pacific Islands Program Directory- Assistance Requested

Under the title of "Organized Research," it is planned to include brief notes on the following U.H. units which are engaged in Pacific-related research: Life Process sciences- Hawaii Agricultural Experiment Station, Hawaii Institute of Marine Biology, H.L. Lyon Arboretum, Pacific Biomedical Research Center, and Population Genetics Laboratory; Physical Sciences- Hawaii Institute of Geophysics, Land Study Bureau, and Water Resources Research Center; Social Sciences and Humanities- Economic Research Center, Education Research and Development Center, Pacific and Asian Linguistics Institute, and the Social Science Research Institute.

Is there any other unit which ought be included? Please let us know if we have inadvertently left out any pertinent University research unit.

Also to be included in the Directory will be a listing of non-University organizations in Honolulu with Hawaii and Pacific-related resources which can be availed of in University research, service and teaching. Tentatively these are: Bishop Museum; Hawaiian and Pacific Collection, State Library; Hawaiian Historical Society; Hawaiian Mission Children's Society; Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association; and State Archives. Are there any others to which reference ought be made?

(Hopefully) the Directory will be "put to bed" by July 1, 1969. However, printing and distribution will probably not be completed until the Fall semester is under way. Consequently, any readers knowing of faculty joining the University who ought to be listed in the Directory are requested to call this information to the attention of the Program.

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Foundation for the Peoples of the South Pacific--Identified

Launched in 1966, the Foundation for the Peoples of the South Pacific, Inc., seeks to increase the flow of developmental aid to the islands of the South Pacific. Its first effort was to sponsor a development survey to identify needs and measures necessary to close the gap between available finances and growing demands.

"The survey began in November, 1966 in New Guinea, and continued through the British Solomon Islands, New Hebrides, New Caledonia, Fiji, Tonga, Western Samoa to American Samoa. After a visit to the East-West Center at Hawaii, the survey team flew to New York to present its report to the Foundation."

It is reported the Foundation has since taken on a number of small development projects, of which the largest is the pledge of \$100,000 for a dredge to help build a causeway at Tarawa in the Gilberts.

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Nominations for Pacific Islands Program Committee

Now is the time for the Dean to name the members of the Pacific Islands Program Committee for the 1969-70 academic year. At the May 12 meeting of faculty members interested in the Program, it was suggested that this Newsletter carry a request for nominations to be included in a panel to be submitted to the Dean. Self-nominations and your designation of others who will contribute to the development of the Program are solicited. For your convenience, you can tear off the bottom of this page and send it in.

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I nominate for membership on the Pacific Islands Program Committee:

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(name) (dept.)