

## **District Leader**

## **Biographical Information**

| Candidate's Name:                               | Brian Master        |  |                  |    |  |
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| Candidate's Office:                             | Division B Director |  | District Number: | 60 |  |
| Toastmasters member since: April2016            |                     |  |                  |    |  |
| Education:                                      |                     |  |                  |    |  |
| High School D                                   | iploma              |  |                  |    |  |
| Radio Broadcasting Academy -virtual course grad |                     |  |                  |    |  |

Toastmasters offices held and terms of service:

VP Education- Humber Shores Tpastmasters - 2016-2018

OREA College- Real Estate Licence Education -2005

Club Coach(Phoenix Toronto) - 2020-2022

Are B 21 Director - 2021-2022

Divsion B Director -2022-2023

Toastmasters honors and recognition:

Various Club & Area Speech and Evaluation Contest Awards
Co-Educator of The Year Award - Humber Shores Toastmasters -2018

Relevant work experience and how it relates to Toastmasters and your role as a District leader:

- -0Highly rated radio brodcaster for well over 40 years- communicating with listeners both on-air and in person.
- -Own company providing host/emcee and dj services, promarily on corporate level.
- -Realtor since 2005

What experience do you have in strategic planning?

Planning a purchase, lease or sale wirth real estate clients. Developing timelines; managing expectations throught out the transaction process with some decisions well thought out, others, spur of the moment and time sensitive.

What experience do you have in the area of finance?

Budgeting for my own company when it was active.

Offering suggestions to real estate clients with deposts; down payment; closing fees etc.during transactions, always referring them to porfessionals for advice

As part of the club executive at Humber Shores, I partook and advised during budget meetings.

What experience do you have in developing procedures?

In a real estate here are usually conditions to be met within certain time periods to be strictly adhered to. It takes good planning and organizing to accomplish that.

As an Area Director and last year as a Division Director, my procedural skills grew when it came to organizing and delegating for certain events including club visits, contests, COT, etc.

What lessons did you learn from previous leadership positions?

In any executive capacity within Toastmasters, its' very fulfilling to see members take on a speaking role; Club Officer or Ad role, then flourish. The executive positions, while being important also act as mentors, influencing those coming up.. The leadership qualities that emerge are heartening and encouraging. Pleasant surprises from those who had 'Never done this before."

Why do you want to serve as a District leader?

It gives me great satisfaction to serve my fellow members and help them in any way I possibly can. When one of us succeeds in given tasks or offices, the entire District succeeds in fullfilliing the time honored Toastmasters intentions of communication and leadership. As Division Director its been a privelege to serve a great team of Area Directors that have served their respective clubs well. and along the way they have taught me.

In your opinion, what are the District mission's major objectives and how would you work to achieve them?

To see our members...at any level..fulfil their Pathways ambitions and head toward a DTM. Set the tone for succes by encouraging progresss, not perfection. When each members rises to the challeneges, the entire District rises.

Additional information about yourself:

I'm the eternal optimist! Theres are many sides to each individual, no matter their culture. In truly understanding the rich diversity in Toastmasters I like helping people take delight in satisfying their inquistiveness, embrace the challenges and grow. Then mentor to pass their experience along. A win at any level of Toastrmasters!