



Rosemarie Kraeger
Compact Commissioner
MIC3 Rhode Island

Rosemarie Kraeger was appointed as the Commissioner for the State of Rhode Island in 2010 after the adoption of the Interstate Compact. She is the first commissioner for Rhode Island. She has previously served the Commission as the PR and Training Committee Chair from 2012-2014. She has been influential in developing her state council. Rhode Island served as the host for the 2017 MIC3 Annual Meeting.

Ms. Kraeger served the Middletown Public Schools for more than 40 years. During her tenure, she was a Special Education Resource Teacher, a Principal, the Director of Elementary Education, the Associate Superintendent for Teaching and Learning, and retired as the Superintendent at the conclusion of the 2024 school year. She was the longest sitting Superintendent in Rhode Island.

Ms. Kraeger is a member of American Association of School Administrators; the Rhode Island Association of School Administrators (Past President); the National Association of Elementary Principals; the Rhode Island Association of School Principals (Executive Board); Aquidneck Collaborative for Education (Past President); the Rhode Island Leadership Academy; the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development; and the YMCA, Executive Board.

Ms. Kraeger has received multiple awards and recognitions over the years. These include:

- New England Association of School Superintendents President's Recognition Award, 2016



- Rhode Island Superintendent of the Year, 2006
- Advanced Leadership Development Facilitator, 2006 - Present
- Fordham University Alumni Achievement Award, 1995
- National Milken Family Educators Award, 1995
- National Distinguished Principals Award, 1994
- New England Association of School Superintendents – Lifelong Achievement Award

Ms. Kraeger was married for more than 52 years to the late Dr. James E. Kraeger, Ph.D. She has three children, Kristin, Sarah, and Martha, and is a proud grandmother to five grandchildren. She is an avid fan of the New England Patriots, Boston Red Sox, Providence Friars, and John Calipari.

