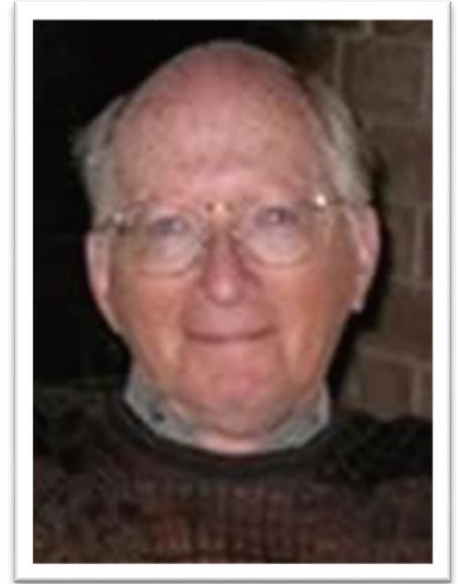


### **2015 Dickson Awardee: Jack Fisher**

Dr. Fisher is the Edward A. Dickson Emeritus Professor of Surgery and former Head, Division of Plastic Surgery at UC San Diego. Dr. Fisher has authored or co-authored more than 200 published works within the the fields of transplantation immunity, wound healing, reconstructive surgery, etc. Dr. Fisher founded INTERFACE, a volunteer team of plastic surgeons, nurses, and other specialists devoted to the care of children born with facial clefts and other deformities



Since retiring in 1994, Dr. Fisher has remained active at UCSD Medical Center, working on the attending staff, and on the clinical staff of the Veterans Administration Medical Center. He has also supervised residents and regularly attends clinical conferences of the Division of Plastic Surgery. Additionally, following retirement, Jack has taught as the International Traveling Professor of the Plastic Surgery Educational Foundation and has mentored residents in plastic surgery and medical students pursuing a career in plastic surgery. Dr Fisher also served as one of sixteen Directors of the American Board of Plastic Surgery and is a Trustee for the American Council on Science and Health. In 2006, he received the UB Distinguished Alumnus Award and delivered the Stockton Kimball Memorial Lecture from the University at Buffalo School of Medicine's Dean's Advisory Council.

In retirement, Dr. Fisher returned to school and earned an MA in United States Political and Economic History. His historical works include *Lead Pencil Miner: The Rush for Yukon Gold*; *Stolen Glory: The McKinley Assassination*; and *Stopping the Road: A Campaign Against Another Trans-Sierra Highway*. His most recent publication is *Silicone on Trial: Breast Implants and the Politics of Risk*.

In addition, following his retirement, Dr. Fisher was awarded the Chancellor's Award for Community Service, and he is an active member of the Emeriti Association. He also remains a consultant to the San Diego Zoo for wound related issues.