UFO RESEARCH EVIDENCE AND RESOURCES

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Introduction

This document is a compilation of historical information, facts and figures, and general resources to help one learn more about the UAP/UFO/AAP subject.

I think of it as an evolving, living "cheat-sheet" of information about Ufology that I would like to remember and have rapid access to. It is also intended as a good starting point for bringing someone who has not been very involved with the subject up to speed, answer some of their basic questions and to encourage their future study.

As I learn more, and have the time, I add what I consider useful and valid information to this document. I'm sure others will have constructive comments as to elements they think should be included but are not, items which should not be considered sufficiently valid and important as well as completely new topics for which I have not yet provided a section.

I look forward to any such comments.

Ron Olch

Five Good Reasons to Believe in UFOs

National Geographic Channel

By: Patrick J. Kiger JUNE 29, 2012

As most credible UFOlogists readily admit, proving that extraterrestrial spacecraft have visited our planet is a maddeningly difficult chore.

"The hassle over the word 'proof' boils down to one question: What constitutes proof?" Edward J. Ruppelt, who headed the U.S Air Force's secret investigation of UFOs in the early 1950s, once wrote. "Does a UFO have to land at the River Entrance to the Pentagon, near the Joint Chiefs of Staff offices? Or is it proof when a ground radar station detects a UFO, sends a jet to intercept it, the jet pilot sees it, and locks on with his radar, only to have the UFO streak away at a phenomenal speed? Is it proof when a jet pilot fires at a UFO and sticks to his story even under the threat of court-martial? Does this constitute proof?"

More recently, Investigative journalist Leslie Keen, author of the 2011 book "UFOs: Generals, Pilots and Government Officials Go on the Record," has noted that in roughly 90 to 95 percent of UFO sightings, observers turn out actually to have seen weather balloons, ball lightning, flares, aircraft, and other mundane phenomena. But another five to 10 percent of sightings are not so easily explainable, but that's not the same as demonstrating that they are extraterrestrial in origin. Nevertheless, she argues, the hypothesis that UFOs are visitors from other worlds "is a rational one, and must be taken into account, given the data that we have."

Here are some of the most compelling reasons that UFOs may be more than simple misidentifications of natural phenomena or terrestrial aircraft:

• The long, documented history of sightings. UFOs were around, in fact, long before humans themselves took to the air. The first account of a UFO sighting in America was back in 1639, when Massachusetts colony governor John Winthrop noted in his journal that one James Everell, "a sober, discreet man," and two other witnesses watched a luminous object fly up and down the Muddy River near Charlestown for two to three hours. There are documented sightings of what were then called "airships" during the 1800s as well, such as the July 1884 sighting of a Saturn-shaped UFO (a ball surrounded by a ring) in Norwood, NY, and a fast-moving object that briefly hovered over the startled townspeople of Everest, KS in 1897.

- Numerous modern sightings by credible, well-trained professional observers. In Ruppelt's 1955 book, "The Report on Unidentified Flying Objects," he documented numerous instances of military service members, military and civilian pilots, scientists and other credible professionals who had observed UFOs. In one instance, Ruppelt describes the experience of a pilot of an Air Force F-86 fighter jet, who was scrambled to track a UFO and got to within 1,000 yards of a saucer-shaped object that abruptly flew away from him in a burst of speed after he fired upon it. He also mentions a 1948 UFO encounter in which two airline pilots got to within 700 feet of a UFO and saw two rows of windows with bright lights.
- Consistencies in the descriptions of purported alien ships. Over the decades, witnesses who've seen UFOs have shown remarkable consistency in the shapes and other characteristics of the objects they've described. In 1949, the authors of the report for Project Sign, one of the early military investigations of UFOs, identified four main groups of objects—flying disks or saucers, cigar or torpedo-shaped craft without wings or fins, spherical or balloon-shaped objects that were capable of hovering or flying at high speed, and balls of light with no apparent physical form that were similarly maneuverable. Nearly a quarter-century later, a French government investigation headed by Claude Poher of the National Center for Space Research found similar patterns in more than 1,000 reports from France and various countries. One caveat is that in recent years, reports of wedge-shaped UFOs—which bear a similarity to the latest terrestrial military aircraft—have begun to supplant some of the traditional shapes.
- Possible physical evidence of encounters with alien spacecraft. The 1968 University of Colorado report, compiled by a team headed by James Condon, documented numerous instances of areas where soil, grass, and other vegetation had been claimed by witnesses to have been flattened, burned, broken off, or blown away by a UFO. A report by Stanford University astrophysicist Peter Sturrock, who led a scientific study of physical evidence of UFOs in the late 1990s, describes samples of plants taken from a purported UFO landing site in France in 1981. French researchers found that the leaves had undergone unusual chemical changes of the sort that could have been caused by powerful microwave radiation—which was even more difficult to explain, considering that they found no trace of radioactivity at the site.
- Physiological effects on UFO witnesses. The Sturrock report describes in detail various symptoms reported by individuals who had encountered UFOS, ranging from burns and temporary deafness to persistent nausea and memory loss. Among the most vivid examples: Betty Cash, Vickie Landrum and Landrum's young grandson Colby, who reportedly happened upon a "large, diamond-shaped object" hovering over a Texas road in December 1980. All three became ill afterward; Cash, for example, developed large water blisters on her face and swelling that closed her eyes, in addition to severe

nausea and diarrhea. The effects persisted for years, and she was hospitalized more than two dozen times.

Thoughts of the Future

by Stanton T. Friedman (1934 - 2019), October, 2018

It is tempting to think that a planet is a planet is a planet. But one word-planet-surely covers a multitude of entities. Just as satellite does. Planets vary all over the place, not only in their size and density and composition. In our own solar system, variability is great. Earth is the densest of the nine planets (I still think of Pluto as a planet). Jupiter is the largest. Venus is the hottest. I suppose we shouldn't be surprised. After all, stars vary a great deal with regard to their size, temperature, age and composition. They vary more than people do. Shouldn't the same processes pretty much apply everywhere concerning planets? Apparently not. I was looking up a table of planetary properties. Mighty Jupiter has a diameter 11 times that of Earth and Venus, but has a density only one-quarter as large. Venus takes 243 days to rotate on its axis. Jupiter and Saturn take under 11 hours, with Earth and Mars at around 24 hours. Jupiter's magnetic field is almost 20,000 times that near Earth. I think our solar system would be of great interest to astronomy graduate students from other solar systems because of the large variation in characteristics. These would be of interest to mining engineers, biologists, and agricultural organizations. Think of all the reasons Earthlings cross the oceans. Think of the enormous increase in the number of trans-oceanic jaunts in the past 20 years and the past 100 years. If we take into account that it is currently estimated that there are 1.6 planets per star, this suggests 16,000 planets within 100 light-years and a very much greater number within a mere thousand light-years. We must also note that the Earth is 4 billion years old, so we might expect an enormous number of interstellar flights in our local neighborhood. We are probably the most recent additions to the interplanetary tourist (or marauder) trade. Elon Musk is talking seriously of setting up a base on Mars. The point here is that progress comes from doing things differently in an unpredictable way, and, that given our lack of true social progress, we are bound to be of interest and concern to other life in the local neighborhood. Military activity is

certainly a major activity on Earth. Who could blame aliens for being worried about us? The younger generation may have forgotten that we killed 50 million of our own kind in relatively recent times and have developed newer and "better" weapons. I can understand governments not wanting to discuss such matters along with the media. Frankly, I am concerned about the future of my great grandson and other people when I see so little progress being made towards an Earthling orientation. It would be nice to know what our alien visitors are planning for the future of Earth. I think if they had evil intentions, they would long ago have made them clear. But, surely, I am as an American, Canadian, Earthling, intrigued at thoughts of the future for us. I will watch from the sidelines as I expect this will be my last column. I am very grateful to MUFON for providing me this pulpit. I am considering compiling my columns in a book.

History of the search for intelligent life beyond Earth

| 1960s | nuclear fission rocket produced 4400 megawatts of power but less than 8 feet in diameter (twice the power of Grand Coulee dam) SETL 72 second "Wow" signal detected by Jerry Ehman, Never | | |
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| Aug. 15 1977 | | | |
| 1993 | NASA launches Breakthrough Propulsion Physics program nuclear, space warps, etc. | | |
| 6-Jun-05 | SETI Institute formed to detect radio signals | | |
| 20-Jun-05 | US astronomers led by Cornell astrophysicist Martin Harwith found high concentration of water vapor in interstellar gas near Orion nebula. Amount of water created per day could fill Earth's oceans 60 times | | |
| 3-Jul-05 | 5 more Earth-like planets found in habitable zone | | |
| 1-Mar-08 | JPL Spitzer Space Telescope finds large amounts of water vapor, organic gases, carbon dioxide in region around infant star AA Tauri, two others | | |
| 7-Mar-09 | Kepler telescope starts operation observing approx. 150,000 stars in the direction of constellation Cygnus; Those stars are 600-3000 light years away there are 1M closer including Zeta 1 and Zeta 2 Reticuli 39.3 light years away, 1B years older than the Sun and only 1/8 light year apart | | |
| 1-Aug-09 | American Chem. Society mtg in Wash. DC Comet samples returned by NASA Stardust spacecraft show presence of amino acid glycine | | |
| 1-Dec-09 | Over 400 extrasolar planets detected, most >Jupiter | | |
| 14-Dec-09 | UCSC Prof. Vogt finds 6 low-mass planets around 61 Virginis and HD 1461 | | |
| 1-Sep-10 | UCSC Prof. Vogt finds first extrasolar planet in habitable zone Gliese 581g | | |
| 1-Feb-11 | Seth Shostak, SETI, writes that it is likely that there are 30,000 habitable planets w/in 1000 light years of Earth | | |
| 2011 | NASA Johnson Space Center, Houston, studying possibility of faster than light space travel by end of this century; Published in Joint Propulsion Meeting, Huntsville, Dec. 2011; See NASA Eagleworks Project | | |
| Oct. 2011 | Orlando FL Symposium NASA Ames Research Center collaboration with DARPA studies requirements to build a starship | | |
| 1-Feb-12 | Over 2321 candidate exo-planets detected | | |

