

# **RICHARD A. WALLOCH**

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## **Busy Semi-Retirement**

Several overlapping activities have filled my sojourn into semi-retirement.

Freelance Writer (May 2011 – present)

- Joined 20,000 professional writers contributing to the 13-year-old Suite101 web site.

Census Taker: U.S. Census Bureau (Jun 2010 – Aug 2010)

- My golden retriever got me the job.

Became a Cancer Survivor (July 2010 – Aug 2010)

- Received radiation for head and neck cancer. Currently, I am cancer free.

Web Development / SEO (Sep 2010 – present)

- Acquired proficiency in html, css, Javascript, PHP, JQuery
- Created and maintained a handful of websites including:
  - <http://www.ArborInnMotel.net>
  - <http://www.OakridgeRVPark.com>
  - <http://www.richardwalloch.com>

## **Pre-Retirement**

Software Engineer (Oct 1984 – Aug 2008)

Spacelabs Healthcare (<http://www.Spacelabs.com/>)

- *Helped Create a Blood Pressure Monitor, which has remained on the market for over 20 years.*
- *Helped to Significantly Reduced Cost of the Company's Patient Monitors*
- *Helped Ensure Regulatory Compliance & Patient Safety*
- *Was an Alternate Delegate to the Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation.*
- *Was The Inventor Of Several Patents Dealing With The Blood Pressure Algorithim/*

Asst. Prof. Otolaryngology (1974 – 1983)

Oregon Health & Sciences University (<http://www.ohsu.edu/>)

- *Was Primary Investigator for a Observational Clinical Study in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU)*
- *Contributed Data that Modified The Procedure for Administering Antibiotics to Premature Babies.*
- *Was First To Obtain "Audiograms" From Guinea Pigs (the four legged mammal).*
- *Published in the Layngoscope and other academic journals.*

## **Education**

PhD Behavioral Neuroscience

Oregon Health and Sciences University (<http://ohsu.edu/behn/>)