

Voie S. Chase Coy, PhD, was born in Yuma, AZ, grew up and lived in Kingman and Flagstaff. After graduating from Flagstaff High School he received a Bachelor of Science in Business, Master of Science, and Educational Specialist from Northern Arizona University and Doctor of Philosophy from Arizona State University. He retired as the Executive Director Arizona Interscholastic Association. Throughout his career he was an Assistant-Professor NAU, Principal of Washington High School, a teacher and administrator at Casa Grande Union High School, Assistant Principal at Paradise Valley High School, a consultant for Pete, Marwick, Mitchell and Associates, and was the Director of the Community Organization for Drug Abuse Control.

He has been active in the community serving as president and member of Paradise Valley Board of Education; Board of Regents of Brophy College Preparatory; Bank of Paradise Valley Board of Directors; Maricopa County School Board Association; Board of Directors of the Northern Arizona Pioneer Historical Society; President of Arizona Historical Society, Northern Chapter; Sedona Historical Society; Rotary, and is a member of Sons of the American Revolution. He has served as the national president of NFHS and has been honored as a recipient in the Hall of Fame for AIAAA, CGUHS, and is in the Circle of Excellence for North Central Association.

He is married to Marilyn Michelbach Coy, a member of a pioneer first family in northern Arizona who was honored at the Arizona Centennial in 100 Years, 100 Ranchers. After his retirement from AIA, he and his wife have been continuing the cattle ranching at the historical ranch in northern Arizona. They have three children, Melissa, Gregory, and Geoffrey and five grandchildren..