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Glenn W. Geelhoed, received his BS and AB cum laude degrees from Calvin College and his MD cum laude from the University of Michigan. Following the Harvard surgical internship and residency at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston, and the Boston Children's Hospital Medical Center, he served as clinical associate and senior investigator at the National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland. After completion of his chief surgical residency, he joined the full-time faculty at George Washington University as an Associate Professor of Surgery in Washington, DC in 1975. He was awarded an appointment as clinical scholar of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. He is a member of numerous medical, surgical and international academic societies, including the Society of University Surgeons and the American College of Surgeons, and is past president of the Washington Academy of Surgeons. He was selected the James IV Traveling Scholar of 1986, and inducted into the Academie de Chirurgie de Paris in 1990. He was named Humanitarian of the Year by George Magazine in 2000, and elected for GWUMC™ Faculty Distinguished Service Award in 2006.

His major clinical interests have been in endocrine surgery, surgical physiology, oncology and transplantation. He has been a frequent Visiting Professor in most of the United States and on all continents, traveling with a strong interest in global health that includes the third world. He is a widely published author accredited with several books and over 800 published journal articles and chapters in books, and has a major interest in medical education in academic, professional and international organizations. Recent publications have included *Out of Assa: Heart of the Congo*, and *Surgery and Healing in the Developing World*.

To assist in developing further volunteer surgical services in underserved areas of the developing world, he completed the DTMH in the University of London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine in 1990, and a Masters degree in International Affairs from the Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University in 1991. He completed the MPH degree in Epidemiology: Health Promotion/Disease Prevention in 1993 and in 1994 additionally achieved the MA cum laude in Anthropology with special interests in Biologic and Medical Anthropology. He achieved the MPhil degree in the Human Sciences in 2004 and is currently a candidate for the EdD in the Executive Leadership Doctoral Program of the Graduate School of Education and Human Development, 2007, of the George Washington University. He was awarded the first Honorary ScD Degree of the University of Toledo™ Health Science faculties in Humanitarian Sciences in 2006.

He completed a further period of research and service in southern Africa supported by an award as Senior Fulbright Scholar for 1996, in developing the African Regional Research Program. He has led medical students, residents and physicians into clinical experiences in the developing world on over one hundred medical missions in Africa, Asia, South Pacific and South America.

AB cum laude: Philosophy, English Literature  
Calvin College, 1964

BS: Biology, Chemistry  
Calvin College, 1965

MD cum laude: Physiology  
University of Michigan Medical Center, 1968

NIH Surgery Branch, National Cancer Institute  
National Institutes of Health, 1970-73

FACS: Endocrine Surgery, Oncology, Transplantation, Shock/Trauma/Sepsis  
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, 1968--69,  
Harvard Medical School,  
Boston Children's Hospital Medical Center, 1969--70  
George Washington University Hospital, 1973--75,  
American College of Surgeons, 1976

Clinical Scholar: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation  
George Washington University Medical Center, 1975--77

Surgical Traveling Scholar: James IV Association of Surgeons  
South Africa, England, Scotland, North Ireland, Wales, Sweden and Pakistan, 1986

DTMH: Tropical Medicine and Hygiene  
University of London, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine  
Royal College of Physicians, London, 1990

MA: International Affairs  
Elliot School of International Affairs  
George Washington University, 1991

MPH: Epidemiology: Health Promotion/Disease Prevention

School of Public Health and Health Services  
George Washington University, 1993

MA cum laude: Anthropology: Biologic and Medical Anthropology

Columbia Graduate School of Arts and Sciences  
George Washington University, 1995

Senior Fulbright Scholar: African Regional Research Program  
Mozambique, South Africa, Zimbabwe, Tanzania  
Council on the International Exchange of Scholars, 1996

# Humanitarian of the Year

George Magazine, Kennedy Foundation, New York, 2000

MPhil: Human Sciences

CGSAS Doctoral Program in Human Sciences  
\_George Washington University, 2004

Humanitarian Sciences (honoris causae)

Medical University of Ohio School of Health Sciences

University of Toledo. 2006

EdD: Executive Leadership Doctoral Program,

Graduate School of Education and Human Development

George Washington University. (pending, 2007)

Surgical Faculty Member,

The National Institute of First Assisting, Inc. (NIFA) 2008 to Present