

## **Wheelock received David W. Taylor Medal of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers.**

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Former La Jolla Charles D. Wheelock has received one of the outstanding honors in the field of naval architecture, it was announced this week.

He was awarded the David W. Taylor Medal of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers at its recent meeting in New York.

A Rear Admiral, retired, in the Navy, Wheelock came to La Jolla in 1953 to join the staff of the University of California's Scripps Institution of Oceanography. He was named a Professor of Marine Resources and Director of the University's statewide Institute of Marine Resources in 1956. He held the position until his retirement in 1961.

Admiral and Mrs. Wheelock now make their home in Carmel.

The citation accompanying the award says that Wheelock "participated in some of the most significant warship design developments of our age."