



Douglas W. Call, Ph.D. PMP, CasP is retiring this Summer from a 4 ½ decade career as a Navy Medical Service Corps Officer (24 years), pharmaceutical researcher, project management consultant and part-time university professor.

After graduating from Reed City High School in 1960 (high school activities included: Class Secretary 2 yrs; Paper Staff 3 yrs; FFA 2 yrs; Future Teachers 2 yrs; Junior Play; Track 3 yrs; Football 2 yrs and Forensics 1 yr.), Doug attended Ferris State University where he graduated in 1964 with a BS in Science Teaching. While at Ferris, he was awarded National Science Foundation Fellowships to study and do genetics research at the Jackson Laboratory in Bar Harbor, Maine in 1963 and 1964.

(In 1995, Doug established the Call Family Scholarship at Ferris State University to be awarded annually to a deserving student in the College of Health Professions. He funds this scholarship each year and has arranged for an endowment from his estate to fund future awards)

In the Autumn of 1964, Doug became a graduate student at the University of Louisville, Louisville, KY where he earned a Ph.D. in anatomy and medical physiology.

In 1968, Doug was commissioned as a Navy Medical Service Corps Officer and entered training in Pensacola, FL for designation as an Aerospace Physiologist. For the next 24 years, he was assigned to several Navy assignments with increasing responsibilities and in 1987 was selected to be the Commanding Officer of the Naval Biodynamics, Laboratory in New Orleans, LA. Among his Navy qualifications and awards were: Naval Aerospace Physiologist Wings; Navy Test Parachutist Wings (201 freefall jumps); Command Ashore Insignia; National Defense Service Medal (2 awards), Navy Expert Pistol Award, Navy Commendation Medal; Meritorious Service Medal and the Legion of Merit.

After retiring as a Captain in 1992, Dr. Call took a position as Program Director of the Duke University Center for Living, a medically-based wellness center in Durham, NC. In 1994 he entered the drug development profession and worked for 14 years at Quintiles Inc. (the world's largest pharmaceutical Contract Research Organization) where he held various assignments including: Executive Director of Global Learning and Development, Global Head of the Project Management Support Office and Global Project Director on numerous Phase I - IV

clinical trials in several disease indications including a cardiovascular mega trial which enrolled 11000 patients at over 400 investigative sites in 23 countries.

In 2008 he retired from Quintiles and became a clinical project management consultant and part-time university professor. Since then he has represented two different international project management consulting companies based in Europe as a consultant in clinical project management. These assignments took him to several areas of the world. Dr. Call also operates his own clinical project management consulting company, "Call and Warwick Project Partners, LLC" with his wife, Susan Warwick.

Four years ago, he became a faculty member for DIA (The Drug Information Association), an international professional organization, presenting clinical project management workshops to pharmaceutical companies and professional organizations globally. To date he has taught courses for drug development professionals in over 30 countries. Dr. Call also serves on the Safety and Ethical Advisory Board for a clinical research site management organization in Bangalore, India.

The author of numerous scientific and technical publications, he has presented over 80 scientific and technical papers on project management, drug development, aviation physiology, biomedical, and human factors engineering at national and international pharmaceutical professional conferences. He has served as an adjutant or visiting professor at several universities during his military and civilian careers. Among them were: Campbell University, School of Pharmacy, Buies Creek, NC; Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ; The University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA and Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, FL.

Certified as a Project Management Professional, Capt. Call also holds a professional certification in Aerospace Physiology.

Active in numerous professional organizations, Dr. Call is a member of the Drug Information Association, the Project Management Institute (President, North Carolina Chapter 2000), the International Project Management Association, the American Society for Training and Development, the Aerospace Physiology (President 1988) and the Survival and Flight Equipment Association (President 1982).

Among the other recognitions Dr. Call has received are:

- Distinguished Alumni Award – Ferris State University (1983)
- Alumni Fellow Award - Outstanding Graduate – University of Louisville (1991)
- Military Volunteer of the Year – Ventura County CA (Teaching CPR) (1981)
- Outstanding Boy Scout Leadership Award, Troop 413 Lexington Park, MD (1986)
- Fellow in Aerospace Medicine – Aerospace Medical Association (1986)
- Citation for Exceptional Teaching - Arizona State University – 1990

- Paul Bert Award for Physiological Research, Aerospace Physiology Society, (1980)
- SAFE Award for Outstanding Achievements in Aviation Safety – Survival and Flight Equipment Association (1978)

Habitat for Humanity Volunteer

For the past 4 years, Doug has been a regular volunteer (1-2 days/week) at the Orange County Chapter of Habitat for Humanity building and re-habilitating homes for low-income people. He also serves on the Board of Directors for this Habitat Chapter. Beginning this Fall, he will be serving as the Spanish Interpreter for volunteers from this Habitat Chapter when they go to build homes in Central America.

Doug lives with his wife, Susan in Chapel Hill, NC. He has two adult children: Wendy, a University professor and writer who lives in Seattle, WA and Alan, an Environmental Safety Engineer with the Environmental Protection Agency in Durham, NC.