

1981 Engineer of Distinction



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Citation

George R. Jasny is Vice President of the Nuclear Division of the Union Carbide Corporation in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. In this position, he is responsible for all engineering and computer activities for the Division.

Born June 6, 1924, in Katowice, Poland, Mr. Jasny received a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from the University of Washington in 1949 and a master's degree in chemical engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1952. He joined the staff at Union Carbide in 1950. He has served in various technical and managerial capacities, including Director of Engineering for the Nuclear Division. He was appointed Vice President in August 1980.

A registered professional engineer in the state of Tennessee, Mr. Jasny is a member of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, National Society of Professional Engineers, Tennessee Society of Professional Engineers, American Society for Engineering Management, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Tau Beta Pi, and Sigma Xi. He is chairman of the Oak Ridge Utility District Board of Commissions; a member and past chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Oak Ridge Hospital of the Methodist Church; a member and past president of the Oak Ridge Rotary Club; a member and past chairman of the Tennessee Technological University Board of Engineering Advisors; and a member of the United Church of Oak Ridge. In 1974, he was the recipient of the outstanding service award of the Tennessee Society of Professional Engineers, and in 1979 he received the TSPE award for Outstanding Achievement in the Advancement of the Engineering Profession.



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