| Fall 2012 | National Space Society, incl. Buzz Aldrin, publishes proposed roadmap to space colonization of the stars | | | | |
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| | Transit method of detection can only find 1 in 200 Earths | | | | |
| | Water now found in comets, on Mars, Mercury, Venus, the Moon, | | | | |
| | Europa, Ganymede | | | | |
| 100s | Number of Earth-size planets w/in 20 light years | | | | |
| 1000s | Number of Earth-size planets w/in 100 light years | | | | |
| 17 billion | Number of Earth-size planets in the Milky Way (Jan 2013) | | | | |
| 17% | Percent of stars in Milky Way with Earth-size exoplanets in close orbit | | | | |
| 500 billion | Stars in the Milky Way galaxy (number from Royal Greenwich Observatory) | | | | |
| 1 in 6 | Stars with Earth-size planets | | | | |
| 40 billion | Number of habitable Earth-like planets in the Milky Way (50 sextillion in the universe) | | | | |
| 500 billion | Number of galaxies in the universe | | | | |
| 11.9 light-years | Distance to probably-habitable planet, Tau Citi e | | | | |
| 4.5 light-years | Distance to Alpha Centauri is binary Centauri A and B with distance of 11AU (23 AU mean) and should have habitable zones | | | | |
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| See also: | http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Planetary_habitability | | | | |
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| | Genetic code for life is expected to be the same everywhere (see Scientific American article via Dave) | | | | |
| | Some civilizations could have reached technological stage 1000's of years in advance of man on Earth | | | | |
| | Civilizations that travel into space would over time populate or have outposts on other planets and moons and move out farther from their home planet, and possibly not return this distribution effect is not included in the Drake Equation | | | | |

Technology even similar to ours, used on another planet, would have detected signature of intelligent life on Earth starting approx. 1900; Above-ground nuclear detonations started approx. 1945.

Probability of detecting radio signals from other planets (SETI method) is vanishingly low due to:

- Narrow bandwidths scanned
- Narrow region of Milky Way galaxy targeted
- Narrow window of overlapping radio technology:
- Assuming radio as we know it and frequencies scanned for it has existed on Earth for only the last 50 years
- Difference in technological development of another planet may be offset from Earth by 100K-1M years
- Use of radio as a means for communication in space has a total lifetime of 100 years (migrating to laser or ?)
- Thus, net probability of receiving a signal is nil
- Broadcasts may be encrypted such that received signal would appear to be indistinguishable from background radiation

The Best Evidence for existence of UFOs/UAPs and for continued study

| 5-13 to 10-13, 1917 | Fatima, Portugal, Cova da Iria Paranormal/religious events, likely due to UFO(s) ("microwave auditory phenomenon", etc.) Analysis in "The Fatima Apparitions and the UFO Phenomenon" by Joaquim Fernandes and Fina d'Armada, 1996 |
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| 1941 | Cape Gerardo, Missouri Crash/Retrieval, dead bodies |
| 25-Apr-45 | Gen. George Marshall issues memorandum that a saucer was recovered off the coast of California and it is not of Earth |
| 18-Jul-47 | Memo to J. Edgar Hoover asks FBI to get involved in UFO investigations |
| 1-Sep-47 | Air Technical Intelligence Center report on flying saucers concludes they are real |
| 4-May-51 | Astronaut Gordon Cooper sees multiple UFOs over airbase in West Germany 3 May 1957 Project Mgr for two others who photographed landing of UFO at Edwards AFB. Saw very clear photos and movie film sent to military and not available thereafter |
| 29-Jul-52 | President Truman issues order to shoot down any UFO that could not be talked down; AF holds press conference to state UFOs are not a threat to national security |
| 14-Jul-54 | General Twining issues memo stating that UFOs are real; Capt. Ruppelt released the "Twining Memorandum" |
| 7/17/1957 | USAF RB-47 with ECM gear, manned by six officers Followed UFO for over 700 miles for 1.5 hours in flight from Mississippi, through Louisian and Texas and into Oklahoma. Passive reception of radar-frequency signals and observation of lights in corresponding direction. See: http://www.ufocasebook.com/rb47.html |
| 4/24/1964 | Socrorro, NM Lonnie Zamora, police officer, witnessed ellipsoid-shaped object fly towards an arroyo in the Socorro desert and then land. Four-legged landing gear left measured impressions estimated weight, 9 tons. Red symbol on the craft and two bipedal figures seen next to the object. Take-off left burns on bushes and rocks. Zamora as close as 35 feet from object. |

| 4/30/1964 | Holloman AFB B-57 aircraft encountered "egg-shaped, white object". Pilot reported this to controller at HAFB. Aircraft turned and reencountered object. Pilot radioed that object landed. Next day HAFB admitted that they had "tracked two unknowns on radar". Frightened guard emptied side arm at an object and then fled to base HQ. |
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| 5/15/1964 | Holloman AFB Radar, including FP-16 at Stallion site, tracked two objects 'performing precise, perfect flight maneuvers, including side- by-side flight, separating, then rejoining in formation in up and down (pogo) maneuvers. Visual confirmation by trained radar operator who described two objects, flying low, as "brown and football shaped". |
| 40/0/4005 | 40 miles from Kecksburg, Pennsylvania Crash/Retrieval by military. See: |
| 12/9/1965 | http://www.ufoevidence.org/documents/doc1300.htm |
| 5-Apr-66 | Congressional Hearings on UFOs (also 29 July 1968) |
| 16-Jun-66 | UFO hovered over Whiteman AFB for two hours and shut down all 150 nuclear missiles |
| 16, 24 March 1967 | UFO shut down eight nuclear missiles at Malmstrom AFB including Oscar Flight with Lt. Robert Salas |
| 1-Jul-67 | UFO started a nuclear missile launch sequence at Minot AFB |
| 1968-1970 | Air Force teaches UFO class to cadets in Physics 370 (Chapter 33) |
| 11/2/1971 | Delphos Kansas Close viewing of metallic object near the ground, physical effects on soil |
| 10/18/1973 | Coyne Helicopter Encounter, Mansfield, Ohio Four-man crew of an Army Reserve UH-1H helicopter, based in Cleveland, OH, encountered a very strange craft at 2,500 feet. Aerial encounter, mass displacement, loss of vehicle control, light beam, E-M effects |
| 25-Aug-74 | Coyame, Chihuahua, Mexico disk crash possibly due to collision with Mexican aircraft. Tracked by two military radar stations, initially at 2539 MPH at 75,000 feet. Descended step-wise to 45,000 ft then 20,000 feet. Recovered by CIA after death of Mexican recovery team. See: http://www.ufocasebook.com/chihuahuamexico1974.html |

| 5-Nov-75 | Travis Walton (born February 10, 1953) is an American logger who was supposedly abducted by a UFO on November 5, 1975, while working with a logging crew in the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest in Arizona. Walton could not be found, but reappeared after a five-day search. Travis's 1995 book "Fire in the Sky" and the new film "Travis the True story of Travis Walton", provide well documented facts, testimony and trace evidence found at the site that collaborate this experience. |
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| | UFO hovered over Minuteman missile ICBM site at Ellsworth |
| Dec 1978 or Jan 1979 | AFB, took down Guidance and Control and power |
| 10/01/1001 | Hudson Valley, New York state (sightings in New York and Connecticut between 1982 and 1995) Wave of sightings, thousands of witnesses, >7000 documented, boomerang-shaped object(s), silent. Earlier |
| 12/31/1981 | sightings documented starting in 1905. |
| 17-Nov-86 | Japan Airlines flight 1628 over Alaska confirms large UFO by ground and air radar and is seen by pilots and confirmed by FAA |
| 1992 | FEMA-approved "Fire Officer's Guide to Disaster Control" Chapter 13, 14 pages, entitled "Enemy Attack and UFO Potential", supporting bibliography in Appendix.; ISBN 0- 912212-26, 641 pages |
| 6-Sep-94 | Ruwa, Zimbabwe More than sixty schoolchildren reported seeing an unidentified object land outside their schoolyard; some reported witnessing beings come out of the craft, and still others recalled a wordless message that was transmitted to them. Feature-length documentary by Randall Nickerson, "Ariel Phenomenon" |
| 2/20/1996 | Verginha, Brazil Alleged sighting of biped by three women, capture of creature by military. At least six sightings of creature. |
| 3/13/1997 | "Phoenix Lights", observations in skies over Arizona, Nevada and Sonora, Mexico Triangular or v-shaped formations of lights as large as a mile, blocked stars Thousands of reports including from then-Governor Symington |
| 27-Sep-10 | "UFO and Nukes" press conference, National Press Club, Washington D.C. |
| 6-2014 to 3-2015 | Navy F/A-18 Super Hornet pilots saw objects in 2014 and 2015 in training maneuvers from Virginia to Florida off the aircraft carrier Theodore Roosevelt. Also from carrier Nimitz off the coast of San Diego in 2004. Objects from 30,000 ft to just above ocean. Radar, visual and video recordings. Near miss hazards. Reported to Pentagon's Advanced Aerospace Threat Identification Program. See: |

| https://www.nytimes.com/2019/05/26/us/politics/ufo-sightings-navy-pilots.html |
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See also: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_reported_UFO_sightings

UFO sightings at ICBM sites and Nuclear Weapons Storage Areas Including interference with missile launch systems

| 2006 | Article by Robert L. Hastings http://www.nicap.org/babylon/missile_incidents.htm | | |
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| | Incidents described via first-hand testimony of USAF personnel: | | |
| 1966-'67, '75, '92, | | | |
| '95, '96 | Malmstrom AFB, Montana | | |
| 1965, '73-'74, '80- | | | |
| '81 | F.E. Warren AFB, Wyoming | | |
| 1963-'65 | Walker AFB, New Mexico | | |
| 1966, '92 | Ellsworth AFB, South Dakota | | |
| 1966 or '67 | Minot AFB, North Dakota (David H. Schuur, missle crew member in 455th/91st Strategic Missile Wing) | | |
| Similar Soviet incident: | | | |
| | Soviet Military Unit 52035 in Osovo near Ukrainian town of | | |
| Oct 4 1982 | Byelokoroviche; Activation and near launch | | |

