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Donald G. Smading has been named Assistant Dean for Career Service, Planning and Placement in the Division of University Services at Florida International University, the new state university in Miami.

In this position, he will be involved with coordinating and developing the University's student financial aid and work-study programs in addition to maintaining an active career planning and placement office.

Formerly the Associate Director of Student Financial Planning at the University of Miami, Smading has been active in the educational field since 1954.

He began his career as social science teacher, head football coach, and assistant basketball and track coach at the Sidney High School in Montana. From 1959-67, he served as head counselor at the Bozeman Senior High School, also in Montana. He served on the Board of Directors of the Montana Education Association and as President of the Southwestern District from 1965-67. In 1966, he served as President of the Montana Personnel and Guidance Association.

In 1967, he joined the University of Miami as the Assistant Dean of Men, a position he held until his promotion in 1969.

Smading received his bachelor of arts degree in 1953 and master of education degree in 1957 from the University of Montana. From 1960-63, he attended the N.D.E.A. Summer Counseling and Guidance Institute at the University of Montana.

In 1966, he attended the Institute at the University of Miami, and worked periodically from 1967-70 on his doctorate in educational administration there. In the summer of 1969, he attended the Financial Aid Institute sponsored by the United States Office of Education at Middle Tennessee State University.

He is the editor of the Florida Financial Aid Administrators

Newsletter, a member of the National Educational Association,

American Personnel and Guidance Association, Phi Delta Kappa, national education honorary, and the Florida Personnel and Guidance Association.