



## Bio for Robert Ehrlich BS and PhD Physics

About me

As the end of my time on planet Earth nears I am an Emeritus Physics professor at George Mason University, having retired in 2013, after having served as department chair for 15 of the 36 years I spent at Mason. I received a BS in Physics from Brooklyn College in 1959 and a Ph.D. in physics from Columbia University in 1964, under then future Nobel Laureate Jack Steinberger. After a post-doc at the University of Pennsylvania I taught at Rutgers University and then SUNY New Paltz, where I served as physics department chair. Most of my research has been in particle physics especially neutrinos, but I have also published in other areas, including renewable energy, nuclear weapons issues, climate change, and physics education.

Since 1999 I have sought to find evidence for the reality of faster-than-light particles or tachyons, having published 20 refereed articles on the subject. Contrary to the belief held by most physicists, a considerable amount of evidence has, in fact, been amassed that one of the neutrinos is a tachyon. A book published in May 2022 “**Hunting the Tachyon, and Finding Three Unicorns and a Herd of Elephants**” (my 23rd) presents the evidence for the general reader. In my spare time I am hopelessly addicted to the game of go. You can find out more about this ancient game online (probably played throughout the galaxy).