Other sources of UFO evidence:

http://www.ufoevidence.org

Large-scale studies of UFOs

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| 1947-1949 | Project Sign, Grudge Lt. Col. George D. Garrett estimated that sightings were not imaginary or exaggerations of natural phenomena Lt. General Nathan F. Twining expressed same estimate in letter to Brig. General Schulgen |
| 1950-1951 | Flying Saucer Working Group, UK; Files classified for 50 years, released in 2001 |
| 1950-1954 | Project Magnet, Project Second Story, Canada; Led by Wilbert B. Smith |
| 1951-1969 | Project Blue Book, USAF; Led by Edward J. Ruppelt Declassified Sept. 1960, made available in 1968. Terminated in 1969 following Condon Committee report 12618 incidents investigated 701 or 6% unidentified |
| 1952-1954 | Project Blue Book Special Report no. 14 Ruppelt contract with Battelle Memorial Institute. Press release Oct. 25, 1955. 3201 cases studied 689 unknowns or 21.5%. Probability that unknowns were just missed knowns was less than 1%. Found that the better the quality of the sighting, the more likely it was unidentifiable, with 35.1% of excellent cases listed as Unknowns and 18.3% of the poor cases being Unknowns. |
| 14 -17 January 1953 | Robertson Panel, CIA; Headed by Howard Percy Robertson Concerned that UFO reporting could disrupt air defenses and clog communications Implemented policy of public education and monitoring of UFO groups for subversive activities Instituted series of military regulations JANAP 146, AFR 200-2 making reporting of UFOs a crime and reported to FBI |
| 1966-1968 | Condon Committee, University of Colorado under USAF contract |
| Nov. 1968 | Rand Corp. paper "UFOs: What to Do?" Recommended organizing central UFO reporting agency and more research |
| 1973-1980 | Project Identification, U. of Missouri, Harley D. Rutledge, physics prof. Findings published in book: "Project Identification: the first scientific field study of UFO phenomena" presumes intelligence |
| 1977-present | Studies by GEPAN, SERPA, ZGEIPAN, France |

| 14-Jul-78 | UN General Assembly meeting due to lobbying of Eric Gairy, Prime Minister of Grenada Resulted in decisions A/DEC/32/424, A/DEC/33/426 to establish agency to coordinate/disseminate results of UFO research | |
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| 1983-2004 | Project Hessdalen Norway 1983-present and Project EMBLA Italy 1999-2004 | |
| 1996-2000 | Project Condign, UK | |
| 29 Sept to 4 Oct 1997 | Sturrock Panel Report | |
| 1999 | COMETA Report, France | |
| 9-May-01 | Disclosure Project Press Conference, National Press Club Steven M. Greer for Disclosure Project; 20 government workers | |
| 12-Nov-07 | Fife Symington Press Conference, National Press Club 19 former pilots and military, civilian officials spoke of UFO experiences | |
| 2013 | Press conference with six former congress-persons in congressional inquiry format, National Press Club | |

Scientific Data Collection Efforts

NICAP - founded 24 Oct 1956

Founded by Donald Keyhoe, Thomas Townsend Brown

Remains active primarily as an informational depository on the UFO phenomenon

Francis Ridge, Research Coordinator & Archivist

The mission: to have and maintain a peer-reviewed source for the best UFO information in the world.

All the major organizations are represented in our A-Team which includes some of the best-known experts in the UFO field

https://www.nicap.org/

Project Hessdalen – founded in summer of 1983

Project Hessdalen is a project at Østfold University College

Hessdalen is a small valley in the central part of Norway. At the end of 1981 through 1984, residents of the Valley became concerned and alarmed about strange, unexplained lights that appeared at many locations throughout the Valley. Hundreds of lights were observed. At the peak of activity there were about 20 reports a week.

A field investigation was carried out between 21. January and 26. February 1984. Fifty-three light observations were made during the field investigation. You may read the details in the technical report. There was an additional field investigation in the winter of 1985. However, no phenomena were seen during the period when the instruments were present.

http://www.hessdalen.org/index_e.shtml

Project Starlight International (PSI) - Founded in 1964

Ray Stanford

Objective was to gather and disseminate a broad range of instrumented UFO data to the scientific community. During its existence, the project has utilized magnetometers, a gravimeter, spectrometer, radar, laser-telescope-video system, and other electronic and optical systems for recording the physical effects, optical images, and location of UFOs. The project conducts in-depth

analyses of motion-picture films of UFOs obtained by PSI staff members, along with magnetometric, spectrographic, and other data recorded during UFO events.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AWpOIJ3mN18

MADAR -- 1 from 1970-1992, 2 from 2014-2016, 3 in 2017

Fran Ridge

Geomagnetic field sensing and recording

Barometric pressure

Over 70 sites throughout the world, displayed on real-time map

https://store.madar.site/

UFO-Track – Current campaign

John Craig

INDIEGOGO campaign to fund development

https://www.indiegogo.com/projects/ufo-track-ufo-tracking-in-real-time#/

UAPx -- Founded in 2020

Kevin Day, USN, retired and Gary Voorhis

The USS Nimitz Strike Group encountered numerous UAP in the SOCAL Naval Operating Areas in December 2004. The well-documented incident involved numerous eyewitness accounts from pilots, radar operators and technicians. In total, approximately 100 UAP objects were observed flying in small formations of five to ten objects each. The successive formations of craft were initially detected in the vicinity of Catalina Island and were tracked by the USS Princeton's SPY-1 radar, then fading from radar coverage in the vicinity of Guadalupe Island. The formations of craft maintained 28,000 feet at a rate of 100 knots. When approached by several F/A-18 Superhornets vectored in from the Nimitz, the objects were observed to behave like "some super capable flock of birds," acting as though they simply wanted to be left alone as they "migrated" south.

Effort to organize an expedition off San Clemente Island to capture these "tic-tac" type of UAP events with instrumentation

http://uapexpedition.org/

AllSkyCams -- Current

Mike Hankey

To detect meteor and fireball events.

Provides a website for All Sky Cam owners to post the images from their sky cameras. See Moonglow Technologies for cameras.

Built or kit with six Sony fixed cameras in dome housing and optional small PC -- \$700 to \$1200

Can automatically report data to American Meteor Society

Baltimore, Maryland

https://allskycam.com

http://www.moonglowtech.com/products/AllSkyCam/index.shtml

UFO Data Acquisition Project (UFODAP) – Collaboration started in 2016

Ronald Olch, Chris O'Brien

Wayne Hollenbeck and Christopher O'Brien joined forces in 2007 and created the UFO Camera Project. The UFODAP project is a result of collaboration between the UFO Camera Project and the work of electrical engineer/computer scientist Ron Olch. Mr. Olch had independently pursued the application of science and technology to ufology research. As a result, beginning in 2014, he developed the concept of a low-cost optical tracking system as his personal research project while a member of the Los Angeles UFO Research Group. In 2016, Wayne Hollenbeck joined the LA group and expressed interest in the work Ron had accomplished, which was directly in line with the goals of the UFO Camera Project.

This collaboration became the UFO Data Acquisition Project (UFODAP). The technical focus of the UFODAP is providing cost effective methods to recognize, track and record anomalous objects while simultaneously collecting data from multiple sensors. While this sort of capability has been investigated and other systems have been built, their design emphasis has not been on such low-cost to make practical the kind of significant numbers to be deployed to have a practical impact on Ufology. By "low-cost" we assume a unit cost of perhaps \$2500 or less. Thus, over the last four years significant progress has been made on development of Unidentified Flying Object Data Acquisition System (UFODAS) components that are now available for use in fixed and mobile installations.

In 2020, UFODAP and the UFODATA organization formed an alliance to fund UFODAS R&D and divide the work -- UFODAP will provide data collection hardware, software and support while UFODATA will create a cloud database for upload and subsequent analysis of collected data. In addition, the initial UFODAP camera site in the San Luis Valley, Colorado will be expanded with a second camera and a multi-sensor data collection unit.

UFODAP now provides a wide range of data collection systems and components and is starting to build-out a network of participants for siting equipment, computer operations, data collection and analysis.

https://ufodap.com/

UFO Classification Systems

Vallee's and Hynek's systems http://www.bibliotecapleyades.net/ciencia/ciencia_vallee09.htm

Hynek's system http://www.cufos.org/HynekClass.html

Current Vallee Classification System

Jacques Vallee, Confrontations, ISBN 0-345-36501-1

This is Vallee's attempt to unify his classification system with Hynek's, and to incorporate those "psychic" or otherwise anomalous reports which he believes have a connection with the UFO phenomenon, and to regularize the classification system.

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| Class | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
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| Class Name | Sighting | Physical Effect | Beings | Reality Transformation | Injury or Death |
| AN | Amorphous lights, mystery explosions | Poltergeist, materialized objects, areas of flattened grass (i.e. crop circles) | Anomalies with entities (ghosts, yetis, cryptozoological beings, elves, spirits) | Near Death Experience (NDE), religious visions and miracles, Out Of Body Experience (OOBE) | Anomalous injuries or death, including spontaneous combustion and unexplained wounds |
| FB | Continuous trajectory | With physical evidence | Beings observed | Witness sense of reality change (such as landscape alteration, telepathy, etc) | Result of fly-by is injury or death |
| MA Maneuvers | Discontinuous trajectory | With physical evidence | Beings observed | Witness sense of reality change (such as landscape alteration, telepathy, etc) | Result of maneuver is injury or death |
| CE Close Encounter | Close approach (within 500') | With physical evidence | Beings observed | Abduction | Injury or death |

Size and Weight Estimates

According to Ted Phillips, "UFOs are quite massive: soil compression testing of imprints of 18-30 feet saucers and 20 feet oval/egg-shaped UFOs, indicated a range between 8-10 tons for saucers and 14-18 tons for ovals." One case in Paul R. Hill's book, "Unconventional Flying Objects," in France on 10- Sep-1954, an oval UFO 6 meters axial, 3 meters cross diameter landed on railroad tracks leaving deep indentations on wooden crossties, and was estimated at 30 tons weighing more than our jet airplanes.

