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Education

1983 Ph.D. University of Arizona
1980 M.S. Stanford University
1973 A.B. University of California, Santa Cruz

Professional Experience

1983-1986 Development Geologist and Sedimentologist, Sohio Petroleum Company
1986-1992 Assistant Professor, New Mexico State University
1992-1998 Associate Professor, New Mexico State University
1998-Present Professor, New Mexico State University
2003-Present Academic Department Head, Department of Geological Sciences, New Mexico State University

Primary Research Interests

Sedimentation and tectonics, particularly the response of depositional systems and stratigraphy to crustal deformation

Professional Activities and Honors (last 6 years)

2001 Best Guidebook, Geoscience Information Society, 2001
2003 Fellow, Geological Society of America
2005-2007 *Geology* Editorial Board (also 1994-1996)