

# ACCD pays tribute to veteran educator

The Alamo Community College District has recognized San Antonio College English professor John Igo for 40 years of service at its recent faculty convocation in the McAllister Auditorium.

Igo, a San Antonio native, earned bachelor's and master's degrees in English from Trinity University, where he later taught chemistry and English, concurrently serving as an acquisitions librarian.

He also taught English at Saint Mary's Hall preparatory school before joining the English faculty at San Antonio College in 1953.

In addition to his work as a professor and literary scholar, Igo commented on literature and writing on the WOAI-AM "Morning Magazine" for more than 10 years.

At KLRN Public Television, he was a drama critic on "Artbeats," a moderator on "Face to Face," and he also appeared on "Weekend Magazine."

Igo also wrote reviews of local plays for many years in The Times. He is known as an award-winning theater producer and director, photographer, translator, poet, fiction writer and dramatist.

English Department chairman Alex Bernal describes Igo as the ideal example for defining excellence in teaching.

"His devotion to teaching and his ability to continue growing and gathering knowledge has instilled in his students the need to make education a lifelong pursuit," Bernal said.



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