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ACADEMIC DEGREES: Bachelor of Science (Engineering Mechanics)
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Master of Engineering (Engineering Mechanics)
Cornell University, 1977

Master of Arts (Earth and Planetary Sciences)
Washington University (St. Louis), 1979

Doctor of Philosophy (Geological Sciences)
Cornell University, 1984

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE:

7/84 - 9/86: Faculty Research Associate
Department of Geology
Arizona State University

9/86 – 12/05: Research Scientist
Laboratory for Atmospheric and Space Physics
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12/01 – present: Curator of Planetary Science
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PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES: American Astronomical Society (Division for Planetary Sciences)
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RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Educational outreach: incorporating space science into museum exhibits and K-12 curricula; Development of computer techniques for analysis and correlative study of multiple remote-sensing data sets; Digital image processing techniques; Physics of atmosphere/surface interactions; Mechanisms and rates of eolian sediment transport; Effects of topography on regional atmospheric circulation.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

- 1/90 - 12/94: Principal Investigator, NASA Planetary Data System Project
- 3/90 - 3/92: Project Scientist, NASA Planetary Data System Project
- 11/90 - 12/94: Principal Investigator, MSATT (Mars Surface and Atmosphere Through Time)
- 11/90 - 12/02: Co-Investigator, Hubble Space Telescope General Observer Program
- 10/95 - 9/99: Co-Investigator, Mars Color Imager (MARCI), Mars Surveyor '98
- 6/96 - 12/01: Science Content Coordinator, MarsQuest museum exhibit
- 6/00 - present: Principal Investigator, NASA Mars Data Analysis Program
- 11/01 - present: Co-Investigator, Mars Color Imager (MARCI) and Context Imager (CTX), Mars Reconnaissance Orbiter

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