

AMBASSADOR GEORGE QUINCEY LUMSDEN

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Born and raised in New Jersey	
Princeton University; Georgetown University	
US Navy	
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Bonn, Germany; Economic Officer	1962-1964
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Amman, Jordan; Chief of Consular Section/Political Officer	1965-1967
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