

NASA JOHNSON SPACE CENTER ORAL HISTORY PROJECT

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA SHEET

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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

BS in Aeronautical Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia, 1943

MS in Studies in the Future, University of Houston at Clear Lake, Texas, 1980

PRE-NASA CAREER:

Design Engineer, Douglas Aircraft Corporation (1943-1944)

NACA, Langley Field, Virginia

Project Engineer, Flight Research Division

Project Engineer, XF-88B

NASA CAREER:

NASA Manned Spacecraft Center, Houston, Texas

Member, Space Task Group, Project Mercury

Head, Research and Development Test Coordination Office

Deputy Manager, Vehicles and Missions, Gemini Project (1962-1966)

Chief, Future Programs Division (1966-1971)

Chief, Landing and Recovery Division (1971-1973)

Chief, Safety Division (1973-1987)

POST-NASA CAREER:

Consultant, Hernandez Engineering (1987- date unknown)

PROFESSIONAL & HONORARY SOCIETIES:

- Sigma Chi (Social Fraternity)
- Past Associate Fellow, Aerospace Industries Association of America (AIAA)
- Past President, Space Center Rotary Club
- Past Member, Aviation Committee, Houston Chamber of Commerce

AWARDS & CITATIONS:

- NASA Exceptional Service Award (Apollo 8)
- NASA Exceptional Service Award (Apollo 11)
- NASA Superior Achievement Award (Gemini, Skylab, Space Shuttle)

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