UFOs observed near or on the ground between 1950s and 1970s consistently fell in these groups (sorted by size):

Smaller Hemispherical (= dome, helmet, mushroom) / spherical / conical object, from 1.2-4 meters (4 feet-12 feet) in diameter, sometimes with external "vents" or "extensions". They rarely touch the ground but remain stationary 1-5 feet above ground surface. Generally leave behind circular areas which are depressed, burnt or dehydrated. Small egg-shaped object 2-2.5 meters (6-8 feet) long which hovers with the long axis vertical.

Above: Example of a "ring" of scorched ground from a UFO landing trace case at (photo 3.5 years after the event)

A spherical object about 15 feet in diameter elongated cylinder without external appendages, comparable in size to the body of a jet fighter that flies in the direction of its axis.

Oval/egg-Shaped objects, 5-6m (16-20 feet) in length with visible landing legs, generally four, and on occasion six. These make ground contact, leaving burnt areas, imprints, and some tree damage. Small humanoid beings are often reported flying a typical saucer of (10 – 40 feet, average 30 feet) in diameter. They land, leaving burnt or depressed areas with an irregular configuration. Larger disks typically have retractable landing gear, three legs in equilateral triangle.

Statements about UFOs by Credible Individuals

Hermann Oberth, Father of Rocketry says UFOs are Real

Lecture Notes About Flying Saucers 1954 by German Prof. Hermann Oberth, pioneer of rocketry, the teacher of Dr. Werner von Braun (who after WWII headed USA's space program). Paul Norman obtained Oberth's lecture notes from Drs. Blumrich and Ferdie, at the Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Alabama.

In the notes Prof. Oberth gave his observations about UFOs as follows: "There are about 50 observations known from the time before World War II. Then the number of appearances increased; the Allies thought it was a German secret weapon, and the Germans thought it was one of the Allies. Since 1947, the reports of eyewitnesses increased considerably. It is said by the English Air Marshall Lord Dowding that there have been 10,000 (reports) by 1953."

"The appearances are usually described as disks, sometimes as balls or ellipsoids. It sometimes happens that these disks place one upon the other, the largest in the center, the smaller toward the ends, to form an object the shape of a cigar, which then flies away with high speed. Sometimes witnesses saw a cigar (UFO) stop and untie into separate disks."

The disks always fly in a manner as if the drive is acting perpendicular to the plane of the disk; when they are suspended over a certain terrain they keep horizontal; when they want to fly very quickly, they tilt (tip) and fly with the plane directed forward. In sunlight, which is brighter than their own gleaming, they appear glittering like metal. They are dark orange and cherry red at night, if there is not much power necessary for the particular movement, for instance, when they are suspended calm. Then, they also do not shine very much. If more driving power is necessary, the shining increases (brightens) and they appear yellow, yellow-green, green like a copper flame and in a state of highest speed or acceleration extremely white. Sometimes they suddenly blink or extinguish.

Their speed is sometimes very high; 19 km/sec has been measured with wireless measuring instruments (radar). Accelerations are so high that no man could stand it; he would be pressed to the wall and bruised. The accuracy of such measurements has not been doubted. If there would be only 3 or 4 measurements, I would not rely upon them and would wait for further measurements, but there is existing more than 50 such measurements; the wireless sets (radar) of the American Air Force and Navy, which are used in all fighters, cannot be so inaccurate that the information obtained with them can be doubted completely."

Colonel Williams entered the Air Force in 1964 and became a rescue helicopter pilot in Vietnam. He has an electrical engineering degree and was in charge of all the construction projects for the Military Air Command. During his time in the military, he knew that there was a facility inside of Norton Air Force Base in California that no one was to know about. Colonel Williams also relates another story that his father told him. One time attending a dinner party he had a conversation with a high-level RAND official who told him that the government was spending more money on antigravity devices than any other project in the history of the country.

See: http://www.educatinghumanity.com/feeds/posts/default

Sir Frances Chichester sighting, 1931

Sir Francis Charles Chichester (1901 - 1972), famous aviator and sailor, was knighted in 1967 by Queen Elizabeth II for becoming the first person to sail single-handed around the world by the clipper route, and the fastest circumnavigator, in nine months and one day overall.

On June 10, 1931, Francis Chichester was flying a modified de Havilland dh60 Gipsy Moth aircraft from took off from Lord Howe Island, east of Brisbane, Australia to reach New Zealand. He wrote in his book "The Lonely Sea and the Sky": "Round the storm we flew into calm air under a weak lazy sun. I took out the sextant and got two shoots. It took me thirty minutes to work them out, for the engine kept back firing, and my attention wandered every time it did..."

"Suddenly, ahead and thirty degrees to the left, there were bright flashes in several places, like the dazzle of a heliograph. I saw a dull grey-white airship coming towards me. It seemed impossible, but I could have sworn that it was an airship, nosing towards me like an oblong pearl. Except for a cloud or two, there was nothing else in the sky."

"I looked around, sometimes catching a flash or a glint, and turning again to look at the airship I found it had disappeared. I screwed up my eyes, unable to believe them, and twisted the seaplane this way and that, thinking that the airship must be hidden by a blind spot. Dazzling flashes continued in four or five different places, but I could not pick out any planes."

"Then, out of some clouds to my right front, I saw another, or the same, airship advancing. I watched it intently, determined not to look away for a fraction of a second: I'd see what happened to this one, if I had to chase it. It drew steadily closer, until perhaps a mile away, when suddenly it vanished. Then it reappeared, close to where it had vanished: I watched with angry intentness. It drew closer, and I could see the dull gleam of light on its nose and back. It came on, but instead of increasing in size, it diminished as it approached. When quite near, it suddenly became its own ghost - one second I could see through it, and the next it had vanished. I decided that it could only be a diminutive cloud, perfectly shaped like an airship and then dissolving, but it was uncanny that it should exactly resume the same shape after it once vanished."

"I turned towards the flashes, but those too had vanished. All this was many years before anyone spoke of flying saucers. Whatever it was I saw, it seems to have been very much like what people have since claimed to be flying saucers."

Later, he told again about his sighting in a TV interview:

"It was a perfect shape, it was... shaped sort of more like a pearl... with a tail."

"And I watched this thing and suddenly it disappeared. And I was... I thought well am I seeing things? I had a very grueling flight. I had been waiting for... I had engine trouble, and I had been waiting for hours expecting to go in to the sea you know."

"However suddenly this thing reappeared coming towards me. Well I'm not going to let it go this time! I kept my look fixed on it and it [was] approaching fairly fast, and suddenly, gradually rather, it began to thin out and it vanished in front of me..."

See: http://ufologie.patrickgross.org/htm/chichester1931.htm

Admiral Lord Louis Mountbattan

Lord Louis Mountbatten became the Admiral of the British Fleet and one of the three Supreme Allied Commanders of World War II (the others were Eisenhower and MacArthur) with a quarter million Americans under his direct command. He was the last Viceroy of India , who orchestrated independence from England. He was invited to remain as its first, and adored Governor-General. He was the architect of the total reorganization of Britain's armed forces, Chief of Staff, her First Sea Lord with a keen interest in UFOs. Mountbatten wielded power over millions of people around the globe and was frequently seen with world's leaders. He had the highest clearances and contacts put him position to know the inner most secrets of many countries.

Mountbatten's 1985 biography by Phillip Ziegler, page 493 & 494, Mountbatten states, "What do you think about flying saucers? He asked (his daughter) Patricia. He had been discussing the phenomena with his trusted close friend Peter Murphy. They were both convinced that they come from another planet but we mutually and independently came to the conclusion that they were not aero planes with silly almost human pilots but are themselves the actual inhabitants: Martians, Venusians, Jupiterians or what have you. Why should life in another planet with entirely different conditions in any way resemble life on our planet? Their inhabitants might be gaseous or circular or very large. They certainly don't breathe, they may not have to eat, and I doubt if they have babies -- bits of their great discs may break away and grow into a new creature. The fact they can hover and accelerate from the Earth's gravity again and even resolve around a V2 in America (as reported by their head scientist) shows they are far ahead of us. If they really come over in a big way that may settle the capitalist communist war. If the human race wishes to survive they may have to band together."

Prince Phillip assured me that his uncle Lord Mountbatten had seen UFOs up close while in the Navy.

General Douglas MacArthur

On October 8, 1955, former U.S. General Douglas MacArthur, who had been considered for the Republican nomination for Vice President in 1952, is reported to have stated, "The nations of the world will have to unite, for the next war will be an interplanetary war. The nations of the earth must someday make a common front against attack by people from other planets."

Joint Chiefs of Staff Chairman General Nathan Twining: "Roswell was an ET Event"

Lt. General Nathan Twining headed the Air Materiel Command at Wright-Patterson AFB in 1947, when Twining was asked to study UFO reports; he recommended that a formal study of the phenomenon take place; Project Sign was the result. He was selected Air Force Chief of Staff (1953–1957); President Eisenhower named him Chairman of Joint Chiefs of Staff (1957–1961 the Nation's highest military position.

Six weeks before he passed, the 4-star General who served as Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff under President Eisenhower (and who was the Commander of the Air Materiel Command at Wright Field in July of 1947) confessed to his namesake son that the Roswell crash was an extraterrestrial event.

Even more astonishingly, he disclosed that one of the aliens had survived.

Jan 2014 -- General Twining flight logs of 1947 have been released showing his trip from Wright Field to New Mexico where an alien craft crashed in his only trip during the summer of 1947. IPU Summary Page 4 states the following:

7th July 1947 - Twinning went to Alamogordo AAF for a secret meeting with AAF Chief Of Staff Spaatz and to view recovered remains of craft from crash landing site 20 miles northwest of Socorro.

8th July 1947 - Twinning went to Kirtland AAF to inspect parts recovered from the power plant. 9th July 1947 - Twining and staff went to White Sands Proving Ground to inspect pieces of craft being stored there. 10th July 1947 - Twining made inspection of R&D facilities at Alamogordo and then returned to Wright Field. Much of a craft was sent to Wright Field.

