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Kenneth W. Paull of Olympia has been named Coordinator of Library Systems for The Evergreen State College, it was announced today by Dean of Library Services James F. Holly. The appointment is effective April 16.

Paull, 38, has been a Budget Analyst in the Budget Formulation and Review Division of the state's Office of Program Planning and Fiscal Management (formerly Central Budget Agency) since October, 1967.

In his new position, he will be responsible for designing both computer and non-computer systems for use in operating the new college's library, Holly said.

"We intend that our library systems be personalized; that they be set up with the users--students, faculty, staff and townspeople--in mind rather than designed just for the convenience of library personnel," he added. "Implicit in this effort is a desire to devise not only highly effective systems but also means by which maximum exploitation of library resources occurs."

Paull attended Western Washington State College, receiving a bachelor's degree in psychology and cultural anthropology in 1958. He attended graduate school at the University of Southern California in 1959, studying sociology and anthropology.

After spending seven months as a management trainee with IBM Company in Los Angeles, he joined System Development Corporation as a Human Factors Specialist, holding positions with the firm at Santa Monica, California; Moses Lake, Washington; and Grand Forks, North Dakota between October, 1959 and September, 1961.

Dick Nichols, Director
Information Services

He joined General Electric Company as an Engineering Psychologist at Philadelphia in 1961, held a similar position in GE's Apollo Support Program at Syracuse, New York, and became an Operational Programs Analyst for the company's Advanced Space Projects Department at Sunnyvale, California in 1962.

Paul was an Engineering Psychologist for Boeing Airplane Company in Seattle in 1963 and 1964. He joined Seattle First National Bank in Seattle as a Systems Analyst and Administrative Assistant to the Manager of the Data Processing Center in 1964, remaining there until he became employed by the state in October, 1967.

He and his wife Lorna are the parents of two sons, Kevin, 9, and Nathan, 6.

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