

SCRID Board of Directors Meeting April, 2007

Reports:

Membership Committee Report – Lisa Balbirnie

Membership Committee development

Discount for multiple year memberships:

Two year: \$3.00 off

Three years: \$5.00 off

Category	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years
Certified	\$27	\$51	\$76
Associate	\$25	\$47	\$70
Student	\$15	None	None
Supporting	\$20	\$37	\$55
Organizational	\$35	\$67	\$100

Notes:

Student members must verify eligibility each year; it is not feasible to offer a multiple year discount. *Associate members* who gain certification before membership expires may pay the difference (at the discount rate) to upgrade membership to certified.

Fiscal Impact:

Current membership: potential loss of \$5 at 3 year membership

Certified: 120

Associate: 69

Supporting: 0

Organizational: 3

192

Total loss over 3 years: \$960

Benefits:

- SCRID would have the benefit of putting funds to work up front, rather than waiting for the funds to come in each year.
- Avoid loss of memberships due to having to remember to pay each year
- Cost saving in cutting down number of renewals (reminders mailed on an as needed basis)
- Convenience to members

Potential drawbacks:

- Keeping in mind each year for budgeting, as money has been already been accounted for.
- Keeping membership records current, as a 3 year span could have passed between renewals (Members will have to take responsibility to send change of contact info to SCRID between renewals)

Implementation:

Change application to include multiple year fee sched

Change Acteva forms to include multiple year fee sched

Raffle for free workshop:

Current applications have a space for referring NEW members (Peggy to check Acteva)
(not renewals!)

Members who recruit 3 members will be eligible for a drawing for a free workshop.

Members who recruit 6 members will receive a free workshop.

Recruitment is expected to be done on an individual, personal basis; therefore:

- Recruitment cannot be the result of a SCRID workshop or other SCRID event in which referrals are pre-printed on SCRID applications and left for participants to complete
- Sign language and ITP instructors are not eligible to recruit their students

Certificates will be awarded at the annual general membership meeting.

Membership committee will alert the PDC of winning members.

Restrictions on workshops:

- Must be eligible to participate in workshop (certification, experience, etc. based on workshop criteria)
- Does not apply to workshops of \$75 or more
- Must be a SCRID member in good standing
- Eligibility expires one year after date of issue
- Certificate must accompany workshop registration
- Certificate must be redeemed by the early bird registration date
- Certificate is not transferable to other workshops once redeemed
- Eligible for workshops organized by SCRID PDC
- Cannot be used for online workshop registration

Fiscal impact:

Average workshop is about \$30.

SCRID is likely to give 10 free workshop certificates per year.

Fiscal impact will be a \$300 loss per year.

Benefits:

- Ten free workshops would represent 60 new memberships (if each person recruited 6 people each). This would mean a profit in membership fees ranging from \$900 - \$1,620.
- Higher participation in workshops.

Drawbacks:

No drawbacks other than the loss of funds for the free workshops.

First year free for cert'd terps

One free year for newly RID certified interpreters, both members and non-members.

SCRID sends notices of congratulations to newly RID certified people. In many cases, these people are not current members of SCRID. A free year of membership will encourage new memberships to those unfamiliar with SCRID and how to join. It will also provide incentives for current members of SCRID to become certified.

- Members are allowed only one free year membership for certification per life time.
- Eligible for members' first certification only.
- RID certifications only:
 - CI
 - CT
 - NIC (any level)
 - CDI
 - OTC

Fiscal Impact:

We estimate 15 newly RID certified interpreters in SCRID's territory in 2006.

$\$27 \times 15 = \405

Potential loss of \$405 annually.

Benefits:

Higher membership in the certified category.

Supports SCRID's mission statement by promoting certification.

Drawbacks:

None

Free membership for Officers:

Taking on volunteer officer positions requires much time and effort. Volunteer positions proved little personal benefit. Free membership for two-year terms will be a token of membership appreciation.

Fiscal impact:

Six officers:

Potential loss of \$90 - \$162 annually.

Benefit: Encourages participation in leadership roles as officers on the board of directors.

