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S.B., Physics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1953 Sc.D., Nuclear Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1958

Research Interests

Reactor physics, numerical methods, modeling of physical and social systems.

Current Research Projects

Modeling of nuclear power plant operations

Modeling of social/political determinants of nuclear energy policy

Modeling of R&D processes

Teaching Interests

Nuclear Reactor Physics, System Dynamics.

Other Professional Activities

Director of Stone & Webster Inc. and EG&G, Inc.

Honors and Awards

Fellow of ANS

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Selected Recent Publications

- 1. "Allocating R&D Resources," Research Technology Management, July 1999, Vol. 42, No. 4.
- "System Dynamics Modeling of Social/Political Factors in Nuclear Power Plant Operations,"
 Proceedings of International Conference on Mathematics and Computations, Reactor Physics, and Environmental Analyses, ANS, April 1995.

