

# NOTABLE PEOPLE

## DR. SALLY RIDE

## IN TECHNOLOGY

*“Our country needs a new generation of visionary scientists and innovators to ensure our future prosperity.”*

**EDUCATION:** Bachelor degrees in physics and English and a master’s degree in physics all from Stanford University.

**OCCUPATION:** Acclaimed NASA astronaut, President and CEO of Sally Ride Science, and Professor (Emeritus), University of California, San Diego. Best known as America’s first woman in space aboard the Space Shuttle Challenger in 1983. Founded Sally Ride Science, to pursue her long-time passion: motivating girls and young women to pursue careers in science, math and technology.



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