

Waymon Armstrong

Waymon Armstrong is founder and President of Engineering & Computer Simulations, Inc. (ECS). Since its inception in 1997, Mr. Armstrong has led the firm in delivering innovative PC based game technology through advanced distributed learning environments. Since 2007, ECS has used virtual world technologies and has become a leader in delivering virtual world solutions to its customers.

Before starting ECS, Mr. Armstrong directed computer-modeling activities at a multi-million dollar program management and engineering firm. He also served as a project manager for large-scale crisis response teams. Mr. Armstrong has over twenty-five years of experience in engineering and technology related fields, including twenty years in management.



He attended the University of Central Florida, and is currently a frequent lecturer at Rollins College. Mr. Armstrong serves on the board of several organizations, including: Orlando Regional Chamber of Commerce Board of Governors' Modeling, Simulation and Training Committee; the Metro Orlando Military Affairs Advisory Committee; Digital Media Alliance of Florida; Valencia Community College's Digital Media Technology Advisory Committee; the Executive Committee of the Sunshine Chapter of AUSA, GROWFL, and Missionary Ventures International.

Mr. Armstrong is a frequent speaker at conferences and symposia, such as Innovations in E-Learning, IT Florida, I/ITSEC, the Synergy Summit, the Summer Computer Simulation Conference, the Transportation Research Board, the National Research Council, the JADL Co-Lab Implementation Fest, the Otronicon, and the Federal Consortium for Virtual Worlds. He has testified before the House Aviation Sub-committee on safety and security, and the State of Florida's House Select Committee on security.

Mr. Armstrong was selected by the United States Small Business Administration (SBA) 2010 National Small Business Person of the Year, 2010 Florida Small Business Person of the Year, 2010 North Florida Small Business Person of the Year and named as a 2007 and 2009 finalist for the Ernst and Young Entrepreneur of the Year in the state of Florida. In 2009, his company was named on the prestigious Inc. 500 list, the Deloitte Fast 500, and Washington Technology Fast 50. In 2008, ECS was the IT Florida Excellence in IT Leadership Award recipient.

He is married and has three children.