

Dr. Robert Ambacher attends German seminar

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Dr. Robert F. Ambacher, an MSC German professor, attended a five week seminar on post-war German civilization this summer in Germany. Ambacher said that this was made possible through a Fulbright Grant.

The seminar, according to Ambacher, was divided into two parts. The first part was held in Bonn and the second in Berlin. During both parts they had two guest speakers per day followed by a group discussion. Ambacher said that the speakers were the German equivalents of Americans such as Ralph Nader, Andrew

Schlesinger and James Reston.

Ambacher said that one of the highlights of the seminar was a trip to the Bundestag, the German House of Representatives. Here they had a two hour discussion with 15 prominent representatives comparing American and German foreign policy.

Ambacher was the only Pennsylvanian in a group of 25 American scholars to be selected for the seminar. He said that one of the main reasons that he was selected was his extensive work and teaching in the area of post-war German civilization which led to his receiving the Penn-

sylvania Distinguished Teachers Chair in 1978.

The Fulbright Grant was established in 1946 by Senator Fulbright. According to Ambacher its purpose is "to bring Americans together with foreigners who are working in the same areas."
