SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

The Canada Council has announced awards to 16 senior scholars in the humanities and social sciences. The research fellowships (Category 3a of the Council's scholarship programme) are of an average value of $4,500 for married candidates and $4,000 for single candidates. They are tenable for one year in Canada or abroad and usually carry with them an allowance for travel.

Canada Council scholarships are awarded on several levels in order to provide maximum assistance in the various areas of the arts, humanities and social sciences and to ensure equal opportunity for candidates at different stages of development. The Senior Research Fellowships are intended for scholars with established reputations. They are designed to enable successful candidates to devote their full time to research, study and writing. In most cases they are supplemented by appropriate salary allowances from the candidate's employer.

FISHERIES EXPERT TO AFRICA

Dr. Henri Fougère of Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, a fisheries technologist, has been appointed to carry out a series of technical-assistance assignments in Nigeria, Ghana and Mauritius under the Special Commonwealth African Aid Programme.

The services of Dr. Fougère have been lent to the External Aid Office by the Fisheries Research Board of Canada. While in Nigeria and Ghana, Dr. Fougère will investigate several fisheries projects with a view to possible Canadian assistance to the Governments of those countries in carrying out the projects.

In Mauritius, Dr. Fougère will spend three months advising the Government on problems concerning the marketing of fish. Dr. Fougère's assignment will complement one just completed by Mr. Gérard Tremblay of St. Eustache, Quebec, who has been advising the Mauritius Government on the marketing of agricultural products.

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