NAME

Ruth A. Haas

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SCHOOL ADDRESS

Western Connecticut State College, Danbury, Connecticut.

## ACADEMIC TRAINING

Syracuse, N.Y. Elementary and Junior High Schools Amherstburg, Ontario, Canada High School

Syracuse University - History & Political Science A.B. 1924, B.S. 1925

Political Science - M.A. 1928

Yale University (Education) 1934-36 No degree program

Syracuse University - LL.D. 1947

Rhode Island College - Ed. D. 1947

Albertus Magnus -- LL.D. 1973

University of Hartford - LL.D. 1974

1975

**EXPERIENCE** 

Teacher - Watertown, N.Y. High School 1924-1927

Ass't Dean - 1928-31 & Instructor - Syracuse University Political Science 1927-31

Dean - Western Connecticut State College - 1931-47
President - Western Connecticut State College - 1947-75

HONORARY SOCIETIES

Kappa Delta Pi, Phi Delta Kappa, Alpha Kappa Delta, Delta Kappa Gamma

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

President - Eastern States Association of Professional Schools for Teachers -- 1948

President - New England Teacher Preparation Association 1950

President - Connecticut Council on Higher Education (Past

Mational Education association -

Focal - award first
Liberty
Scholar
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New England Board of Higher Education -- 1969-71

Governor's Advisory Council to Connecticut Commission on Higher Education -- 1971

President - A.A.U.W. - Housatonic Branch -- 1943

Local Boards: Hospital, Library, Museum, Cultural Center, Etc.

Profession )

## Dr. Ruth A. Haas

Place of Birth - Syracuse, New York

Education

- Elementary School in Syracuse, N.Y.
- Amherstburg High School, Amherstburg, Ontario, Canada
- Syracuse University B.S. in Education
- Syracuse University M.A. in Political Science
- Syracuse University L.L.D. Honorary Degree
- Rhode Island College of Education Ed.D.

Positions

- Teacher, History and Civics at New York High School, Watertown, N.Y.
- Instructor, Political Science at Maxwell Graduate School of Citizenship Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y.
- Personnel Department Syracuse University - Dean, Danbury State Teachers College 1931
- President, Danbury State Teachers College 1947 to present
- (Now Western Connecticut State College)
   Conducted a Seminar at Yale University

Professional Activities

- President, Amer. Assn. of University Women (Housatonic Branch) (past)
- President, Eastern States Assn. of Professional Schools for Teachers (past)
- President, New England Assn. of Teachers Colleges (past)
   President, Connecticut Council of Higher Education (past)

Local

- Award, Danbury News-Times Civic Achievement Award, August 1959
   First Recipient "Golden Deeds Book", Exchange Club, June 1966
- Liberty Bell Award, Law Day, Danbury Bar Assn., May 1, 1967
- Scholarship Committees for Barden Corporation, Republic Foil, and Electrical Workers Union, Danbury
- Board of Trustees and Board of Managers of Danbury Hospital (past)
- Board of Trustees of Danbury Library, 1947 (present)
- Board of Trustees of Scott-Fanton Museum (past)

Membership

- National Education Association
- Connecticut Education Association
- Alpha Kappa Delta 1928-50
- Delta Kappa Gamma 1948-50
- Who's Who in America
- Who's Who in Education

Recent

- On March 29, 1966 Governor Dempsey appointed Dr. Haas to the "State Commission on Cooperation with Federal Authorities in Matters Pertaining to Higher Education" (present)
- Connecticut Council on Higher Education Advisory Council (present)
- Connecticut Council on Higher Education liaison officer of
  - State Colleges and Commission on Higher Education (present)
- Accreditation Committee of Council on Higher Education (present)
- July 31, 1969 Governor Dempsey appointed Dr. Haas to New England Board of Higher Education.

Ruth A. Haas, born Syracuse, New York; high school Amherstburg, Ontario; B.S. in Education and M.A. in Political Science Syracuse University.

Position in Personnel Department and Instructor in Political Science Maxwell Graduate School, Syracuse University.

Ed.D. Rhode Island State, LL.D. Syracuse University
Dean Danbury Teachers College 1931-1947

President Danbury Teachers College, Danbury State College,

Western Connecticut State College 1947-75

President American Association University Women; President
Eastern States, New England Association of Teachers Colleges;
Connecticut Council of Higher Education; State Commission on
Cooperation with Federal Authorities; liaison officer of State
Colleges and Commission on Higher Education; Accreditation Committee
of Council on Higher Education.

Danbury News-Times Civic Achievement Award

Golden Deeds Book - Danbury Exchange Club

Scholarship Committee for Barden Corporation, Republic Foil, and

Electrical Workers Union.

Board of Trustees and Board of Managers of Danbury Hospital
Board of Trustees of Scott-Fanton Museum

Danbury Centennial Committee

Member of National Education Association, Connecticut Education Association, Alpha Kappa Delta, Delta Kappa Gamma, Who's Who in America, Who's Who in Education.