## Alpha Iota Delta 2017 - 2018 Goals and Accomplishments

## **Membership**

- Member Chapters
  - Maintain communication with Faculty Sponsors, Deans and Chapter Members
    ACTION: Letters and follow-up telephone calls continue to be made to Chapters,
    Deans and/or Department Chairs.
  - Reactivate at least one (1) Chapter and follow-up on restarts
    ACTION: No Chapters re-started. We inducted members from in-active chapters
  - Assist Chapters in Induction Ceremonies and other activities
    ACTION: All Chapters received emails regarding support from the National Office.
    New brochures were sent to all active chapters. The Alpha Iota Delta Store continues to serve the supply needs of the Chapters. Inventory items not being used were discontinued.
- Continue to redesign the national and international Chapters to increase membership and association sustainability

**ACTION:** All active participants in the Doctoral Consortium and New Faculty Consortium are being inducted into Alpha Iota Delta at no cost. Emails were sent to inductees not in attendance at the luncheon.

Maintain/Expand Best Paper Awards in the Regions

**ACTION:** Letters have been sent to regions regarding support for Best Paper Awards: \$200 prize and Certificates. Two (2) regions participated.

- Continue visibility within the Decision Sciences Institute membership
  - Present to New Faculty Development Consortium, Doctoral Student Consortium,
    ACTION: Presentations to all groups occurred. Also, a proposal and discussions with DSI officers occurred.
    - Maintain Reception Table at Annual Meeting
      ACTION: There was a table at the 2017 Annual Meeting and one at the 2018
      Annual Meeting. Follow-up letters were sent to Table visitors after the 2017 meeting.
    - Maintain active membership on the Innovative Education Committee
      ACTION: Alpha Iota Delta participated in the 2017 Award ceremony.
    - Maintain Alpha Iota Delta column in *Decision Line* ACTION: Alpha Iota Delta had no article in the quarterly issue of *Decision Line*.

• Develop partnership with other Organizations

**ACTION:** Membership in the Association of Collegiate Honor Societies (ACHS) is current.

## Administration

- Strengthen the administrative operations of Alpha Iota Delta
  - Executive Director and Home Office

**ACTION:** Alpha Iota Delta and DSI continue to strengthen the working relationship. Treasurer filed the necessary IRS documents and State of George legal representation continues.

Plan for future changes

**ACTION:** Officer meetings held to discuss future directions. No formal relationship established with DSI.

o Align with changing DSI structure

**ACTION:** Proposal submitted to the DSI Board. Adjustments continue to evolve.

- Continue implementation and development of the Web Site
  - o Enhance functionality

**ACTION:** The web site proposal to DSI was not accepted.

o Implement a membership management strategy

**ACTION:** The on-line enrollment of new members by Chapters is pending because of costs. The inventory management system and mailing system were used for all chapters.

o Explore opportunities for a new web site

**ACTION:** A new web site was reviewed by officers and is ready to operate. The new web site provides enhanced security.

- Develop value for the members
  - o Promote the **International Journal of Applied Decision Sciences (IJADS) ACTION:** The electronic journal is being advertised and published. **International Journal of Applied Decision Sciences (IJADS):** ISSN (Online): 1755-8085; ISSN (Print): 1755-8077; <a href="http://www.inderscience.com/ijads">http://www.inderscience.com/ijads</a>
  - Encourage increased Chapter activities

**ACTION:** Sharing of best practices continues.

Continue the Chapter and Faculty Sponsor recognition program
 ACTION: The Chapter of the Year and the Faculty Sponsor awards are available for outstanding nominees. Awards presented in 2017.

Continue to explore the implementation of the Student Case Competition
 ACTION: There has been no activity.

## Sustainability

• Increase endowment fund by \$10,000

**ACTION:** A donation of the domain registration (\$200/through 2018).