

## Professional Development Seminar October 8, 2009 @ UC Center "TRiO: The Evolution of Leadership"

<u>Chair:</u> Gillermina Martinez

Committee Members:

Registration - Norma Cuevas Workshops - Gillermina Martinez

Facilities - Jenny Robeldo, Martina Granados, Sandra Fuentes

Speakers - Jenny Amaro

Moderators/Evaluations – Susana Cruz-Lucero Program – Matina G. & Norma C. (Arnold Melgar)

Awards – Omar Correa

Silent Auction - Santiago Uvina

Communication/Hotel - Ben Reynoso

**Overview:** Received great feedback from membership. Everything went as planned; there were no complications or problems that arose. Participation throughout the day was great.

**Registration:** We had a total of 65 registered members, and there were 2 no shows. We had 3 guests, Tomasa Mauricio-Past President for WESTOP, Stephen Domingues-Legislative Chair WESTOP and Jose Martinez Saldana-Fairshare Share. There were 3 on site registrants.

As of 11-30-09 we have 6 registration payments pending from UC Merced.

**Facilities:** We thank the Upward Bound Program from UC Merced for allowing us to come into their area and host our Chapter PDS. One behalf of the Chapter, I extend a "Thank You".

**Workshops:** Received a lot of positive feedback from membership on the workshops. Great workshop topics, very helpful and informative information to take back to the programs. Negative: the amount of time for the workshops-too short. Evaluations have been comprised and will be forward to Ricardo.

**Speakers:** Thank you to Dr. Kenneth R. Magdaleno and to Kevin Vu for coming to our seminar and sharing their successful stories that demonstrates to us, how we are helping to mold the future leaders in our communities.

**Program:** We had a total of 5 Ads purchased. Previously mentioned that it would be a possibility to get the cost donated from CSU Fresno's Grant and Research Office, the response was a No. We thank you for your support.

**Silent Auction:** Silent Auction went well. Participation from members was good and the display of all programs was an outstanding idea. The funds raised from silent auction will go to our Chapter Scholarship Fund.

**Awards/Gifts:** There is currently one plaque that is being remade-due to a spelling error.

## **Action Items:**

- 1) Outstanding registration fees.
- 2) Treasurer to send out payment for check request, seminar expenditures.

Respectfully Submitted by

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