

# NEW COLLEGE NEWS RELEASE

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SARASOTA -- Sir Patrick Dean, British Ambassador to the United States, will be the honored speaker at the inauguration of New College President John Elmendorf on February 22.

The first inaugural ceremony held by the college since its founding in 1960 will be held at 9:30 a.m. in the formal courtyard of the state-owned John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art, adjacent to the college campus.

Sir Patrick was formerly an educator as a Fellow of Clare College, Cambridge and later teaching law there. He joined the British Foreign Office in 1939 and was United Kingdom Permanent Representative to the United Nations before being appointed to the ambassador's post.

The inauguration marks the first full ceremonial scheduled by the college since its inception. College spokesman said that the inauguration of a president had been delayed because of the precedence of establishing the academic program, now in full operation.

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Dr. Elmendorf was formerly vice president of Brown University and prior to that had been vice president and dean of the faculty of Mexico City College.

Attending the ceremonies will be educational leaders and delegates from many colleges, universities, and learned societies in this country and abroad.

Several thousand invited guests are expected to attend the ceremonies in the formal setting of the museum courtyard. A full academic procession will precede the actual investiture of the president by the chairman of the college's board of trustees.