



## **Russel E. Hauck**

Age: 65

Political Affiliation: Republican

### **Experience Summary:**

More than 30 years experience and success in training and simulation systems technology industry, including more than 8 years as Executive Director of the National Center for Simulation. More than 19 years experience in local government as City Commissioner and Mayor of the City of Altamonte Springs, including 9 years of service in leadership positions on Central Florida regional transportation boards. Adjunct instructor at both graduate and undergraduate levels for the University of Central Florida, Daytona Beach Community College, and Webster University. Experienced public speaker. Excellent oral and written communication experience and skills.

### **Education:**

The George Washington University, Washington, DC  
Public Administration, MSA, 1979

U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, MD  
Foreign Affairs, BS, 1970

### **Local Government Experience:**

#### **City of Altamonte Springs, Florida**

**November 1989 to November 2008**

Mayor and City Commissioner

Elected to 3 – three year terms as Mayor of the City of Altamonte Springs (pop. 43,000) from 1999 through 2008, following 10 years as City Commissioner. As Mayor, served as a Member of the Board and Chairman of the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority (Lynx), and as Member of the Board of Metroplan Orlando, the Central Florida Regional Transportation Planning Board; both boards serving Orange, Seminole, and Osceola Counties. Served as President of the Tri-County League of Cities and Chaired the Seminole County Mayors and Managers Group. Numerous other board and committee leadership positions at the city, county, and regional levels.

### **Instructor Experience:**

#### **Adjunct Instructor, UCF/DBCC/Webster**

**May 1991 to August 1995**

Adjunct instructor in Public Administration at University of Central Florida (UCF) (graduate & undergraduate); and in International Relations (undergraduate) at Daytona Beach Community College (now Daytona State College) and Webster University.

### **Employment History:**

Mr. Hauck served as a defense consultant/contractor for more than 30 years, specializing in training and education and simulation technology engineering and technical support services and business development. His experience includes a wide range of research and development and support services projects, working with both large and small businesses and with both training and simulation hardware and support services companies. As Executive Director/President of the National Center for Simulation, Mr. Hauck pioneered development of the medical simulation and training sector in Orlando. He was also responsible for capture of more than \$22 million in defense appropriations for the Orlando simulation and training community. His Navy and Navy Reserve experience included a variety of responsible shipboard

and shore-based tours as a Mine Warfare Planner and Surface Warfare Officer and he retired in the rank of Captain (O-6).

**MeterStreet, LLC**

**May 2011 to Present**

Partner

Marketing and promotion of on-line training programs focused on taxicab drivers, especially to promote the development of professionalism, customer service and safety. Providing technical support and review of course materials as they are developed.

**Lighthouse Central Florida, Inc.**

**October 2009 to March 2011**

Vice President, Business Enterprises

Headed a special project to develop employment programs and opportunities for blind and sight-impaired workers; new initiatives for this non-profit charitable organization. Presentations to the business community to build awareness of and support for Lighthouse clients and programs. Leadership Orlando graduate.

**National Center for Simulation, Inc.**

**June 2001 to October 2009**

Executive Director/President

Executive Director and President of the National Center for Simulation (NCS), a non-profit membership organization with a mission of representing this \$ billion dollar + industry in Orlando and serving as a link between government, industry and academia in the promotion and development of simulation and training and related technologies across a broad range of applications, including defense, education, transportation, medicine and research. Mr. Hauck wrote congressional appropriations requests and was directly responsible for capture of more than \$22 million in appropriations for the Orlando simulation and training community.

Mr. Hauck was honored by the Team Orlando military commands, who said, in part, "As a direct result of your leadership and vision, Team Orlando has become a great partnership between the military, private industry, and academic training and simulation sectors of our region." Mr. Hauck also worked on diversification of the industry, especially in moving the community toward a growing opportunity in medical training and simulation research and applications.

**Systems Research Group, Inc.**

**June 1993 to June 2001**

Operations Vice President/Project Manager

Responsible for the firm's practice in providing engineering and technical support services for defense programs in training and simulation technology research and development. Successfully developed this practice to six full-time professionals. Mr. Hauck also led successful proposal efforts for capture of multi-year, task order, IDIQ contracts with SPAWAR Systems Command for Antarctic air traffic control support.

**Independent Contractor/Consultant**

**May 1991 to June 1993**

Business Development Representative/Consultant

Business development consultant for manufacturing, systems engineering and professional services firms, with primary emphasis on training and simulation systems projects. Responsible for market assessments, positioning, sales, and proposal development support.

**Daedlean, Inc.**

**March 1989 to April 1991**

Business Development Manager and Project Manager

Represented this minority-owned small business company to a wide range of customers in the Orlando training and simulation systems community. Successful proposal manager and project manager.

**Cubic Defense Systems, Inc.**

**December 1986 to March 1989**

Orlando Manager

Orlando Regional Manager for this major defense contractor, representing the company in the Southeastern U.S. Represented the firm, with a primary emphasis on marketing, business development, and customer support for training and simulation systems projects.

**Advanced Technology, Inc.****June 1978 to December 1986**

Orlando Director

Orlando Director and Training Systems Program Manager, responsible for schedule, budget, and technical performance of military training systems engineering and technical support services projects of the Orlando staff. Developed and grew the staff from 2 to 22 professionals.

**U.S. Navy****June 1970 to June 1978**

Surface Warfare Officer, Various Assignments

Shipboard tours included: Operations Officer and Executive Officer, USS EXULTANT (MSO-441) and Combat Information Center Officer, USS FARRAGUT (DDG-37). Following shipboard assignments, Mr. Hauck served as an instructor and Officer in Charge of Tactical Data Systems Operator and Team Training at the Fleet Combat Systems Training Center, Dam Neck, Virginia. Developed, taught, and managed 5 courses of instruction for new construction DD-963 SPRUANCE Class Destroyers and directed a staff of 20 officer and enlisted instructors.

**U.S. Navy Reserve****June 1978 to January 1997**

Navy Reserve Officer, Various Assignments

Navy Reserve service included various tours as Commanding Officer of both shipboard and shore-based Reserve commands. Retired in the rank of Captain (O-6).

**Personal Information:**

Numerous church and civic activities and memberships, including current member and Past President of the Altamonte Springs Rotary Club; Board Member Central Florida Bambino Buddy Ball; and Board Member/Secretary of Wayne Densch Performing Arts Center. He is a past founding Board Member of the Independent Transportation Network Orlando (ITN Orlando); and past Board Member and Chairman of Lighthouse Central Florida.

Mr. Hauck also is a current member of the Police Officers Pension Board of Trustees for the City of Altamonte Springs and current Chairman of the Seminole County Code Enforcement Board.

Mr. Hauck is a certified Substitute Teacher in Seminole County and has substituted in middle school and high school. He also served as a member of the advisory committee for selection of the current School Superintendent (Walt Griffin).

Married since 1970. Three adult children and two grandchildren. Altamonte Springs, Florida resident and homeowner since March of 1980.

Wife Barbara is retired from Seminole County Schools and she currently serves as a Volunteer Coordinator (paid staff member) for Hospice of the Comforter.

Religious Affiliation: Lutheran (St Stephen Lutheran Church, Longwood)