

Retired Physicist Dr. Ottmar Casper Kistner died on November 25, 2019, at 89 years old.

After completing Ph.D. research with the Columbia University group at the Brookhaven National Laboratory Graphite Reactor, Dr. Kistner worked as a post doc with the BNL Physics Department group of Dr. T. Goldhaber. In years following, Dr. Kistner conducted research at the LINAC, the Tandem Van de Graaff, and at the NSLS with the LEGS group. Besides early work on the Mossbauer Effect, Kistner worked on Time Reversal Invariance in low-energy nuclear reactions, and then with the LEGS group in hadron physics.



Dr. Kistner leaves behind his wife of 60 years, Ann M. Kistner, their 3 married daughters and 8 grandchildren.