

Dr. Norman "Norm" Hyne is Professor of Petroleum Geology in Continuing Engineering and Science Education at the University of Tulsa and is a Certified Petroleum Geologist by the American Association of Petroleum Geologists. He received his B.A. from Pomona College, M.S. degree from Florida State University and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Southern California, all in geology. His research has concentrated on lake geology of which Lake Tahoe has been his most recognized endeavor.

Norm is an honorary member of the Tulsa Geological Society. At the University of Tulsa, he was Chair of the Geology and Geophysics Department and received several teaching "Excellence" awards. He is well known for his 3-day short course "Basic Petroleum Geology for the Non-Geologist" which he has taught on six continents to over forty thousand students. Norm has published or edited nine books and numerous research papers. One of his textbooks has sold over 100,000 copies.



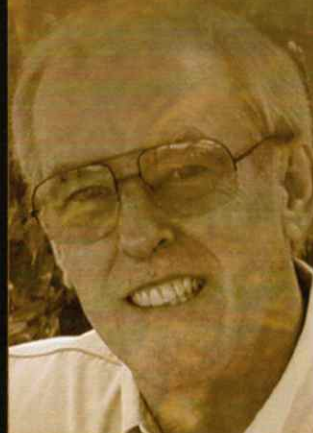
Summit
Mt. Kilimanjaro
19,350 ft.

In 2008 Dr. Hyne took over the Tulsa Geoscience Center as Executive Director and re-located the center to downtown Tulsa. Under Norm's leadership through early 2020, the Tulsa Geoscience Center catered to field trips for camps, organizations, and schools in Oklahoma, thus teaching geoscience to thousands of students over the years.

Norm has traveled extensively throughout the world for both business and trekking for pleasure. He is the only member of The Explorer's Club in Oklahoma.

Norm received one of the first scuba diving certificates (1962) and has rafted through most western rivers of the United States, including the entire Colorado River of the Grand Canyon twice. He has been married to his wife Janet for over 50 years and has a son (Randy), daughter (Lisa) and two granddaughters (Abby and Paige).

For his long outstanding and dedicated career in geoscience education, the Oklahoma Geological Foundation is proud to honor Dr. Norman J. Hyne as a Living Legend.



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