Air Accident Report by General Twining to Headquarters,

This three page bureaucratic report provides the first glimpses of Lt. General Nathan F. Twinning's Air Accident Report who was the Commander of Air Material Command. Twining describes in detail the inside of a "flying disc", everything from typewriter-like keys that control the propulsion system to a thirty-five foot doughnut shaped one-inch tube inside the craft filled with a clear substance and a coil of copper-like material. Twining's engineers from Engineering Division T-3 scientific personnel from the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, and other educated experts report that the object was not manufactured by the US, Germany or the USSR for a variety of reasons including; lack of any known design resemblance, lack of external propulsion system and power plant, and the lack of identifying markings.

The experts theorized about how the craft is powered, how it moves, and how and where it is controlled from, but there is no real knowledge beyond the theories. The inability for the experts to prove the object to be made in any of the advanced technological societies on Earth is intriguing and thought provoking. The significance and consistency of the technological societies is intriguing and thought provoking. The significance and consistency of the technical content has not been evaluated, although it is clear that the writing is consistent with 1947 state of the art, not modern. A general description of the flying saucer craft is presented including a host of historically accurate AISI metallurgical tests. The research team did have success in identifying some control surfaces and exhaust ports and concluded the spherical reactor (hydrogen isotope type) was connected to propulsion motors. Originally published in Leonard Stringfield's (now deceased) Status Report VII, in 1994 and Skywatch OK Main Site

Gen. Twining memo to Brig. Gen. Schulgen of 23 Sept. 1947 stating in part:

- a. The phenomenon is something real and not visionary or fictitious.
- b. There are objects probably approximating the shape of a disc, of such appreciable size as to appear to be as large as man-made aircraft.
- c. There is a possibility that some of the incidents may be caused by natural phenomena, such as meteors.
- d. The reported operating characteristics such as extreme rates of climb, maneuverability (particularly in roll), and motion which must be considered evasive when sighted or contacted by friendly aircraft and radar, lend belief to the possibility that some of the objects are controlled manually, automatically or remotely.

President Harry Truman, 4 April 1950

"I can assure you that flying saucers, given that they exist, are not constructed by any power on Earth."

President Richard M. Nixon

"I'm not at liberty to discuss the government's knowledge of extraterrestrial UFO's at this time. I am still personally being briefed on the subject!"

President Ronald Reagan's UN address

"I think about how quickly our differences worldwide would vanish if we were facing an alien threat from outside this world. And I ask you, does not this threat already exist?"

President John F Kennedy

"The US Air Force assures me that UFO's pose no threat to National Security."

President Gerald Ford (1966)

"I strongly recommend that there be a committee investigation of the UFO phenomena. I think we owe it to the people to establish credibility regarding UFOs and to produce the greatest possible enlightenment on this subject"

Stanton Friedman, UFO Researcher

"Technological progress comes from doing things differently in an unpredictable way"

Debunkers seem to employ four major rules:

A. What the public doesn't know, we certainly won't tell them. The largest official USAF UFO study isn't even mentioned in twelve anti-UFO books, though every one of those books' authors was aware of it.

- B. Don't bother me with the facts, my mind is made up.
- C. If one can't attack the data, attack the people. It is easier.
- D. Do one's research by proclamation rather than investigation. It is much easier, and nobody will know the difference anyway.

Mercury and Gemini Astronaut Colonel L. Gordon Cooper, Esquire Magazine Interview, 1/14/1997

"I had a camera crew filming the installation when they spotted a saucer. They filmed it as it flew overhead, then hovered, extended three legs as landing gear, and slowly came down to land on a dry lake bed! These guys were all pro cameramen, so the picture quality was very good. The camera crew managed to get within 20 or 30 yards of it, filming all the time. It was a classic saucer, shiny silver and smooth, about 30 feet across. It was pretty clear it was an alien craft. As they approached closer it took off."

"All heck broke loose. After a while a high-ranking officer said when the film was developed I was to put it in a pouch and send it to Washington. He didn't say anything about me not looking at the film. That's what I did when it came back from the lab and it was all there just like the camera crew reported." "But the film was never found supposedly. Blue Book was strictly a cover-up anyway."

Karl Wolfe

Sergeant Karl Wolfe of the United States Air Force was stationed at Langley Field, Virginia between the years of 1964 and 1968. During his service, Wolfe worked under the Director of Intelligence at Headquarters Tactical Air Command, Technical group.

Langley Field was a receptor for information received from the Lunar Orbiter Project. Wolfe, equipped with a top secret crypto security clearance had direct contact with the photographic imaging of the data received which was processed in a laboratory run by the NSA.

Wolfe was shown photographs taken by the Lunar Orbiter of the moon clearly showing artificial structures on the surface of the moon. These included domed buildings and tower structures.

The images viewed by Wolfe, were four years prior to Neil Armstrong walking on the moon.

John W. McCormack

Congressman John W. McCormack, Former Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, letter to Major Donald Keyhoe:

"Some three years ago, (1957), as chairman of the House Select Committee on Outer Space out of which came the recently established NASA, my Select Committee held executive sessions on the matter of 'Unidentified Flying Objects.' We could not get much information at that time, although it was pretty well established by some in our minds that there were some objects flying around in space that were unexplainable." 11/4/1960

Paul Hellyer

Paul Hellyer was Canadian Minister of Defense in 1960s, ruling over the country's armed forces during the time of the Cold War – and when he retired he publicly stated that we are not alone in the universe, and some guests from outer space actually live here, on planet Earth. Paul was on RT TV. August 18, 2014.

Paul Hellyer states, "Because I know that UFOs are here. As a matter of fact, they've been visiting our planet for thousands of years and one of the cases that would interest you most if you give me two or three minutes to answer is that during the Cold War, 1961, there were about 50 UFOs in formation flying south from Russia across Europe, and Supreme Allied Command was very concerned and about ready to press the "Panic" button when they turned around and went back over the North Pole.

They decided to do an investigation, they investigated for 3 years, and they decided that, with absolute certainty, four species – at least – had been visiting this planet for thousands of years. We have a long history of UFOs and of course there has been a lot more activity in the last few decades, since we invented the atomic bomb and they are very concerned about that and the fact that we might use it again, and because the Cosmos is a unity and it affects not just us but other people in the Cosmos, they are very much afraid that we might be stupid enough to start using atomic weapons again, and this would be very bad for us and for them as well." Read the full transcript Download video (194.86 MB) is available.

Senator Harry Reid

"I had talked to John Glenn a number of years before," Mr. Reid said, referring to the astronaut and former senator from Ohio, who died in 2016. Mr. Glenn, Mr. Reid said, had told him he thought that the federal government should be looking seriously into

U.F.O.s, and should be talking to military service members, particularly pilots, who had reported seeing aircraft they could not identify or explain.

The sightings were not often reported up the military's chain of command, Mr. Reid said, because service members were afraid they would be laughed at or stigmatized

Robert Bigelow, billionaire entrepreneur, owner of Bigelow Aerospace

"Internationally, we are the most backward country in the world on this issue," Mr. Bigelow said in an interview. "Our scientists are scared of being ostracized, and our media is scared of the stigma. China and Russia are much more open and work on this with huge organizations within their countries. Smaller countries like Belgium, France, England and South American countries like Chile are more open, too. They are proactive and willing to discuss this topic, rather than being held back by a juvenile taboo."

Had contract for \$22 million Advanced Aerospace Threat Identification Program (officially from 2007 to 2012) run by a military intelligence official, Luis Elizondo from on the fifth floor of the Pentagon's C Ring.

Under Mr. Bigelow's direction, the company modified buildings in Las Vegas for the storage of metal alloys and other materials that Mr. Elizondo and program contractors said had been recovered from unidentified aerial phenomena. Researchers also studied people who said they had experienced physical effects from encounters with the objects and examined them for any physiological changes. In addition, researchers spoke to military service members who had reported sightings of strange aircraft.

The program also collected video and audio recordings of reported U.F.O. incidents, including footage from a Navy F/A-18 Super Hornet showing an aircraft surrounded by some kind of glowing aura traveling at high speed and rotating as it moves. The Navy pilots can be heard trying to understand what they are seeing. "There's a whole fleet of them," one exclaims. Defense officials declined to release the location and date of the incident.

Recommended Books and Periodicals

| Date | Title | Authors and Content |
|---------------|---|--|
| 6-Nov-15 | The Total Novice's Guide To UFOs | T. L. Keller This is the revised and expanded 2nd edition (2015) of the original book written for the novice and for the more knowledgeable as well. 60+ new, color illustrations. New sections document the Hudson Valley triangular craft, Area 51/S4 hangar details, articles by the former Canadian Minister of Defense, the Hon. Paul Hellyer, and disclosures by US Air Force generals, American and Canadian scientists. |
| 29-Aug- 14 | Unidentified: The UFO Phenomenon: How World Governments Have Conspired to Conceal Humanity's Biggest Secret | Robert Salas Robert Salas is a 1964 graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy. He served seven years on active duty. He worked as a weapons controller, flew target drones, commanded intercontinental ballistic missiles as a launch officer, and a worked as an Air Force missile propulsion engineer on the Titan III program. From 1971-73 he worked as a safety and reliability engineer for Martin- Marietta Aerospace and Rockwell International on Space Shuttle design proposals. From 1974 until his retirement in 1995 he worked for the Federal Aviation Administration. In 2005 he published the book Faded Giant with coauthor James Klotz which details the UFO incident he witnessed in 1967. Mr. Salas has been publicly speaking about this incident at UFO conferences, on radio, and on television since 1996. See also: http://www.cufon.org/cufon/malmstrom/mal m1.htm |

