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**PERSONAL DATA:**

U.S. citizen  
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**EDUCATION:**

BA (Mathematics), George Washington University, 1964  
MS (Computer Science/Artificial Intelligence), De Paul University, 1991

**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:**

- 20+ years & currently—Information Disciplines, Inc., Baltimore and Chicago (Independent consulting practice). Specialties include:
  - Methodology and education for productivity, quality, and manageability in software development, including the enlightened use of structured disciplines and modern object-oriented techniques.
  - Organization, staffing, and control of information systems functions.
  - Defining, planning, and controlling large projects.
  - Integration of expert systems and other artificial intelligence methodologies into mainstream information systems
- 3 years—Phoenix Hecht Inc., Chicago, Vice President Responsible for all data-processing operations and software development; staff of 50.
- 4 years—Union Carbide Corporation, New York and Chicago
  - Project Manager for a very large integrated application (manufacturing and distribution).
  - Manager of Systems Programming, Midwest Regional Computer Center; established model data center based on utility-oriented approach and highly automated operation.
  - Manager of Systems Programming, New York Regional Computer Center.
  - Manager of Corporate Technical Services; led transition to centralized data-processing for the whole corporation, through standards, professional staff training, and consulting support for UCC regional computer centers.
- 6 years—Applied Physics Laboratory, The Johns Hopkins University, Columbia, Maryland
  - Supervisor of Systems Programming Assistant Supervisor of Computer Operations and Systems Programming
  - Assistant Supervisor of Software Development for satellite tracking and space exploration

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

- Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)
  - Chairman, Chicago Chapter, 1973, 1995
  - National lecturer, 1969 - 1971
  - Various committee and program roles 1979-present
- Chicago Software Process Improvement Network (C-SPIN), since 1997

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- *Object-Oriented Computation in C++ and Java*, 2007, Dorset House, ISBN 978-0-932633-7
- *Que Programmers's Dictionary*, 1993, Que Publishing, ISBN 1-56529-125-5
- Various articles and papers in professional and trade journals
- Web site [www.idinews.com](http://www.idinews.com)

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

- SHARE (User Group for large-scale IBM computers):
  - Various committees and projects
  - Vice President, 1966-1967
  - Systems Division Manager, 1965-1966, 1967-1968
  - Contributed through joint IBM-SHARE-GUIDE task forces to design of OS/360, PL/I, and other products.
- Teaching and lecturing: (technical and managerial subjects)
  - American Management Association (AMA), 1966-1977
  - Advanced Management Research (AMR), 1975-1978
  - Conference Board, 1973-1974
  - University of Chicago (Center for Continuing Education), 1979-1981
  - Northwestern University (Computer Science), 1978-1979
  - De Paul University (School of Business / Computer Science Department / Institute for Professional Development), 1988-1992, 1996-1997
  - Knowledge Systems Institute, Skokie, Illinois, 1994-1996
  - Broad catalog of client-site courses and presentations
  - Illinois Institute of Technology, Electrical and Computer Engineering Dept., 1997-2001
  - Loyola University, Computer Science Dept., 2008-

## **FOREIGN LANGUAGES:**

- Good knowledge of French
- Good knowledge of Norwegian (also reading in Swedish, Danish)
- Basic knowledge of German

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** *available on request*

- professional and personal references
- client list
- publications list and shorter reprints
- samples of work
- detailed descriptions of accomplishments
- salary history
- list of technical skills and specialties
- course lists and syllabi