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Robert Carr aimed to achieve several goals in the development of the Framework program: simplicity and ease of use; a very high level of integration between a wide number of major applications; and programmability of the software system itself.

Carr brought to the task many years of experience with hierarchical AI database, Xerox's advanced user interfaces, and Context Management Systems' MBA program.

Carr worked with Xerox in their Palo Alto, Calif. research center in the advanced systems department. He worked in a group charged with developing prototype successors to the Xerox Star system. After Xerox, Carr completed an MS in Computer Science at Stanford, concentrating on databases, artificial intelligence and man/machine languages.