My Life in Sports & Aerospace

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Overview

- Born and raised in PNW
- Lectured around the world on satellite servicing, astronaut operations, mission planning, and space physiology issues.
- Director of the Center for Research in Science at Azusa Pacific University
- Consultant on various human engineering and aerospace projects for ergonomic design, operations, flight crew systems, and life sciences
 - USAF fighter pilot training study for the RAND Corporation
 - NASA Crew Exploration Vehicle project
 - Lunar life support system requirements study
- Got to do a lot of cool and meaningful stuff along the way!



Dad's backyard telescope...



Education

SEASIDE HIGH



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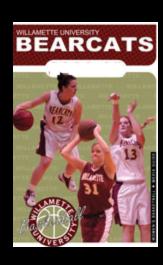


Education

- High School diploma, Seaside High School, Seaside, Oregon; concentration in math, science, and writing classes.
- Bachelor of Arts,
 Political Science,
 Willamette University, Salem, Oregon
 concentration in international relations, math, and science;
 graduated magna cum laude.
- Master of Science, Aeronautical/Astronautical Engineering, Stanford University, Stanford, CA.
- Doctor of Philosophy, Human Factors and Biomechanics, Stanford University, Stanford, CA.

Volleyball, basketball, track...







Stanford University NASA Ames Research Center

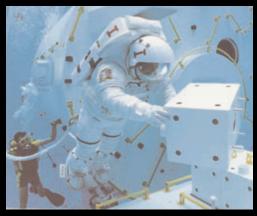




Lockheed Martin



HUBBLE SPACE TELESCOPE



INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION





Fountains of Bellagio...

- Director of technology development and head of research and development at WET Design in Universal City, California, developing various hardware and software elements for the 900-foot fountain in front of the Bellagio resort:
 - "During 1998 I spent a good part of my summer sitting on the sidewalk in front of the fountain on the strip in Las Vegas programming and developing a computer simulation for it. The air temperature was usually about 120 degrees and sometimes I was tempted to just jump in the water!"



Volleyball



- Play competitive Pro-Am beach doubles volleyball;
- Traveled with Athletes in Action volleyball to Bolivia, Brazil, and South Africa;
- Played FIVB professional tournaments



Football

Play women's professional football with the California Quake — 6 seasons (tight end, QB, and defensive whatever!)



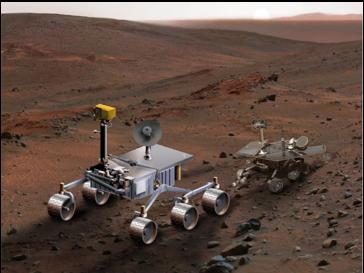
Honors and Awards

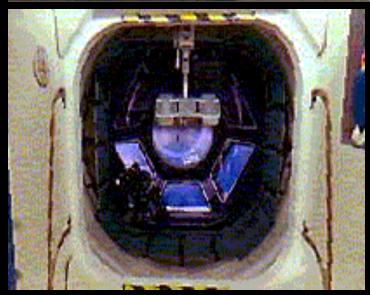
- California Quake Football Team Spirit Award, 2003, 2004, 2005.
- California Quake Football Team Head Coach's Award, 2004.
- Women's Affiliated Football Conference All-Star Team, 2002.
- Women's World Bowl Championship Team Member, 2002.
- Seaside High School basketball rebound record.
- Seaside High School high jump record.
- Seaside High School 100 meter hurdles record.
- Seaside High School Hall of Fame inductee, 2003.
- Willamette University basketball rebound record.
- Willamette University high jump record.
- Willamette University 100 meter hurdles record.
- Willamette University pentathlon all-time record holder.
- Willamette University Distinguished Alumni Award, 2000.

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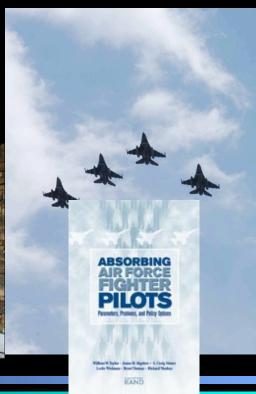


Think Tanks: SRI, RAND, & The Aerospace Corporation









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The message...

- FACT 1: God is good
- FACT 2: God knows you better than you know yourself and has your best interests in mind
- YOUR PART, 1: Trust God!
- YOUR PART, 2: Be willing to do whatever he asks of you, and go wherever he leads you
- YOUR PART, 3: Look for the opportunities he brings along, and make the most of them!
- FACT 3: He will be with you!
- RESULT: Living your life this way will be the greatest adventure ever!