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Dave Brew earned his PhD from Stanford University and worked for the U.S. Geological Survey from 1952 to 1995; emeritus until 2017. He was a meticulous geologic mapper and structural geologist and spent most of his career in Southeast Alaska. Dave mandated systematic data collection on his projects and contributed significantly to the development of regional geochemical, geochronologic, and mineral occurrence datasets in Southeast Alaska. He led mineral resource assessments of the Juneau and Petersburg quadrangles, the Tracy Arm-Fords Terror Wilderness area, and Glacier Bay National Park, and contributed to the regional assessment of the Tongass National Forest. He synthesized latest Mesozoic and Cenozoic magmatism in Southeast Alaska for the Geological Society of America Decade of North American Geology publication in 1994.