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IRE APPOINTS STUDENT AFFAIRS SECRETARY

New York, N.Y., October 5, 1961 - The Institute of Radio Engineers has appointed Mr. W. Reed Crone to the newly-created post of Student Affairs Secretary of the IRE. Mr. Crone will serve as a member of the IRE Headquarters staff in New York to coordinate and guide the IRE program of activities and services for its rapidly growing student membership.

IRE student membership, which has more than doubled in the last decade, now comprises 17,000 students in 500 schools all over the world. The total membership of the IRE, including students, is 91,000.

Mr. Crone will be concerned with the publication of the IRE STUDENT QUARTERLY as well as the activities of the 212 IRE Student Branches.

Mr. Crone was born in Albert City, Iowa, on January 25, 1931. He received the B.S.E.E. degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1955. Following three years active duty in the Navy he entered Ohio State University where he received the M.S. degree in 1960. Prior to joining the IRE Headquarters staff he was associated with the Denver Research Institute, University of Denver. He is a member of Tau Beta Pi, Eta Kappa Nu, and the IRE.

