



2023 Woman of Distinction Human Resources



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Julie Murphy has a diverse background in manufacturing operations, business consulting, and human capital management. She's an engineer turned human resources leader. After earning her industrial and systems engineering degree, Julie worked as an engineer for Westinghouse. Julie then earned her MBA at Carnegie Mellon University and eventually moved into human resources. During her 30+ years working with companies such as Heinz, Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield, and PWC, Julie has led business improvements through large-scale culture change, organizational transformation, and business process reengineering.

Today, Julie is the vice president and chief human resources officer at Ansys

(NASDAQ: ANSS). Ansys is the global leader in engineering simulation and helps the world's most innovative companies deliver significantly better products to their customers. Ansys is a truly global company with 5,700 employees across the Americas, APAC, and EMEA regions. Ansys is an S&P 500 and a Nasdaq-100 company, headquartered near Pittsburgh.

Julie has humbly served the Girl Scouts as a troop leader and service unit leader. By far, her most rewarding experiences have been with her daughters, who were very active in Girl Scouts. Julie is married to Robert, and they have four children who are in their twenties.