| 25-Sep- 13 | The Coyame Incident: UFO Crash Near Presidio, Texas | Noe Torres and Ruben Uriarte Documents a mid-air collision in August 1974 between a small plane and a UFO on the U.SMexico border near the city of Presidio, Texas. Following the crash, the governments of both Mexico and the U.S. sent troops to recover the fallen UFO. Since the publication of their first book in 2007, the authors have uncovered several key new witnesses and a number of important new details about the case. |
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| 5-Jul-12 | The Missing Times : News Media Complicity in the UFO Cover-up Second Edition | Terry Hansen Explores the idea that elements of the U.S. government, using standard methods of censorship and propaganda, as well as covert ties to well-known news organizations, have attempted to hide the existence and activities of unidentified flying objects (UFOs) from the American public. It is based on hundreds of sources, including original interviews, news accounts, books, magazine articles, television and radio broadcasts, academic studies, and government documents. |
| 4-Oct-11 | Solving the UFO Enigma How Modern Physics is Revealing the Technology of UFOs | Robert L. Schroeder The idea that a subset of all UFO reports represent advanced craft of extraterrestrial origin has been around for a long time. But only recently has the science of physics developed theories which, when correlated with selected UFO data, point directly toward a likely explanation of this alien technology. |
| 2-Aug-11 | UFOs: Generals, Pilots and Government Officials Go on the Record | Leslie Kean with forward by John Podesta Endorsed by Michio Kaku and others New York Times Best Seller Kean reviewed hundreds of government documents, aviation reports, radar data, and case studies with corroborating physical evidence. She carefully examined scientifically analyzed photographs and interviewed dozens of high-level officials and aviation witnesses from around the world. With the support of former White House chief of staff John Podesta, Kean draws on her research to separate fact from |

| | | fiction and to lift the veil on decades of U.S. government misinformation. Throughout, she presents irrefutable evidence that unknown flying objects—metallic, luminous, and seemingly able to maneuver in ways that defy the laws of physics—actually exist. https://www.amazon.com/UFOs-Generals-Pilots-Government-Officials/dp/0307717089 |
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| 1-Jun-08 | Flying Saucers and Science | Stanton T. Friedman, Dr. Edgar Mitchell and Dr. Bruce Maccabee A comprehensive look at the scientific data on the flying saucer phenomenon. Nuclear physicist and lecturer Stanton T. Friedman has distilled more than 40 years of research on UFOs, and shares his work on a wide variety of classified advanced nuclear and space systems. He answers a number of physics questions in layman's terms, and establishes that travel to nearby stars is within reach without violating the laws of physics. |
| 19-Aug- 05 | Top Secret/Majic: Operation Majestic-12 and the United States Government's UFO Cover-up | Stanton T. Friedman Top Secret/Majic is the result of nuclear physicist and renowned UFO investigator Stanton T. Friedman's twenty-one year search for the truth about the mysterious Operation Majestic 12, President Truman's top-secret UFO investigation team. In this updated edition of his landmark book, he tells the incredible tale of the July, 1947 recovery of a crashed flying saucer near Roswell, New Mexico, and the establishment by President Truman of a truly all-star cast to deal with the saucer and its non-human inhabitants. The first four Directors of Central Intelligence, the first Secretary of Defense, and several outstanding scientists and military leaders were part of the team. Through painstaking research and startling evidence—including documents that have never before been |

| | | published—Friedman effectively exposes the U.S. government's biggest-kept secret: a fifty-eight year UFO cover-up. |
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| 4-2000 10-2009 | UFOs and the National Security State, Volume One: 1941-1973 Volume Two: 1973-1991 | Richard M. Dolan A two-part detailed chronological narrative of the national security dimensions of the UFO phenomenon from 1941 to the present. Working from hundreds of declassified records and other primary and secondary sources, Dolan centers his investigation on the American military and intelligence communities, demonstrating that they take UFOs seriously indeed. |
| 1-Sep-00 | The UFO Enigma: A New Review of the Physical Evidence | Dr. Peter A. Sturrock Professor of Astrophysics and Space Sciences, Stanford U. Most reports of UFOs are cases of error or merely hoaxes. However a certain percentage defy all rational explanation. This study examines a number of cases that have been well documented and corroborated, yet remain unexplained. |
| 20-Jun- 05 | The Majestic Documents | Dr. Robert M. Wood and Ryan S. Wood 15 formerly classified documents See www.majesticdocuments.com for details of authentication methods and ratings of authenticity for each of these and many others |
| 1-Nov-89 | The UFO Experience: A Scientific Inquiry | Dr. J. Allen Hynek Chairman of Northwestern University Astronomy Dept. Scientific consultant for AF Project Blue Book for 20 years |
| 21-May- 05 | Scientific Study of UFOs | Condon Committee report 30% unidentified classifications |

| 29-Jul-68 | The Symposium on Unidentified Flying Objects | Sponsored by the US House of Representatives' Committee on Science and Astronautics 12 presenters, all scientists including 3 astronomers Included James McDonald, prof. of physics at U. of Arizona who had interviewed more than 500 witnesses |
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| 1964 | The UFO Evidence | by Richard Hall, National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena 164 pages listing 4,500 cases of which more than 740 were Unknowns |
| 1-Oct-55 | Project Bluebook Special Report Number 14 | Battelle Memorial Institute under contract with USAF 3,201 UFO sightings, >200 charts, tables, graphs and maps 21.5% unidentified, another 9.3% insufficient information Quality evaluation showed that the better the quality, the more likely to be listed as unknown Probability of unknowns as missed knowns less than 1% |
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| since 1976 | UFO Journal, published monthly | Mutual UFO Network (MUFON) Largest national organization for the scientific study of UFOs |
| since 1976 | International UFO Reporter, published on-line, monthly | J. Allen Hynek Center for UFO Studies (CUFOS) See FAQs at: http://www.cufos.org/FAQ_English_index.ht ml |

MUFON officially began on May 31, 1969. At that time it was known as the Midwest UFO Network. As it outgrew the Midwestern state boundaries to become a world class UFO organization, the name was changed to Mutual UFO Network. That allowed the acronym MUFON to remain as the organization matured. Allen Utke, Associate Professor of Chemistry at Wisconsin State University (sitting in the picture) was selected as the first MUFON Director. A year later Walter H. Andrus, Jr., replaced Dr. Utke as the MUFON Director, a position he held until 2000 when he retired and John F. Schuessler took over as International Director. John retired in November 2006 and James Carrion became the International Director. He resigned at the end

of 2009 and Clifford Clift became the International Director. He resigned in January 2012 and David MacDonald became took over. At the 2013 MUFON Symposium in Las Vegas, Jan C Harzan became the new Executive Director. As of 2020, David MacDonald is again Executive Director.

Researchers by Primary Field of Interest and Publications

History Publications

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| | https://www.richarddolanpress.com |
| Richard M. Dolan | / |
| 2000 | UFOs and the National Security State: an Unclassified History, Volume One: 1941-1973 |
| 2009 | UFOs and the National Security State: The Cover-up Exposed, 1973-1991 |
| Jerome Clark | |
| 1998 | The UFO Book |
| Lawrence Fawcett and Barry J. Greenwood | |
| 1984 | Clear Intent |
| L. Gordon Cooper and Bruce B. Henderson | |
| 2000 | Leap of Faith, An Astronaut's Journey into the Unknown |
| Leslie Kean | |
| 2011 | UFOs: Generals, Pilots and Government Officials Go on the Record |
| Ann Druffel | |
| 2003 | Firestorm: Dr. James E. McDonald's Fight for UFO Science |

Crash Retrievals

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| Leonar | d Stringfield | |
| | 1994 | UFO Crash/Retrievals: Search for |
| | | Proof in a Hall of Mirrors: Status |
| | | Report VII |
| | 1991 | UFO Crash/Retrievals: The Inner |
| | | Sanctum, Status Report VI |
| | 1982 | UFO Crash/Retrievals: Amassing |
| | | the Evidence, Status Report III |
| | 1978 | Situation Red: The UFO Siege! |
| | | (with Donald Keyhoe) |
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| Stantor | n T. Friedman | |
| | 2005 | Top Secret/Majic: Operation |
| | | Majestic-12 and the United States |
| | | Government's UFO Cover-Up |
| | 1992 | Crash at Corona: The U.S. Military |
| | | Retrieval and Cover-Up of a UFO |
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| | 1996 | | Top Secret / Majic | |

Abductions

| David M. Jacobs, PhD | |
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| 1998 | The Threat |
| 1992 | Secret Life |
| 2000 | UFOs & Abductions: Challenging the Borders of Knowledge |
| Bud Hopkins | |
| 1987 | Intruders |
| 1988 | Missing Time |
| 1987 | Intruders: The Incredible Visitations at Copley Woods |
| John E. Mack, PhD | |
| 2007 | Abduction: Human Encounters with Aliens |

Physical Evidence

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| Ted Phillips | | |
| | 1975 | Physical Trace Catalog see www.ufoevidence.org Published by CUFOS as "Physical Traces Associated with UFO Sightings, A Preliminary Catalog" |
| Robert Hasting | S | |
| | 2008 | UFOs and Nukes Extraordinary Encounters at Nuclear Weapons Sites |

Cerology ("Crop Circles")

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| Werne | Anderhub and Hans Peter Roth | |
| | 2002 | Exploring the Designs & Mysteries, |
| | | Crop Circles |
| Colin A | ndrews and Pat Delgado | |
| | 1991 | Circular Evidence: A Detailed |
| | | Investigation of the Flattened |
| | | Swirled Crops |
| Michae | l Glickman | |
| | 2005 | Crop Circles |
| Linda N | Л. Howe | |
| | 2002 | Mysterious Lights and Crop Circles |
| | | http://www.openminds.tv/biophysicis |
| | | t-and-crop-circle-researcher-w-c- |
| William | C. Levengood | levengood-passes-1971/24370 |

| | | BLT Research Team |
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| Steve A | Alexander | |
| | | Year-by-year collection of photos: http://www.temporarytemples.co.uk /imagelibrary/ |
| Mark F | ussell and Stuart Dike | |
| | | http://www.cropcircleconnector.com |
| Implan | ts | |
| Dr. Rog | ger K. Lier | |
| | 2012 | The Aliens and the Scalpel (Revised 2nd edition; 1st edition 2005) |

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| COVCII | ment becamenation | |
|--------|----------------------------|--|
| Robert | M. Wood, PhD, Ryan S. Wood | |
| | 1998 | The Majestic Documents |
| | | Reproduction of 1954 "SOM1-01, Majestic-12 Group Special Operations Manual, Extraterrestrial Entities and Technology, Recovery and Disposal" |
| John G | reenewald, Jr. | |
| | >17 years | www.theblackvault.com (FOIA Government Document archive with more than one million pages of material) |

