

Ruggles succeeds Moore

Dr. David P. Ruggles has been appointed dean of the School of Education.

He has been assistant dean since November, 1979.

He succeeds Dr. Arnold J. Moore, dean of the School of Education since 1973, who accepted the post of dean of the School of Education at Mississippi State University, Starkville.

Before coming to YSU, Ruggles was associate director for undergraduate programs for the Kentucky Council on Higher Education, counterpart of the Ohio Board of Regents.

Dean Ruggles received his bachelor's and master's degrees at the University of Michigan, and his doctor's degree in education and history at Michigan State University. He held graduate fellowships at both universities.

He taught from 1966-68 at Leslie, Mich., High School, where he also coached football and wrestling and served as finance specialist on the negotiating team for Leslie Education Association (LEA). From 1969-71 he was teacher, coach and school administrator at Leslit Middle School, and also served as president of the LEA.

Dean Ruggles taught graduate courses in education at Rockford, Ill., College as visiting professor, then joined West Virginia Institute of Technology, where his administrative and teaching assignments

included serving as professor, chairman of the Division of Teacher Education, director of the Upward Bound Program, assistant to the President for Academic Affairs, faculty dean, and director of the Learning Center.

While at West Virginia Tech. he managed all academic support activities and the media center, organized and became permanent participant on the Academic Deans Council.

At the Kentucky Council on Higher Education he conducted state studies of teacher education, provided liaison for Colleges of Education and the State Board of Education, evaluated private college applications for licensures, and conducted program reviews for all undergraduate and professional teacher education programs.



David P. Ruggles