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RESUME OF ALEXANDER WOLFGANG RILLING

Alexander W. Rilling, was born in Elizabeth, New Jersey, on 27 October 1929. He attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute in Troy, New York, as a Regular NROTC student and graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Management Engineering in 1951.

He received the degree of Master of Science in Management from the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California, in May 1962, and the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Education from the University of Southern California in July 1972. His dissertation topic was a history of graduate education programs in the United States Navy from 1909 to 1959.

He attended the General Line School at Monterey, California, in 1956-57, and the Air War College at Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama, from which he was designated a "Distinguished Graduate" in the Class of 1967.

He has served at sea in USS DE LONG (DE-684) and the USS NEWPORT NEWS (CA-148). He has commanded three ships: USS SAMOSET (ATA-190) in the Atlantic; USS IMPLICIT (MSO-455), and USS EVERETT F. LARSON (DD-830) in the Pacific Fleet.

His shore assignments have included duty in the Bureau of Personnel; on the faculty of the Naval Science Department of the United States Naval Academy, and with the staff of the Military Assistance Command in Vietnam.

In July 1972 he joined the faculty of the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California, where he served in the Navy Management Systems Center as a Captain, U.S. Navy. He retired from active military service in December 1974.

In December 1974 he joined the civilian faculty of the Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California, where he is teaching in the Defense Resources Management Education Center.

He is a member of the U.S. Naval Institute and Phi Delta Kappa.

