

Chris Grass, Grand President
Summer, 2022

Section 1: Job Description

The Grand President shall represent the Fraternity, preside at all meetings of the Grand Council, at the Annual Convention, be an ex-officio member of all committees except the Nominating Committee, and appoint all standing and special committees.

Section 2: Progress/Activities specific to Job Description and Other activities completed during the Biennium to date

Preside over the general activities and operation of the fraternity.

Due to the global pandemic, opportunities for travel and LKS representation have been limited. Whenever possible, I have represented LKS by virtual means.

Continued to work with committees and HQ to coordinate their efforts. Discussed alternate methods of carrying out committee work. It has been discovered that the two year commitment to committee work can be challenging and results in inefficient work.

Communicate with membership on a regular basis. I have continued my monthly Grand President to the membership.

Bi-weekly conference calls with Erin Rogala at HQ. Planning, follow up and updates are discussed on these calls.

Coordinated conference calls with Grand Council. These occur approximately once a month.

Planning of Grand Council Interim Meeting, which was held virtually this year.

Assist with convention planning for 2022.

I have made two trips to HQ in Milwaukee, WI (at my own expense) to work directly with HQ staff on Fraternity issues. I have also traveled to HQ in 2020 and 2021 for convention, to give a centralized, HQ feel to the virtual convention.

Worked with Joan Rogala, Principle of Alpha Resources. Her expertise and guidance on leadership, planning and inter-organization cooperation are invaluable.

Section 3: Plan and timeline for specific activities to take place by the end of the Biennium

Assist the incoming Grand President whenever possible, to aid in officer transition.

Coordinate continued leadership summit meetings with other pharmacy Greeks and moderate our Pharmacy Greek Leaders Facebook group.

Attend LKS functions as budget and schedule will support

Begin long term planning schedule for LKS convention locations and programming. My goal had been to plan and schedule conventions 3 to 5 years in the future. The evolving pandemic has made this difficult. As the pandemic moves towards endemic status, future planning will resume.

Section 4 (MOST IMPORTANT): Action items for Grand Council deliberation and potential vote

No specific items need action at this time