

OBERTH, HERMANN JULIUS

HERMANN JULIUS OBERTH WAS BORN JUNE 25, 1894, IN HERMANNSTADT, TRANSYLVANIA, SON OF DR. JULIUS OBERTH, PHYSICIAN.

PRIMARY SCHOOL 1899-1904 SCHAESSBURG (TRANSYLVANIA)

HIGH SCHOOL 1909-1912 " "

UNIVERSITIES:

MUNCHEN (GERMANY) 1913-14

KLAUSENBURG (TRANSYLVANIA) 1919 - SUMMER HALF

MUNCHEN 1919-20 - WINTER HALF

GOTTINGEN 1920-21

HEIDELBERG 1921-22

KLAUSENBURG 1922-23

HIGH SCHOOL PROFESSOR FOR MATHEMATICS AND PHYSICS SINCE JUNE 1923

1924-25 TEACHER IN THE HIGH SCHOOL IN SCHAESSBURG

1925-38 PROFESSOR IN THE STEPHEN LUDWIG ROTH COLLEGE IN MEDIASCH

1928-30 VACATION FOR STUDIES IN BERLIN. AMONG OTHER THINGS WAS ADVISORY MAN ON THE FILM "GIRL IN THE MOON" AND MADE ROCKET EXPERIMENTS WITH GASOLINE AND LIQUID AIR.

1938-40 ROCKET RESEARCHER AT THE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY IN VIENNA

1940-41 ROCKET RESEARCHER AT TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY IN DRESDEN

1941-43 ROCKET RESEARCHER IN PEENEMUNDE (HAP)

1943-45 ROCKET RESEARCHER IN RHEINSDORF NEAR WITTENBERG (WASAG)

1945-48 PRIVATE PERSON, FEUCHT (NEAR NURNBERG), GERMANY

1948 AUTHOR AT BERN, SWITZERLAND

1949-50 ROCKET RESEARCH IN OBERRIED AM BRIENZER LAKE

1950-53 ROCKET RESEARCH FOR THE ITALIAN NAVY IN LA SPEZIA, ITALY

1953-55 PRIVATE PERSON, FEUCHT, GERMANY

SINCE JULY 1955 ROCKET STUDIES IN THE TECHNICAL FEASIBILITY STUDIES OFFICE, ORDNANCE MISSILE LABORATORIES, REDSTONE ARSENAL, HUNTSVILLE, ALA.

MAIN PUBLICATIONS:

"DIE RAKETE ZU DEN PLANETENRAEUMEN: (A ROCKET TO THE INTER-PLANETARY SPACES) 1923 OLDENBURG, MUNCHEN

"WEGEZUR RAUMSCHIFFFAHRT" (MEANS FOR ASTRONAUTICS) 1929 OLDENBURG, MUNCHEN

1931 "FORSCHUNGUND JENSEITS" (INVESTIGATION AND THE LIFE TO COME) JOHANNES BAUM VERLAG PFULLINGEN/WURTT, GERMANY

1954 "MENSCHENIM WELTRAUM" (MEN INTO THE SPACE) ELON-VERLAG, DUSSELDORF

MAIN DISTINCTIONS:

REP-HIRSCH PRICE OF THE ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY OF FRANCE. 1930

DIESEL MEDAL OF THE ASSOCIATION OF GERMAN INVENTORS, 1954

HERMANN OBERTH MEDAL (KENNZEICHEN BY THE DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FUR WELTRAUMFORSCHUNG - - GERMAN SOCIETY FOR SPACE RESEARCHES).

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