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| Federal Burea | u of Investigations | |
|---------------|---------------------|---|
| | 2009 | Animal / Cattle Mutilations The FBI Files |
| Linda M. Howe | 9 | |
| | 1981 | Documentary "A Strange Harvest" (won Emmy award) |
| | 1989 | Alien Harvest: Further Evidence Linking Animal Mutilations and Human Abductions to Alien Life Forms |

Scientific Analysis / Physics

| Paul R | . Hill and Robert M. Wood | |
|--------|---------------------------|--|
| | 1995 | Unconventional Flying Objects: A Scientific Analysis |
| Robert | L. Schroeder | |

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| Stantor | n T. Friedman | |
| | 2008 | Flying Saucers and Science: A Scientist Investigates the Mysteries of UFOs: Interstellar Travel, Crashes and Government Cover- Ups |

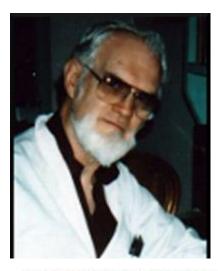
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Analysis

| Eric Kelson, PhD | | | | |
|------------------|------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| | 2000 | Reanalysis of the 1965 Heflin UFO | | |
| | | Photos | | |
| | | Journal of Scientific Exploration, | | |
| | | Volume 14, Number 4, page 583 | | |
| | | with Ann Druffel and Robert Wood | | |

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Cerology ("Crop Circles") Research

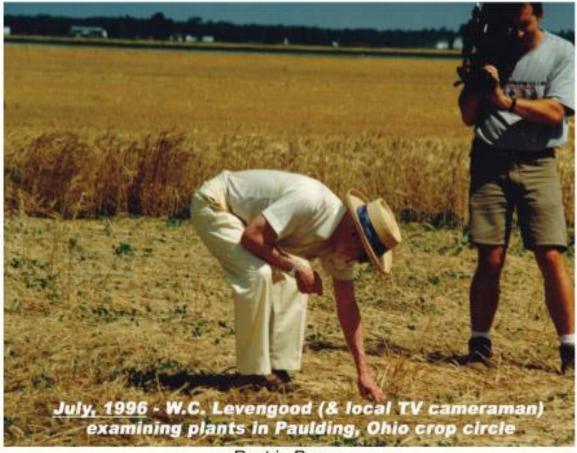


William C. ("Lefty") Levengood March 13, 1925 – September 28, 2013

"Lefty" Levengood, a pioneering biophysicist and long-time resident of Grass Lake, Michigan (and the "L" in the original "BLT Research Team"), has died at the age of 88. Educated at the University of Toledo (B.S. in Physics and Mathematics, 1957), Ball State University (M.A. in Bioscience, 1961) and the University of Michigan (M.S. in Biophysics, 1970), Levengood worked as a research physicist at the now-defunct Institute of Science & Technology and the Dept. of Natural Resources at the University of Michigan from 1961 through 1970, after which he was employed as the Director of Biophysical Research and as a consulting scientist for various private-sector companies.

Because of his wide-ranging scientific curiosity he maintained a well-equipped laboratory at his home in Grass Lake, where he pursued a variety of interests and obtained multiple patents, several relating to seed germination and vigor and the development of new plant varieties through genetic transduction. He also authored more than 50 peer-reviewed papers published in professional scientific journals, including several in the preeminent journals *Nature* and *Science*, as well as in a diverse selection of other professional publications, ranging from *The American J.* of *Physics and the J. of Applied Physics* to *The J. of Experimental Botany*, *The J. of Chemical Physics*, *The J. of Physics and Chemistry of Solids, Bioelectochemistry and Bioenergetics*, *The J. of Geophysical Research*, to *The J. of Insect Physiology* and many others.

In December of 1990, after his wife Glenna had seen a TV crop circle show (which he then subsequently also watched), Levengood contacted Pat Delgado (one of the original British investigators of the phenomenon) and they arranged for Delgado to begin shipping plant samples and controls to "Lefty's" Michigan laboratory. Almost As seems to be the unfortunate "norm" in the scientific arena today, profoundly new ideas and concepts are often initially overlooked or dismissed, or—if they represent possible serious challenge to currently accepted scientific paradigms—are usually vigorously attacked. Lefty was aware that much of his later work would likely face this problem, but with an ongoing desire to expand his knowledge and though the application of his professional expertise, he persisted. In regards to the crop circles his work has laid a foundation upon which future scientific efforts will build, and he will be remembered by many other people also with whom he worked on additional not-yet-understood "anomalous" phenomena.



- Rest in Peace -

Nancy Talbott BLT Research Team October, 2013

UFO-Related PhD and MS Degrees

PhD Theses

See:

http://www.abovetopsecret.com/forum/thread1014708/pg1

Click the following icon for a list of 231 PhD theses issued from 1950 to 2007 http://www.euroufo.net/catalogues-bibliographies/ufo-theses/

For an updated database as well as status of Italian UAP research: http://www.euroufo.net/

Masters Theses

The "Rael" World. Narratives of the Raelian Movement – 2005 MA, Tayah L. Hanson, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon (EUROUFO)

Mon Dieu... un ovni...: du phénomène ovni à ses dérives religieuses, en France de 1950 à nos jours – 2005 MA, Jérémy Morel, Université Jean Moulin (Lyon, France) (EUROUFO)

UFO-Hysterie in den USA – Ein interdisziplinäres Phänomen zwischen Wissenschaft, Politik, Religion und Kommerz – 2005 MA, Sandra Kemerle, Institut für Amerikanistik, Universität Leipzig (EUROUFO)

An Alien in Roswell – 2002 MA, Kay Lang, University of Wyoming

Social Constructionist, Psychological, and Official Theories of UFOs – 2002 MA, Alan Greenhalgh, California State University, Dominguez Hills

UFO and Alien Encounter Narratives: A Cross-Cultural Analysis – 2002 MA, Ravi Ramkisoonsingh, Carleton University

Alien encounters: A close analysis of personal accounts of extraterrestrial experiences – 2002 MA, Krista Suhr Henriksen, Simon Fraser University

Pop Culture and the UFO Narrative: Who's Buying it, Who's Selling it, and Who's not Telling it – 2001 MA, Kelly S. Rubbo, Utah State University

New Religious UFO Movements: Extraterrestrial Salvation in Contemporary America – 2000 MA, Stefan Isaakson, California State University, Fresno (GREENWOOD)

Shaman and Abductee: American Ufology as Cryptoscience and Countersociology – 1998 MA, Ryan Cook, University of Chicago (EUROUFO)

Heaven's Gate: A Sociological Perspective – 1998 MA, Patricia L. Goerman, University of Virginia (EUROUFO)

Otherworld Journeys: UFO Abduction Narratives as Transformative Stories – 1995 MA, Carol Suzanne Matthews, University of Kansas (EUROUFO)

UFO Stories: The Poetics of Uncanny Encounters in a Counterpublic Discourse – 1994 MA, Susan Lepselter, University of Texas (PUFOI)

Gods from the Machines: On the Anthropology of Alien Abductions – 1994 MA, Michael Tracy Blair, Washington State University (EUROUFO)

A social psychological investigation of UFO sighters – 1992 MA, Patricia Ann Cross, Carleton University

Une secte soucoupique : les raëliens – 1989 MA, F. Follmer, Université Paul-Valéry, Montpellier III (EUROUFO)

OVNI: un tabou scientifique? – 1988 MA, Véronique Galzy, Montpellier III (EUROUFO)

The UFO Movement: A Sociological Study of UFO Groups – 1985 MA, Shirley McIver, The University of York (United Kingdom) (DASH)

The UFO Phenomenon: A Study in Public Relations – 1972 MA, David J. Shea, University of Denver, Colorado (GREENWOOD)

Flying Saucers: Fact or Fiction? – 1950 MA, DeWayne B. Johnson, University of California, Los Angeles (GREENWOOD)

Shamanism and alien abductions: A comparative study – 2000 MA, Simon Brian Harvey-Wilson, Edith Cowan University (PUFOI)

L'irrationnel et ses habitants – A deux periodes distinctes de l'histoire: les OVNI au XXeme siecle et les fees, les lutins, le diable et la mort du XV au XVIIIeme siecle – 1992 MA(?), Christophe Campiglia, Université de Nantes (France) (EUROUFO)

Constructions of Mythology: Mount Shasta, Atlantis, and the Ancient Lemurians – 2006 MA, Tiffany Darlene Strickland, California State University, Fullerton

The SS-Ahnenerbe and the 1938/1939 German-Tibet expedition – 2000 MA, Mark Jonathan Rogers, Georgia State University

Belief in UFOs and alien abduction phenomena as a function of paranormal beliefs, fantasy proneness, dissociative experience, and psychological adjustment – 1994 MA, Kevin M. Harkins, Bridgewater State University, Massachusetts (PUFOI)

The Relationship of Anomie and Externality to Strength of Belief in Unidentified Flying Objects – 1975 MA, Stephen P. Resta, Loyola College, Baltimore (PUFOI)

När de flygande tefaten landade i folkhemmet. En studie av ufo-mytens förändring i en svensk kontext – 2006 MA (?), Jessica Moberg, Södertörns Högskola. Discusses narratives about UFO's and extraterrestrials in the Swedish UFO-movement from the 1960's until today.

