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Born in Florida, raised on Long Island  
U.S. Navy, WWII  
Bowling Green State, George Washington University, Harvard University  
State Department Public Affairs  
McCarthyism

Hanover, Germany 1951-1954

Munich, Refugee Relief Program  
Hanover, Information Officer, Lower Saxony  
Hamburg, Information Program

Bangkok, Thailand, Economics Officer 1954-1956

Commercial attache  
Jim Thompson mystery disappearance  
Chinese population  
Ambassador Peurifoy  
Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt  
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Foreign Service Institute, Russian Language Study 1956

Harvard University, Russian Institute 1957

Berlin, Germany, Political Officer 1958-1960

Environment in East and West Berlin  
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| State Department, Soviet Desk<br>Soviet Flying Box Car and Civil Air Agreement<br>Khrushchev and Brezhnev      | 1962-1965 |
| Caracas, Venezuela, Policy Officer   | 1965-1968 |
| USIA, Washington D.C.<br>USSR and Eastern Europe<br>Radio Liberty<br>Cultural Programs<br>Working with the BBC | 1968-1973 |
| State Department, Congressional Relations<br>Issues with Congress<br>Pressure groups, lobbies                  | 1973-1978 |
| Senior Seminar   | 1978-1979 |
| Department of Commerce   | 1979-1980 |