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WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENTS TO GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT

APPOINTMENTS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY, GEOLOGY AND PLANNING OF THE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF WATERLOO LUTHERAN UNIVERSITY, WERE ANNOUNCED TODAY BY THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS. THE NEW CHAIRMAN OF THE DEPARTMENT IS DR. JOHN H. McMURRY, WHO COMES HERE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY AT FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY.

DR. McMURRY WAS EDUCATED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN IN GEOLOGY, PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND GEOGRAPHY. HE HAS ALSO BEEN ON THE FACULTY OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY AND IS SPENDING THE CURRENT SUMMER AS VISITING PROFESSOR OF GEOGRAPHY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN.

AN EXTENSIVE CONTRIBUTOR TO GEOGRAPHY AND PLANNING PERIODICALS, DR. McMURRY HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH NUMEROUS CONSERVATION AND RESOURCE AGENCIES IN MICHIGAN AND FLORIDA, SUCH AS: FLORIDA LAND USE AND CONTROL COMMISSION, PARKS BOARD, FLOOD CONTROL PROJECT, COMMISSION ON UNDEDICATED STATE-OWNED LAND.

WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE'S BOARD OF GOVERNORS ALSO ANNOUNCED THE APPOINTMENT OF DR. PRADYUMNA P. KARAN AS ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF GEOGRAPHY. A NATIVE OF INDIA, DR. KARAN TOOK HIS B.A. DEGREE AT BATNA UNIVERSITY IN HONORS ECONOMICS, HIS M.A. IN ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY AT BENARES UNIVERSITY AND HIS PH.D AT INDIANA UNIVERSITY. DR. KARAN IS COMING TO WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY WHERE HE HAS BEEN

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WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE FACULTY APPOINTMENTS (CONTINUED)

LECTURING ON REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY OF SOUTH ASIA.

THE FACULTY OF THE GEOGRAPHY, GEOLOGY AND PLANNING DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN COMPLETED BY THREE OTHER STAFF ADDITIONS. MR. HAROLD F. KEUPER, IS JOINING THE STAFF AS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF GEOGRAPHY AND PLANNING. MR. KEUPER RECEIVED HIS M.A. DEGREE FROM CLARK UNIVERSITY IN URBAN AND ECONOMIC GEOGRAPHY. FOR A TIME HE WAS RESEARCH GEOGRAPHER FOR RAND-MCNALLY AND COMPANY.

MR. STUART A. HARRIS IS JOINING THE FACULTY AS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF GEOGRAPHY AND GEOLOGY. HE COMES TO WATERLOO FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO. A NATIVE OF ENGLAND WHO HAS TRAVELLED EXTENSIVELY, MR. HARRIS RECEIVED HIS B.Sc. AND M.Sc. DEGREES FROM QUEEN MARY COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

THE GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT ROSTER IS COMPLETED BY MR. J. CHADWICK DAY AS LECTURER IN GEOGRAPHY AND GEOLOGY. A LECTURER AT WATERLOO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE IN 1960-61, MR. DAY HAS JUST COMPLETED ADDITIONAL STUDIES IN GEOGRAPHY AT LONDON, ONTARIO.