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WLU ANNOUNCES ITS FIRST

MASTER OF ARTS PROGRAM

The first Master of Arts program to be offered by Waterloo Lutheran University was announced today by Dr.William J.Villaume, WLU president and vice-chancellor. The program, to commence this fall, will be in romance languages(French and Spanish).

Announcing the MA program, Dr.Villaume said :"With our strong background in arts we are proud to be able to offer our first master's program. Others will be added later.

"The Senate recognizes that our requirements are more difficult than those of some other universities, but we have determined that this is going to be a degree of high distinction."

A Council of Graduate Studies in Arts has been named, under the chairmanship of Prof.Neale Tayler, Ph.D., chairman of the department of romance languages. Dr.Tayler joined the faculty of Waterloo University College (the arts faculty of Waterloo Lutheran University) in 1962, coming from the University of Toronto where he was chairman of graduate studies in modern languages.

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A graduate of the University of Toronto, Dr.Tayler received his MA degree in Spanish, later continuing his post-graduate work at the National University of Mexico and Laval University, Quebec City. In 1948 he received his doctorate of philosophy from the University of Toronto. He has lived in France and Spain, undertaking research and writing.

Other members of the Council of Graduate Studies are:

Frederic Arnold, Ph.D., visiting professor of romance languages; Lorna Berman, Ph.D., assistant professor of romance languages; Lawrence Dawson, Ph.D., associate professor of romance languages; Frederick Little, Ph.D., associate professor of philosophy; John McMurry, Ph.D., professor and chairman of the department of geography; Charles Paape, Ph.D., professor and acting chairman of the department of English. Ex officio: Dr.Lloyd H.Schaus, dean of WUC.

The courses to be offered in this program will be considered by the Senate at its meeting on January 13 and announced shortly afterwards. Brochures will be available from Dr.Neale Tayler, c/o Waterloo University College, 75 University Avenue West, Waterloo, Ontario.

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