

**Carl T. Hayden, Director**

Chancellor Emeritus, New York State Board of Regents; former Chair, State University of New York (SUNY); former Chair, New York State Health Foundation; former Chair, Rockefeller Institute of Government; Director, Leatherstocking Gas Company; Director, Panelogic, Inc.

Mr. Hayden is a retired attorney. Mr. Hayden served in the U.S. Navy from 1963-1967. He was a Gunnery Officer aboard USS Boston (CAG-1), a heavy cruiser, and a Legal Officer at the US Naval Station, Treasure Island in San Francisco, California.

Mr. Hayden is a past chair or president of numerous community organizations and is a former president of the Elmira City School District Board of Education. He was a founder and president of the Mark Twain Arts Council, producer of the "Mark Twain-The Musical!," a Broadway scale musical celebrating Mark Twain's life and writings in Elmira.

Mr. Hayden was elected to the Board of Regents of the University of the State of New York (USNY) in 1990. He was elected Chancellor on March 16, 1995, and re-elected to that office on March 9, 1998, and again on March 16, 2001. He stepped down on April 1, 2002, after twelve (12) years of service. He was thereupon voted Chancellor Emeritus by his colleagues.

He chaired the board of the State University of New York (SUNY) from 2007-2011.

Mr. Hayden attended Hamilton College. He majored in the History of East Asia and earned an A.B. degree in 1963.

He earned a Juris Doctor degree from the Cornell Law School in 1970. He was president of the Law Student Association.

He has received honorary degrees from Hamilton College, the City University of New York, Elmira College and Excelsior College.