

Vita

John Archibald Graham

Birthdate: July 28, 1939
Nationality: Australian
Education: University of Sydney, Australia, B.Sc. (Honors),
Physics, 1961
Australian National University, Australia, Ph.D.,
Astronomy, 1964

Professional Appointments:

Mount Stromlo Observatory, summer 1957, 1958
C.S.I.R.O. Division of Radiophysics, summer 1959
University of Leiden, Holland, Research Civil
Servant, 1964–1965
Kitt Peak National Observatory, Tucson,
Assistant Astronomer, 1965–1968
Cerro Tololo Inter-American Observatory,
Associate Astronomer, 1968–1971
Astronomer (with tenure), 1971–1985
Carnegie Institution of Washington,
Staff Member, Department of Terrestrial Magnetism,
1985–2002
National Science Foundation,
Program Director, Division of Astronomical Sciences,
2000–2001
Carnegie Institution of Washington,
Emeritus Staff Member, Department of Terrestrial Magnetism,
2002–

Professional Societies:

International Astronomical Union:
U.S. National Committee, Category 1
1995–1997
President, Commission 25 (Photometry and Polarimetry)
1979–1982
Scientific Organizing Committee,
Commission 25, 1973–1985, 1997–2000 Commission 28, 1979–1985
Local Organizing Committee, Baltimore General Assembly, 1987–1988
American Astronomical Society:
Warner-Pierce Prize Committee 1982–1983
Vice-President: 1984–1986
Local Organizing Committee, Washington Meeting, 1990, 1994, 1998, 2001

Astronomical Society of the Pacific

Board of Directors: 1988–1991

Scientific Organizing Committees:

Joint IAU Discussion “Old Stellar Populations”: 1982

“The Structure and Evolution of the Magellanic Clouds”: 1983

“Massive Stars in Galaxies”: 1985

“Instrumentation and Research Programs for Small Telescopes” (Chair): 1985

“The Formation and Evolution of Star Clusters” : 1990

“Stellar Photometry”: 1992

Other Activities:

National Science Foundation Astronomy Advisory Committee: 1984–1987

National Science Foundation Stellar Astronomy Proposal Panel: 1996,1999,
2002 (Panel Chair)

Kitt Peak Telescope Allocation Committee: 1987–1989

Carnegie Observatories Time Allocation Committee: 1992

American Astronomical Society, Shapley Lecture Program: 1987–1994

NASA Supernova Science Advisory Committee: 1987–1988

Visiting Committee, Dept. of Astronomy, University of Virginia: 1989

Users Committee, Cerro Tololo Inter-American Observatory: 1990–1992

Cosmos Club

Washington Area Astronomers Executive Committee: 1996–1999

National Capital Astronomers:

Vice President 1991–92

President 1992–94

Trustee 1994–98

Hopewell Corporation (Hopewell Observatory):

Secretary 2001–03

Corporation Director 1996–99, 2001–04

President 2003–04

Parkdale High School: Science Fair Judge 1994, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000

Lecturer, Summer Workshop for Science Teachers: Montgomery College

“Astronomy Across the Curriculum” 1997

Editorial Work:

Publications of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific:

Editorial Board 1985–1991 (Chair: 1988–1991)

Cosmos Club Bulletin:

Associate Editor 2002–