

## My Background

### Education

Bachelor of Science - Zoology, Arizona State University  
Bachelor of Arts - Secondary Education - Biology, Arizona  
State University  
Masters of Science - Astronomy, University of Arizona

### Work Related

Independence High School, Glendale, Az. 1979 - 2000  
Glendale Community College (Arizona) 2000 - Present

### Personal

I have lived in the Glendale area since 1963 (back when the dinosaurs roamed the Earth). I graduated from Alhambra HS in Phoenix (a long time ago) and attended ASU. I started teaching at Independence HS in the fall of 1979. In 1987 I got married to my wife, Olga, and now have 2 sons. I attended U of A and received my MS in Astronomy. I came to GCC in the Fall of 2000 to teach Astronomy.

I am very fortunate because my hobby happens to be Astronomy. I became an amateur astronomer in May of 1980 and have belonged to the Saguaro Astronomy Club of Phoenix since then. ([www.saguaroastro.org](http://www.saguaroastro.org)) I feel very lucky that I teach Astronomy since it is what I really love to do in my free time.

You can come by my office any time and I will talk your ears off about Astronomy.