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Overview:

This report will contain the activities from mid-September to mid-October.

Latest workings:

Working with an interpreter to compose his IS CEUs while in the Philippines. He requested this with less than a week before his departure.

Received a request from South Carolina to sponsor a workshop. They will not be using us, since I explained that we were not in SC but in CA.

On the research of a benefit for membership for attract and retain members, I sent some information to Peggy H on how it might look from the CMP perspective. This benefit is one free event provided as part of the individual's membership. The benefit has been identified also in this as a "usable benefit."

I looked at this benefit being applied only to two of the membership categories: certified and associate, where these individuals are members of SCRID and RID. The other SCRID membership categories – organizational, student, certified first year discount, and support – were not considered in this research.

An event can consist of one of the following: one SCRID hosted workshop, one PINRA, one academic course (AC), or one Independent Study (IS) being applied during the SCRID fiscal year. A SCRID fiscal year is July 1st of the current year to June 30th of the following year, i.e., July 1st, 2016 to June 30th, 2017. A SCRID hosted workshop is one in which the PDC is coordinating. This is not a workshop that has been approved for CEUs by the CMP Sponsor. Another entity is hosting that workshop.

Any event that does not fit this benefit will be handled on a case-by-case basis.

On the SCRID website for each of the above listed events, there are timelines and procedures in which the member must follow for processing the event. For this benefit, there will be noticeable changes.

Some changes are, but not limited to:

- When a member is ready to use this benefit, the member must provide at least 2-weeks advanced notice. This allows time for CMP to get verification the member has this usable benefit.
- SCRID hosted workshops and PINRAs must be completed before June 30th, the last day of the SCRID fiscal year.
- Only IS and AC can span into the next SCRID fiscal year, but must have commenced within the fiscal year of the usable benefit. For IS only, the commencing of the work can only be when the CMP Sponsor has given approval, again and only if there is a usable benefit. If the IS evolves into a second IS, the usable benefit will only apply to the first IS generate.

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• For a PINRA, if the event, e.g., a conference, that has content areas of both PS and GS, the usable benefit can only be applied to one and not both since this will generate another PINRA to process the other content area.

Questions I have to this benefit.

- Who will be keeping track of this benefit? I believe my role is to coordinate with Membership to first verify if there is a usable benefit available for that member.
- Who will verify the member's membership with RID? A member might not display his/her information on the website. How often is this "Find a Member" information updated? Does Membership require a copy of the member's RID card or would we need to start doing that?

I can see the bulk of coordinating taking place between Membership and CMP for PINRA, AC and IS. As for SCRID hosted workshops that is more between PDC and Membership.

At first, I feel the number would be low when we start to implement this benefit. But as soon as the membership catches on, then our revenue from events will start to decline.

For each \$35.00 of certified membership, and if the member takes the usable benefit, the revenue to SCRID will be \$10.00.

For each \$30.00 of certified membership, and if the member takes the usable benefit, the revenue to SCRID will be \$5.00.

Members are charged \$25.00 for the processing. I did not take into account a SCRID hosted workshop costing more than \$25.00.

Closed the following activities:

7/18 to 9/5/2016 Whitman's Civil War: Writing and Imaging Loss, Death, and Disaster, presented by Ed Folsom at the University of Iowa (MOOC), online (PINRA).

8/12 to 8/13/2016 *Stepping into Criminal Courts: The Path to Clarity*, presented by Tracy Clark at CSUN.

9/23/2016 *Intercultural Communication*, presented by R. Mark Miles at Lone Star College (PINRA).

9/12/2016 Cybersecurity and Its Ten Domains, presented by Dr. Humayun Zafar at The University System of Georgia, online (PINRA).

Reasons for not closing activities:

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9/10/2016 Falling into the DeafBlind World, presented by Bryen M Yunashko at GLAD. Entered into RID DB with error on two members. Error message stated: their RID member ID could not be found or their last names did not match with member ID. Sent an email to a third participant who didn't sign in requesting a copy of the Certificate as proof of attendance.

9/10 to 9/11/2016 *HOT Seat Mentorshop* ©, presented by Bonnie Gibson-Brydon at Homeboy Industries and Liliana's Tamales in Los Angeles. Have not received evaluation summarization and Sign-In sheet.

9/17 to 9/18/2016 *HOT Seat Mentorshop* ©, presented by Bonnie Gibson-Brydon at Homeboy Industries and Liliana's Tamales in Los Angeles. Have not received evaluation summarization and Sign-In sheet.

9/17/2016 *I Don't Do Drama*, presented by Linda Bove at College of Southern Nevada, Las Vegas, NV. Two participants could not be entered due to an error where the last name did not match the member id.

10/1 to 10/02/2016 *HOT Seat Mentorshop* ©, presented by Bonnie Gibson-Brydon at Homeboy Industries and Liliana's Tamales in Los Angeles. Have not received evaluation summarization and Sign-In sheet.

SCRID sponsoring workshops:

9/24 to 9/25/2016 *HOT Seat Mentorshop* ©, presented by Bonnie Gibson-Brydon at Homeboy Industries and Liliana's Tamales in Los Angeles.

10/8 to 10/09/2016 *HOT Seat Mentorshop* ©, presented by Bonnie Gibson-Brydon at Homeboy Industries and Liliana's Tamales in Los Angeles.

10/20/2016 *Performance Interpreting: A Foot in Both Worlds*, presented by Sarah Gatford. Webinar.

10/29/2016 English: That Other Language, presented by Alek Lev, at GLAD. Date was changed from 10/01 to 10/29.

11/10/2016 *Interpreting in Police Setting: The Police Perspective*, presented by Detective Sergeant Emma Gilbert. Webinar.

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