

# RESUME

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## **Personal**

Place of Birth: Illinois

Married:

Wife: Pamela

Three Children:

Heather, Age. 34

Britt, Age 23

Jon Leo, Age 30

- 1982      **Graduate studies in Astronomy and Energy Resources,**  
University of California, Berkeley, CA
- 1971      **Ph.D. in Experimental Nuclear Physics,** University of Wyoming, Laramie, Wyoming.  
Thesis title "Some Practical Applications of Experimental Nuclear Physics," (environmental problems).
- 1966      **M.S. in Experimental Physics,** St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri
- 1962      **B.A. in Engineering Physics,** St. Ambrose College, Davenport, Iowa

## **ACTIVITIES AFTER RETIREMENT**

### **Neighbors InDeed (NID)**

7-1-04: to present, Handy Helper volunteer for NID

7-1-05 to 12-15-06: Coordinator of Handy Helpers

12-1-06: to present, board member of NID

12-15-06 to 9-10-08: President of NID

2004-Present: **Tennis,** My wife and I have been an active member of the Lincoln Hills Tennis Group and play tennis 3-5 times per week.

## **PROFESSION BEFORE RETIREMENT**

1971-1973: **Instructor, Yuba College,** Marysville, CA. Teach all freshman and sophomore Physics and Astronomy courses

1966-1967: **Instructor,** Western Illinois University, Macomb, Illinois. Taught freshman and sophomore Physics classes full time.

## **COLLEGE FACULTY LEADERSHIP**

1997 – 1999: **Yuba College Campus Committees.** Served on College Information Assembly (CIA), Instructional Program Services Committee (IPSC), Co-Chair of the CIA Technology Subcommittee and Student Services Retention Committee.

1980-1981: **Treasurer, State of California Faculty Association of California Community Colleges.**

1978-1979: **President, Yuba College Faculty Association** at Yuba College. First contract under Collective Bargaining negotiated and effects of Proposition 13 managed during this term.

1976-1977 & 2001-2003 **Chairperson Academic Senate** at Yuba College

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Enjoy computer programming; have built two homes; raced motorcycles owned and operated a Motorcycle/Jet Ski/ATV sales business; enjoy water sports, sailing, mountain biking and tennis, do volunteer work for a non-profit called GraceSource, serve as merit badge counselor in Astronomy & Energy for Boy Scouts; and have done do major overhaul/repair of several automobiles over the past several years.