Compilations of Evidence

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| Category | Author | e | Title | Description |
| Landing Traces | | | Physical Evidence Related to UFO Reports (Sturrock | A few of the reports that have been investigated by GEPAN/SEPRA show ground traces that may be associated with the events reported by witnesses. Similar cases have been |
| | Peter Sturrock | | Panel): Ground Traces | documented by other investigators. |
| | Ted Phillips | 19 75 | Top Physical Trace Cases - Cases of High Strangeness - A Preliminary List | The following is a preliminary list of High Strangeness cases involving physical traces associated with UFO sightings. It is not complete and will be added to as additional reports are received. These cases represent some of the high strangeness trace/landing events from a database of over 4,000 such events. 561 of such cases as a CUFOS report. |
| | Keith Basterfield | 73 | A Catalogue of Australian Physical Trace Cases | This catalogue brings together many of the (Australian) cases where traces have been placed in a UFO context-even if a UFO was not reported in association with the event. |
| | Bill Chalker | | A Catalogue of Australian Physical Trace Cases | The catalogue of Australian physical trace cases compiled by Keith Basterfield and Bill Chalker lists 147 cases covering the period from 1927 to 1997. Physical trace events with probative UFO correlation, i.e. 38 possible type 1 physical traces cases (Chalker, 1979 & 1987), are listed here to draw attention to cases of potential |

| | | | | significance. |
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| Radar/Visual | Bruce Maccabee | 19 97 | Atmosphere or UFO?: A Response to the 1997 SSE Review Panel Report | Radar and radar-visual sightings were among the various types of UFO sightings discussed by the review panel sponsored by the Society for Scientific Exploration in the Fall of 1997. This paper, a response to the panel opinion, demonstrates that careful consideration of atmospheric effects is not sufficient to explain at least some of the radar, radar-visual, and photographic sightings that have been reported over the years. This area of testimony deals specifically with pilot encounters, radar cases and related cases. It should be pointed out that for decades, people who have |
| | Steven Greer, Disclosure Project Martin | | Disclosure Project Witness Testimony: Radar and Pilot Cases RADCAT: Radar | been skeptical of the UFO subject have asserted that if these objects were real, they would have been tracked on radar. We have no fewer than 20 witnesses from the Air Force, the Marines, the Navy, the Army, and civilian authorities in the United States and abroad who are qualified air traffic controllers and pilots who have seen and tracked these objects on radar |
| | Shough, United Kingdom 2002 (and NARCAP) | | Catalogue: A Review of Twenty One Ground and Airborne Radar UAP Contact Reports | For the Period October 15, 1948 to September 19, 1976. Electro-magnetic effects that are possibly related to UAP. |

| | | Generally Related to Aviation Safety (Parts 1 and 2) | |
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| | | | |
| Physiological Effects | John F. Schuessler, Journal of Scientific Investigation | UFO-Related Human Physiological Effects | A significant number of UFO reports contain information suggesting that human physiological and psychological damage, animal reactions, and physical trace effects are caused by the UFO encounter. If this assertion is true, then we have an opportunity to provide the "proof" of reality sought by most researchers if we properly amass and utilize the results of the investigations. Important to researchers is the availability of historical data in a conveniently usable form. This document provides the first edition of a subset of the overall database - a catalog of UFO-related human physiological effects. |
| Photographic | | | |
| Underground Bases | | | |
| Electro-Magnetic Effects | | | |
| Vehicle Interference | | | |
| Pilot Sightings | | | |

| Military | | | UFO sightings at ICBM sites and nuclear Weapons Storage Areas | Although the vast majority of Americans are completely unaware of its existence, the UFO/Nukes Connection is now remarkably well-documented. Air Force, FBI, and CIA files declassified via the Freedom of Information Act establish a convincing, ongoing pattern of UFO activity at U.S. nuclear weapons sites extending back to December 1948 To date, Hastings interviewed over 50 individuals who were involved in various UFO-related incidents at Strategic Air Command bases or remote sites. |
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| | | | For details, see: | Hastings selected the |
| | Robert L. | 20 06 | http://www.cufon.org /cufon/malmstrom/m alm1.htm | statements of 20 of those persons for presentation |
| | Donald A Johnson, PhD / Nuclear Connection Project | | Do Nuclear Facilities Attract UFOs? | here. On numerous occasions, UFOs have been reported over nuclear power plants as well as nuclear research facilities and nuclear weapons storage bunkers at military bases. (1) A good percentage of these reports occurred at highly restricted government research and production facilities, such as Los Alamos, Oak Ridge, Hanford AEC, and Savannah River AEC. Highly trained government scientists and military personnel, who had been granted top-secret military clearances, made many of these reports. |

See also: http://www.ufoevidence.org/topics/

Animal Mutilations

Mario Zain Pinto

After the events that shook the interior of Santiago, resulting from the discovery of mutilated animals, Mario Zain Pinto, a scholar of quantum physics and a UFO enthusiast, explained to Nuevo Diario that "it has been proven all over the world that animal mutilations are caused by these flying objects. Everything else (The Almamula, Chupacabras, etc.) are old tales. The problem is that no one wants to talk because they're scared."

He stated that mutilations have particular characteristics that allow them to be determined as caused by UFOs. "They drill an hole (on the animals), draw all of their blood, and that's why they say it's the Chupacabras, but the fact is not a single trace is left. For a winged creature to be able to absorb so many animals, it would have to be an enormous creature, and no one has seen that. It's all stories."

"We have to start by acknowledging that this is real, that animal mutilations are occurring more frequently all over the world, and that the sightings and experiences that aviators have had with such objects occur everywhere," Pinto explained. Furthermore, he maintains that behind the cover-up of this information "there are many vested interests coming from such countries as Russia and the United States," adding: "The fact is that there are many mutilations in Santiago with the same characteristics."

He recalls that the greatest proof of the existence of UFOs occurred during 2002, due to the discovery of mutilated animals throughout the country, and UFO sightings by some people also substantiated this. It was then that UBA [University of Buenos Aires] and the SENASA reported that the red muzzled mouse was responsible for it all. A small rodent is unable to terminate entire herds of cows.

In this regard, Pinto says: "It was a mockery," adding that "no one saw or knows about the red muzzled mouse, and mutilation cases were studied very responsibly in Santiago del Estero. Heat and magnetic readings of the ground were taken, determining that alterations were tremendous in a circle surrounding the mutilated carcasses. They also ascertained that 'rigor mortis' — a logical thing in any dead creature – was not present. No traces were found, not even birds of prey animals would come close." Finally, he asked: "There are so many galaxies. Don't you find it foolish to think the Chupacabras or the Almamula is responsible?"

To remedy the harm these flying objects cause to rural residents of our province, Pinto proposes creating a civil agency jointly with the National University of Santiago del Estero, and with military support as much as possible, "much like those that have existed for a long time now in other countries like Brazil and Chile, and like we have to a certain degree in the Argentinean provinces."

The researcher stated that in the context of his presentation, and in order to bring this about, the most important thing "is financial assistance throughout the country, a subsidy law for verified cases (of UFO-related cattle mutilation)." Finally, he observed that these phenomena occur in rural areas and the facts are not scrutinized in detail. [Translation (c) 2015 S. Corrales, IHU with thanks to Nuevo Diario Web and Planeta UFO] posted by Inexplicata (IHU)

See also:

http://nypost.com/2016/09/05/the-shocking-truth-behind-the-10000-animal-mutilations-in-americas-heartland/

http://www.theblackvault.com/casefiles/category/animal-mutilations/#

https://www.amazon.com/Stalking-Herd-Unraveling-Mutilation-Mystery/dp/1939149061

Crash Retrievals

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| Date | Location | EBEs | Documentation |
|---------|---------------------|-------------|---|
| 1-Apr- | Cape Girardeau, | | |
| 1941 | Missouri, US | 3 | Ryan Wood, www.majesticdocuments.com |
| | | | |
| | | | Ben Moffett, The Mountain Mail, Socorro NM, Nov. |
| 16-Aug- | San Antonio, New | | 2, 2003; |
| 1945 | Mexico, US | 2+ | http://www.rense.com/general44/nmxx.htm |
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| 3-Jul- | Roswell, New | | |
| 1947 | Mexico | 3 | Stanton Friedman |
| | | | |
| 25-Mar- | | | |
| 1948 | Aztec, New Mexico | 16 | 1950, Frank Scully, Behind the Flying Saucers |
| | , | | , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , |
| | | | http://www.openminds.tv/kingman-ufo- |
| 21-May- | | | crash/3324; "Majic Eyes Only" written by Ryan S. |
| 1953 | Kingman, Arizona | 4 | Wood |
| | , | | |
| 14-Sep- | | | |
| 1957 | Ubatuba, Brazil | no | Billy Booth, About.com |
| | , | | |
| 9-Dec- | Kecksburg, | | http://www.mufon.com/kecksburg-crash |
| 1965 | Pennsylvania, US | no | 1965.html |
| | , | | |
| 4-Oct- | Shag Harbour, Nova | | |
| 1967 | Scotia, Canada | no | MUFON Canada |
| | · | | |
| 1-Mar- | Berezovsky, Russian | | 9-13-98 as part of a TNT special titled "The Secret |
| 1968 | Federation | 1 | UFO Files of the KGB." |
| | | | |
| | | | 1998, Michael Hesemann, |
| 6-May- | El Taire Mountain, | | http://www.thinkaboutitdocs.com/1978-ufo-crash- |
| 1978 | Bolivia | no | in-bolivia-witnessed-by-thousands/ |
| | | | • |
| 25-Nov- | So. Haven Park, | | LIUFON Press Release on August 3 1998; |
| 1992 | Long Island | no | http://thenightsky.org/li.html |
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| 25-Jan- | | | Press release by A.J. Gevaerd, Editor of UFO |
| 1996 | Varginha Brazil | 6 | Magazine (Brazil), June 12th, 1996 |
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| 14-May- | | | http://ufos.about.com/od/ufocrashes/a/needles2.ht |
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| 2008 | Needles, California | no | m |

Total of these cases, reported: 33

EBE = ExoBiological Entity, i.e., alien body

See also

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| | | In Timothy Goode's book, "Above Top Secret" he describes a 1950's army unit called the Interplanetary Phenomenon Unit whose duty it was to retrieve crashed UFO's |
| 1954 | SOM1-01 | Extraterrestrial Entities and Technology, Recovery and Disposal |
| | Accurate reproduction of government manual | http://www.stantonfriedman.com/index.php?ptp=articles&fdt=2004.04.15 |
| | | Randle, Kevin D. (2010). Crash: When UFOs Fall From the Sky: A History of Famous Incidents, Conspiracies, and Cover-Ups. pp. 286-289. New Page Books. ISBN: 1601631006 |
| 2015 | Best source of info on crash-retrievals is by Leonard H. Stringfield | https://www.amazon.com/UFO-Crash-Retrievals-Amassing-Evidence/dp/151414347X |
| | | Status Reports 1, 2 and 3 |