Drawbacks:

None

Professional Development Committee – Kathleen Lanker

March 19, 2007

Paul Bunnell and Christopher Williams – Financial information for the Basic Narcotics Training and Weapons Identification workshop.

Item	Dollars \$
Presenter's Fee	2,200.00
Certificates	1.35
CEU processing (faxing, mailing, etc)	0.05
Supplies, Copying, Postage, etc	3.37
CCard Processing Fee	26.07
Transportation	38.64
Sign Language Interpreters	342.63
Total Expenses	2,612.11
Funding - GURC	300.00
Anonymous Sponsor	25.00
Participants' Payment	2,335.00
Total Gain /Loss	47.89

Bonnie-Lyn Barker – Feedback: More Heads Are Better Than One. This is a feedback workshop. We are advertising for June 2, 2007 at CSUSB and June 3, 2007 at CSULB. I have budgeted this workshop. Flyers are now being distributed. I will work on the Acteva later.

Shawn Clark, Belinda McCleese and Lon Ramsel – A Boundaries workshop. The presenters can only do July 14th. This workshop will be held at Pierce College. Diana Holmes will not be present for the July 14th date and wants to be there, since she is our hostess. I have completed the budgeting on this workshop and we will need funding to offset the expense or we will not get folks to register. I have sent in a request for funding from GURC. I also asked Sorenson for \$300 for funding. I asked Michael to check around and see if he knows of another institute to request from.

SWAP workshop – This is scheduled for April 14th. See Michael's report for more information.

SCRID: Rap Session on Ethics – April 28 at RCC (7 registered) and April 29 at Pierce College (2 registered). We will be presenting at both locations.

Please tell people that you meet about our Green Series, or have them contact the PDC for more information.

The Green Series is for someone who have not even presented before and wants the experience or a presenter who wants to try a new topic. I do have some areas that would like to have some presenters under the Green Series to come out, but I do not have any one wanting this. If you guys can help spread the word that would be great.

PDC Report

Michael Morefield

16 April 2004

Kathleen and I have our first Swap workshop coming up on Saturday. This is an experimental format for us. We are using a DVD that was put out by Signs of Development for the purpose of earning CEUs. Since Kathleen already owns a couple of their DVDs there is almost no overhead for this workshop. We just have to charge people enough money to pay for the photocopied handouts they will need during the workshop. Because this is an experiment for us, we kept the workshop limited to 15 people. We're pretty much expecting a full house on Saturday. If this workshop turns out to be successful, we can set up more like it. Also, we purposely set this workshop up in Orange County, which has been a pretty dead area for quite some time. We were hoping a low cost workshop like this would start a buzz and create some interest for future events. Many thanks to Lisa who has been our contact person at OC DEAF and helped us set this up. Thanks to OC DEAF for hosting this event for us.

We've also got our SCRID Rap sessions coming up in a couple of weeks. This was an idea Kathleen brought with her from Texas. We will be visiting various ITPs and talking with their students. If this works out, this will be something we do on a regular basis. We will ask the ITPs what topic they would like us to cover for the year, then present the same topic to whichever schools want to host us. This year's chosen topic was ethics. Kathleen has done a tremendous job in pulling this together. I'm constantly amazed each time I talk to her to hear what new ideas she has come up with for the Rap sessions. So far, we don't have very many people registered, but again we are hoping to create a buzz for next year.

We've got a pretty expensive workshop on Boundaries coming up in July. Kathleen and I are looking into getting funding for that workshop so that price will be more manageable for participants.

I've started doing some of the basic background work on a workshop that will most likely be held in October at Oxnard College. Right now I'm waiting to hear back from the presenter for a definite date, a more detailed description of her workshop, and a list of materials she will need. Once I get that, I can put together the budget and move a little farther along in the planning process.

Certification Maintenance Committee Report – Kathleen Lanker

We have processed the following activities for CEUs (does not include SCRID workshops):

- Allan Hancock College (0)
- AzRID (0)
- Bakersfield College (1)
- CCSD (Clarke County School District – Nevada) (0)
- City of LA (0)
- D Rumsey (0)
- NVRID (1)
- PINRA (0)

A zero (0) value only means that the person/group/organization has not requested CMP services for that time.