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**RECEPTION AT THE PENINSULA HOTEL**

FIFTH AVENUE AT FIFTY-FIFTH STREET

TO CELEBRATE

**THE DIAMOND JUBILEE OF HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN**

WITH HONORED GUESTS

HM DEPUTY CONSUL-GENERAL IN NEW YORK NICK ASTBURY

AND H. EDWARD MANN, CO-AUTHOR OF *THE QUEEN AND THE USA*

TUESDAY 5 JUNE 2012

5:30 PM EVENSONG – 6:30 PM RECEPTION

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**TUESDAY 5 JUNE 2012**

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**Choral Evensong at Saint Thomas Church on Fifth Avenue** at Fifty-third Street in New York (featuring the Gentlemen of the Choir) starting at 5:30. No charge for admission.

**Reception to Celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of H.M. The Queen** at The Peninsula Hotel, Fifth Avenue at Fifty-fifth Street in New York starting at 6:30 PM with premium open bar and abundant buffet. Regular tickets are \$200 per person; Patron tickets are \$300.

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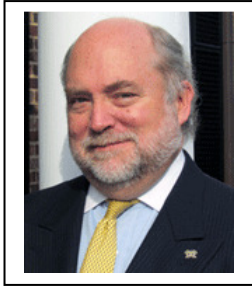
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## About Our Guest

### H. Edward Mann



During his career in public life H. Edward Mann has held a variety of governmental and political positions, starting when he served in the administration of Governor John Dalton of Virginia. His most expansive national positions involved directing and managing the activities of federal agencies and state, local and foreign groups engaged in commemorative activities while serving as Executive Director of the Jamestown 400th Commemoration Commission; and building support for education reform when he was appointed by President George H. W. Bush as Special Assistant and Director for Special Events for AMERICA 2000.

As an independent public affairs consultant, his clients have included the Virginia Department of Historic Resources, the National Coalition on Health Care and the Coalition Against Bigger Trucks, as well as several other Washington-based nonprofit national grassroots advocacy organizations.

Mann has negotiated across the globe with citizens and political and governmental leaders from dozens of countries. He has been quoted in several major daily newspapers, and has appeared on the BBC, on CNN, and been a guest on numerous talk-radio shows.

He is a graduate of the College of William and Mary, where he double-majored in Philosophy and Government. Eight months after graduating, Mann was appointed to the William and Mary Board of Visitors as the youngest member on that body in the 317 years since the College's founding.

He and his wife live in Richmond, Virginia and his son Will is currently a student at William and Mary.

## The Queen and the U.S.A.



In celebration of HM The Queen's Diamond Jubilee, Wayne Dementi Publishers is pleased to announce the publication of **The Queen and the U.S.A.** by Lord Watson of Richmond, CBE and H. Edward Mann.

The book contains a series of essays on the shared values that underlie the political institutions of Great Britain and the United States. These writings are designed as stand-alone commentaries to briefly review common connections, and motivate the reader to review individual topics. Also, when taken as a whole, they provide a glimpse into the unique reliance owed by American political institutions to English frameworks.

In addition to these essays, there are reflections on visits to Virginia by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II to celebrate those shared democratic values, as well as photos of two groups of Virginians going to England to commemorate these ties. They show in a graphic and colorful manner that, with more than 50 years of visits and events, the Queen has enhanced and reconfirmed these underlying democratic values.

There are beautiful photographs- pictorial essays- that capture images of the Queen with 12 U.S. Presidents and images of her visits to different cities in America from the east coast to the west coast.