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John T. “Jack” Crystal

Born: January 8, 1947, Grand Forks, ND

Education: UND BSCHE 1969, MS ChE 1970
LSU MBA 1982



Career Experience

- 1970 E.I. DuPont, West Virginia
- 1970-74 US Air Force. Service in Colorado, California Thailand & South Korea (commissioned at UND)
- 1974-80 Exxon Chemical Co., Baton Rouge, LA: Design Engineer/Start Up Engineer; Operations Supervisor
- 1980-85 Exxon Chemical Co., Baytown, TX: Technology Head Support for North & South America & Asia
- 1985-88 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Operations & Planning Manager, Latin America
- 1989-91 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Sr. Planning Associate, Polyethylene
- 1992-94 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Sr. Advisor, Worldwide Polyolefins
- 1994-97 Exxon Chemical Co., Houston, TX: Market Segment Manager, Americas Polyethylene
- 1998-00 ExxonMobil Chemical Co., Hong Kong: Vice-President, Polyolefins
- 2000-05 ExxonMobil Chemical Co., Singapore: Technology Manager Asia Pacific, Polyolefins

Accomplishments

- 1983 Elected full member of American Institute of Chemical Engineers
- 1998-00 Negotiated terms of agreements involving the polyolefins products being considered with the Chinese and Saudi partners of a proposed joint venture in China
- 2000-05 Addressed Chinese Agricultural Film and the Malaysian Plastics Associations and numerous trade meetings, including Chinaplas and PlasIndia

Awards

- 1973 USAF Commendation Medal
- 1982 SBA Small Business Institute National Award to MBA group
- 1997 Exxon Vice-President's Award for studies on price/volume management of new products
- 2005 ExxonMobil Global Polyethylene Award for team effort on improving product realization

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