

ROBERT H. McCALLISTER

Robert H. (Bob) graduated from Brown University in 1972 with a PhD in Geological Sciences. He was a professor at Purdue University until 1981, when he joined ExxonMobil's Upstream Research Company. For the next 22 years, Bob held several positions with ExxonMobil including Researcher, Sr. Manager, and Sr. Technology Advisor to the Executive Committee of the Exploration Company. Currently he is working with the United Way of Greater Houston as a Loaned Executive and Co-Chairperson of the Community Investment Committee, is a member of the Bright Beginnings Advisory Committee, and is Vice President of Board Activities for the Children's Museum of Houston. In 2015 he was also a member of AVANCE's Vision 2025 Committee.

Robert McCallister

Marital Status: Married, 2 children

Education: St. Lawrence University 1962-1966 B.S.
Brown University 1966-1968 M.Sc.
Brown University 1968-1972 Ph.D.

Employment Status: Retired from ExxonMobil

Experience:

1971-1981: Mineralogy Professor; Purdue University, W. Lafayette, IN
1979-1981: Board Member; Salvation Army, W. Lafayette, IN
1981-2003: Researcher, Sr. Manager, and Sr. Technology Advisor to the Executive Committees of ExxonMobil's Upstream Research and Exploration Companies, Houston, TX
2004-2015 Loaned Executive and Allocations Team Leader; United Way of Greater Houston
2015- Community Investment Committee Co-Chairperson; United Way of Greater Houston
2011-2012 Board Member; Children's Museum of Houston
2011- Advisory Board Member; Bright Beginnings Early Childhood Program
2012-2015 Vice-President of Education; Children's Museum of Houston
2015- Vice-President of Board Activities; Children's Museum of Houston
2015 Member of AVANCE's Vision 2025 Committee

Awards, Honors, and Appointments:

- B.S. with highest honors in geology; St. Lawrence University
- National Defense Education Act Fellowship; Brown University
- Postdoctoral Fellow; The Geophysical Laboratory,
Carnegie Institution of Washington, Washington D.C.
- Fellow of The Mineralogical Society of America
- Outstanding Board Service Award 2015; Children's Museum of Houston