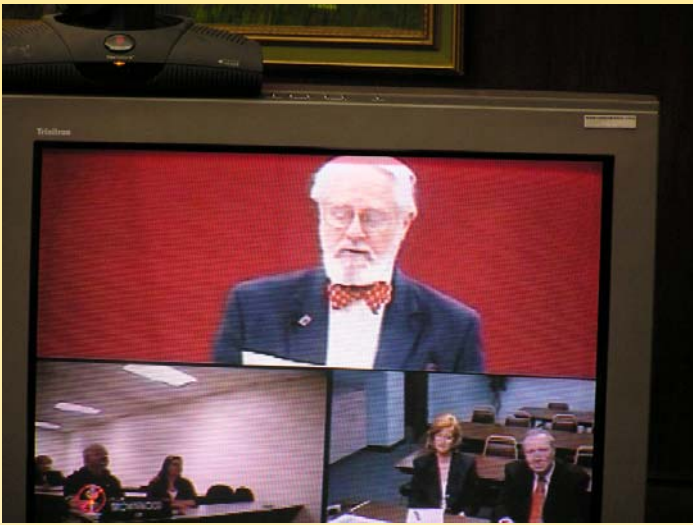


Dr. Nichols Grimes



Dr. Nichols Grimes, Immediate Past President of The Harvard Club of San Antonio, was born in Boston and educated at Brown and Nichols School and Phillips Exeter Academy, where he embraced the Renaissance Ideal. In 1960, he earned his AB at Harvard College, concentrating in Biology, went on to graduate work in Architecture, studying with Luis Kahn.

After the Army, he became an Equity and SAG actor in New York, studying with Lee Strasberg, and performing in off Broadway shows such as *The Fantastiks* and *The Cradle Will Rock*, directed by Leonard Bernstein. His TV series included *Car 54 Where are You?* Inspired by the physiological basis of theatre work, he taught and counseled at The Cherry Lawn School in Connecticut.

Having won a National Science Foundation scholarship, he earned a Master's Degree at Brown University and went on to earn a Ph.D. in Developmental Biology. Following his postdoctoral studies at The Medical University of South Carolina, Dr. Grimes came to The University of Texas Medical School in San Antonio to teach and to conduct biomedical research in cartilage regeneration. He did some of the early work on glucosamine, hyaluronate, and chondroitin sulfate. Later he taught and mentored premedical, prephysical therapy, pre dental, preoccupational therapy students at the University of Texas at San Antonio.

He is a published author and wildlife photographer. He collects ancient art, having two pieces on display at SAMA. He has been a successful momentum swing stock trader. He lives in The Hill Country inspired by his legendary cat, Timothy Thomas Hunter Harwood.