

DAVID S. BURGESS

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Background

Born in New York City (1917)
Oberlin College, B.A. (1939)
Union Theological Seminary (1942-1944)
Congregational and Christian Churches (1944-1947)
Minister of Agric. & Labor, Home Missions Council
CIO (1947-1955)
Local campaign director, So. Org. Drive (1947)
Organizer, CIO Political Action Committee (1948-1951)
Executive Secretary, CIO State Council (1951-1955)
Reserve Foreign Service Officer (1955)

New Delhi, India 1955-1960

Labor Attaché
Walter Reuther vs. George Meany
Russian vs. western aid
Can Hinduism and Hindu Culture Provide an Ideological
Foundation for Democracy in India?

Foreign Service assignments 1960-1966

Agency for International Development 1961-1962
Director, Indonesian and Burmese Affairs
Member, Humphrey Mission (1961)
Peace Corps Director, Indonesia 1963-1964
Peace Corps Recruitment Officer 1964-1965
Foreign Service Board of Examiners 1965-1966

UNICEF 1966-1977

Far East Regional Office 1966-1968
Dir. of Programs, Malaysia, Singapore, Hong Kong
Deputy Regional Director 1968-1972
Special Assistant to Executive Director 1972-1977

Private sector 1977-present

Harvard University 1977-1978
Dir., Latin American Scholarship Program
Minister, Zion Church, Newark, NJ (1979-1986)
Minister, St. Stephen's Church, NJ (1979-1989)
Exec. Dir., Metro. Ecumenical Ministry (1981, 1984-1990)
Habitat for Humanity

Comments on labor attaché program