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Born: January 8, 1947, Grand Forks, ND

Education: UND BSCHE 1969, MS ChE 1970
LSU MBA 1982



Career Experience

1970 E.I. DuPont, West Virginia
1970-74 US Air Force. Service in Colorado, California
Thailand & South Korea (commissioned at UND)
1974-80 Exxon Chemical Co., Baton Rouge, LA: Design
Engineer/Start Up Engineer; Operations Supervisor
1980-85 Exxon Chemical Co., Baytown, TX: Technology Head
Support for North & South America & Asia
1985-88 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Operations &
Planning Manager, Latin America
1989-91 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Sr. Planning
Associate, Polyethylene
1992-94 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Sr. Advisor,
Worldwide Polyolefins
1994-97 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Market Segment
Manager, Americas Polyethylene
1998-00 ExxonMobil Chemical Co., Hong Kong: Vice-
President, Polyolefins
2000-05 ExxonMobil Chemical Co., Singapore: Technology
Manager Asia Pacific, Polyolefins

Accomplishments

1983 Elected full member of American Institute of Chemical Engineers
1998-00 Negotiated terms of agreements involving the polyolefins products being considered
with the Chinese and Saudi partners of a proposed joint venture in China
2000-05 Addressed Chinese Agricultural Film and the Malaysian Plastics Associations and
numerous trade meetings, including Chinaplas and PlasIndia

Awards

1973 USAF Commendation Medal
1982 SBA Small Business Institute National Award to
MBA group
1997 Exxon Vice-President's Award for studies
on price/volume management of new products
2005 ExxonMobil Global Polyethylene Award
for team effort on improving product
realization

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Chemical