

## **REPORT OF THE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

### **I. Role**

In the second year of the biennium the Leadership Development Committee was charged with continued support to chapter presidents and other chapter leaders.

### **II. Biennial Goals**

- A.** Train the incoming 2016-2018 Chapter Presidents to be better able to understand the Society and to discharge their duties as President.
- B.** Plan and execute the Professional Development Seminar.
- C.** Provide a workshop session for Leadership Development as requested by the State President.

### **III. Accomplishments Related To Goals**

Incoming Presidents training was held in the first year of the biennium. The Leadership Development Workshop for incoming chapter presidents was held at the June 2016 State Convention. Contact was made to chapter presidents via email, and several questions were answered for individuals.

### **IV. Actions Related to the PSO Strategic Action Plan**

Activity 2.1.8: Challenge all chapters to compose an elevator speech to model at a future Alpha Alpha State event.

Incoming presidents received training on key messages and marketing the Society. This included elevator speeches. Completed in the first year of the biennium

Activities 3.1.1: Encourage awareness and promote use of the "Successful Chapter Model" posted on the Alpha Alpha State Website.

This was done at the incoming presidents' training.

Activity 3.1.2: Continue to provide intensive training for incoming chapter presidents in even numbered years.

This was done April 22-23, 2016, in Altoona, PA.

Activity 3.1.3: Continue to support incoming chapter leadership with training opportunities.

This was done April 23, 2016, in Altoona, PA. Society Business workshops are planned at the 2016 State Convention.

Activity 3.1.4: Provide training resources for leaders unable to attend aforementioned training opportunities.

Training materials have been made available to incoming chapter presidents unable to attend. A Leadership Development Workshop was presented at the 2016 convention.

Activity 3.1.5: Explore using technology (e.g. pdf files on usb drive) to replace hard copy resources.

Incoming presidents attending the training received a variety of resources via a usb drive. They were given in-depth training on use of the state and international websites. This was done at the incoming presidents' training. Email communication has been ongoing.

### **Other Actions of The Committee**

None

**V. Recommendations For Action**

Completed evaluations for the Professional Development Seminar should act as a guide for future development of seminars.

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