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Born in Arkansas; raised in Arkansas and Tennessee	
Vanderbilt University	
National Security Agency - Trainee	
U.S. Navy - Aviation Cadet	1953
U.S. Marine Corps	
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Entered Foreign Service - 1957	
Accra, Ghana - Political Officer	1957-1959
Nkrumah	
Soviets	
Environment	
State Department - Foreign Service Institute	1959
Chinese Language Training	
Taichung, Taiwan - Chinese Language Training/Political Officer	1960-1965
Quemoy and Matsu	
Politics	
Chiang Kai-shek	
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CIA	
Republic of China [ROC]	
China intelligence	
Sino-Soviet split	
State Department - INR - China and Thailand	1965-1967
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Soviet-Chinese relations	
Vietnam	
University of Michigan - China Studies	1967-1968
Student attitudes	
Kuching (Borneo), Indonesia - Consul	1968-1969
Environment	

Sarawak and Sabah Borneo Peace Corps	
Hong Kong - Political Officer Sino-Soviet split Vietnam China policies Mao Nixon/Kissinger China talks U.S.-China relations Lin Biao U.S. Peking recognition Taiwan Canton visit U.S. Peking mission (USLO)	1970-1974
National Security Council Kissinger China (PRC) East Asia U.S. forces in South Korea	1975-1977
Carter Center - Diplomat in Residence Iraq/Kuwait President Carter	1990-1992
Micronesian Status Negotiations Team	1992
Pretoria, South Africa - Political Counselor Namibia Soweto Reforms Apartheid negotiations Rhodesia Biko Boycotts Mandelas “African Renaissance”	1977-1980
Peking, China - Political Counselor Soviets Taiwan Relations Deng Arms sales (Taiwan)	1980-1982

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Harvard University - Cox Foundation Scholar China and India “The Dragon and the Wild Goose”	1982-1983
State Department - INR - East Asia and Pacific Affairs - Director Operations Interagency relations “Indigenous plane” issue MIAs Philippines China	1983-1985
Windhoek, Namibia - U.S. Observation Team - Head	1985
State Department - Intelligence Coordinator – Deputy Assistant Secretary Agency coordination Covert operations Afghanistan Iran-Contra Iran hostages CIA Director Casey CIA STASI’s Washington operation Taiwan’s nuclear program “Imbedded” agents Intelligence capabilities Embassy-CIA relations	1986-1987
Havana, Cuba - U.S. Interests Section - Chief Contras Radio Marti Angola and Namibia Africa CIA Defections U.S. Cubans Castro Operations U.S. policy Gorbachev	1987-1990

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Carter Center	1990-1992
Author, “The Rise and Fall of Totalitarianism”	
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State Department - Task Force 2000	1992