

DISTRICT LEADER (DIV-K) BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION



Candidate's Name:

Candidate's Office: District Number:

Toastmasters member since:

Education:

B.S. in Civil Engineering Technology; MBA in International Business, 2 years of PhD program in Leadership.

Toastmasters offices held and terms of service:

VP PR - 2014-15; President - 2015-2016; VPE - 2016-2017 and 2017-2018

Target speaker for Evaluation Contest at Club and Division level contests.

Toastmasters honors and recognition:

Officer training segment facilitator - President, VP PR and VPE.

Relevant work experience and how it relates to Toastmasters and your role as a District officer:

Have owned and run my own international risk analysis firm since 2000, leading 20 engineers nationwide to accomplish corporate goals and image.

What experience do you have in strategic planning?

Ownership in my own company has required strategic planning (1 year, 3 year and 5 year plans) in order to position the company for long term success.

What experience do you have in the area of finance?

We perform quarterly budgeting analysis for my company evaluation Income, Financial, and P&E statements, taking corrective measures where warranted.

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What experience do you have in developing procedures?

I have written report formats and their concomitant procedures for the satisfactory completion of said reports for multiple clients. Additionally I have written and conducted training seminars for risk managers, plant operations personnel, insurance company loss control personnel and underwriters.

What lessons did you learn from previous leadership positions?

Leadership by influence is enduring and enhances multi-level communication within an organizations ranks. No one person has all the good ideas, and through cross-pollination creativity springs naturally.

Why do you want to serve as a district officer?

I want to encourage others to experience the glorious metanoia that occurs as part of everyone's Toastmaster evolution.

In your opinion, what are the district mission's major objectives and how would you work to achieve them?

Club growth through enthusiasm. That comes back to individual's original motivation to alter and improve something in their personal or business life trajectory. Forgetting that original motivation results in unnecessary attrition.

Additional information about yourself:

I also have the professional designations of Associate in Risk Management (ARM), Accredited Advisor in Insurance (AAI), and Associate in Underwriting (AU), making knowledge a base for my lifetime trajectory of success.