



Rich Brook

Interested in lecturing on a cruise ship,
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INTERESTS

- 20th Century Military History
- Scuba Diving
- Travelling
- College Sports

LECTURE TOPICS

- WW1 (6 lectures)
- WW2 in Europe (6 lectures)
- WW2 in Asia (6 lectures)
- Winston Churchill (6 lectures)
- The Making of the Atomic Bomb
- The Resistance to Hitler
- The Holocaust
- Cracking the Enigma Codes
- The Nuremberg War Crimes Trials
- Stalingrad
- Helium Goes to War
- Americans in the Royal Canadian Airforce

YouTube Channel

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Work Experience

04 / 2019 – Current

**President – Air Liquide Helium America, Inc
Houston, TX**

Operating a helium business that extends from
Canada to Argentina

- A staff of 10 with sales of \$400 m+/yr.
- Managing all sourcing and distribution

07 / 1984 – 06 / 2016

**VP – Business Development, ePAK International
CEO – Grosvenor Partners**

CEO – Peak International

Engineering Manager – Texas Instruments

Various positions of responsibility over 30+ years in
the semiconductor industry

- Factory startups in China and Malaysia
- Managed global sales
- Built and ran teams of more than 2000
- P/L responsibility with capital raising through IPO's, Venture Capital and Private Equity

Education

09 / 1986 – 04 / 1988

Masters of Science in Engineering Management

Southern Methodist University – Dallas, TX

09 / 1979 – 04 / 1986

BS in Mechanical Engineering

University of Saskatchewan – Saskatoon, Canada

References

2018 to Current

Julie Martenson, Ph.D

University of Texas – Osher Lifelong Learning
Institute (OLLI)

- Many lecture series to various OLLI Groups

2018 to Current

Charters Wynn, Ph.D – Associate Professor

University of Texas – Director of Frank Denius
Normandy Scholar Program on World War II

- Numerous "Brown Bag Lunch" presentations

2010 to Current

Gregg Philipson

- Fellow lecturer and personal reference