

SCRID Membership Committee Report

May 2018

The Membership Committee reports:

- We have mailed out four (4) new member cards in April-May. All mailed cards/Members have been verified as “Active” and “Paid” in Wild Apricot. We are gearing up for the Renewal Season (May-July). Renew early and soon – don’t wait until 07/01!
- We have assisted two (2) members with Membership issues in April-May.
- Starting April 1, 2018, all of our membership renewals and business have been moved to Wild Apricot/SCRID.org—online/electronic new & renewal membership applications are easily accepted. Paper forms will no longer be provided to members to create, renew, or change membership accounts as of April 1, 2018. All SCRID Membership-related processes have transitioned to full digital/online processes. Please contact the Membership Committee and the President in order to discuss any alternative needs or accommodations.
- We regularly audit the Wild Apricot Database in order to ensure that all Members’ Profile Information has been input correctly and completely. There are still multiple profiles missing “Proof of Certification”, RID Member #s, current/updated Student Transcripts/Enrollment Schedules, etc. This is a reminder that a complete Member Profile allows you to be informed of essential SCRID communications and updates in a timely manner, but also allows you to easily search and be found as you expand your professional and personal networks with like-minded individuals. Correct and Valid RID Member #s allow your vote to be counted!
- **Renewal Season is underway! You will begin to see automated renewal reminders arriving in your email inboxes! Renew early and easily via: <http://www.scrid.org> !!**
- **The position of Membership Committee Co-Chair is looking for an interested volunteer to begin training as “Membership Committee Co-Chair” alongside Bob LoParo.** Any current SCRID members in good-standing who are willing to assist with Membership-related activities – new account registration, maintaining/editing the Membership Database, responding in a timely manner to member needs, and ensuring the Membership Directory is sent to RID Headquarters biannually. Other interested volunteers who want to provide minor aid and support should also contact us with your email of interest: MembershipChair@SCRID.org
- The Membership Committee and RID’s Membership Services continue to work closely to audit our current membership, reconciling appropriately matching Membership Categories, Contact Information, and correctly identified Certification titles. Keep your information up to date with SCRID as well as with RID. Members@RID.org can help out most general questions and needs. (703) 838-0030, option # (press # key) (voice), or (571) 384-5163 (VP).

The chart below reflects all active members, May 2017 – May 2018

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Wild Apricot Database	May '17	Jun/ Jul '17	Aug '17	Sep '17	Oct '17	Nov '17	Feb '18	Mar '18	Apr '18	May '18
Associate – 1 Year	46	22	52	49	51	51	53	53	54	57
Associate – 2 Year	11	9	12	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
Associate – 3 Year	-	-	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	2
Certified – 1 Year	83	53	92	76	77	79	82	83	86	86
Certified – 2 Year	14	15	8	8	9	9	11	11	11	12
Certified – 3 Year	22	18	20	19	19	19	19	19	19	20
Certified - Senior	4	-	8	9	9	9	10	10	11	11
Organizational–1 Year	5	1	5	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
Organizational–2 Year	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Organizational–3 Year	3	2	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4
Student – 1 Year	39	16	41	13	14	17	20	20	27	26
Student – 2 Year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Student – 3 Year	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Supporting – 1 Year	7	3	8	6	6	7	8	8	8	8
Supporting – 2 Year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Supporting – 3 Year	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTALS	239	142	257	203	209	216	229	230	242	246

* We have included the far right retrospective column (in blue) “May 2017” (1 year ago) so that we can compare what last year looked like, from an Active Membership (Renewed) Total perspective. We are up 7 new & renewed members than this same time in 2017. Several Memberships are unprocessed/incomplete/“Pending” and are being contacted or removed/archived.

Respectfully submitted,

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SCRID Membership Committee Chair