# NORTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLEGE OF COMMISSIONER SCIENCE COLLEGE PLANNING TIME LINE

[DATE for College is the LAST SATURDAY in FEBRUARY]

#### Mar Post Event Evaluation Meeting and Kick-off for next year

Review the past course, what worked, what didn't work

Develop & memorialize changes for next year

Formally transfer responsibility to "new" hosting council

Pass on information from last college to new host council

Confirm College deans

Announce date & location for next planning meeting [Last Monday in September]

List of tasks to be accomplished by September planning meeting:

- -Secure College Site & determine cost
- -Get college WEB Page operational
- -Design & prepare order for 2008 commemorative pins
- -Prepare on-line registration to be ready by Nov 1.
- -Obtain keynote & motivational speakers
- -Create flyers and other promotional material
- -Identify a food prep crew or caterer and estimated food costs
- -Identify a gift for conference speakers
- -Update planning committee e-mail list (do for each planning meeting)

### Apr Site should be secured by EOM

Begin drafting preliminary budget

#### May Speakers should be identified and (possibly) secured by EOM

**Sep** First Planning Meeting - Last Monday in September, 7:30 PM Location (College site should be one of the Fall meeting locations)

(Tour college site?)

Confirm dates and sites for upcoming planning meetings

Update planning committee e-mail list

Discuss Save-the-date Fliers

Discuss status of registering and paying on line (should be active by Nov 1)

Discuss "registration" packet; given to participants as they arrive

Discuss food and catering

Establish fees for upcoming course

Discuss preliminary budget

Proposed future planning meeting dates:

Monday, October XX, 7:30 PM - last Monday (location?)

Monday, November XX 7:30 PM - last Monday (location?)

Monday, January XX, 7:30 PM - last Monday (location?)

Monday, February XX, 7:30 PM - two weeks before college, if necessary (location?)

Tuition fees (originally established '06 – modify if location/food costs change?)

Early (to Feb?, 2008) \$30 (Tech Dean to set dates)

Regular (Feb?, to Feb?) \$35 (Tech Dean to set dates)

At the door \$40

## Oct Revise budget

Complete and distribute Become a Better Commissioner Flier

- 1) Date, location, who should attend
- 2) Full flier with URL (obtain last year's as sample)

Confirm Assistant Deans - (Academic Dean)

Identify gifts for conference speakers

#### **Second Planning Meeting -**

Monday, October XX, 7:30 PM, Location?

Update e-mail list for course planning committee as necessary

Review/discuss Register Now! Flier

Review/discuss status of on-line registration & tuition payment - confirm "live" date

Review/discuss food and catering

Review/discuss budget with food estimates

[Review/discuss increase in fees for upcoming college if necessary]

Discuss "registration" packet contents

Review/discuss potential new classes

Review/discuss council assistant dean status

Review/discuss potential instructors

Begin roster of instructors including phone numbers & e-mail addresses

Determine classes (continues Oct - Jan) - Academic Dean with assistant deans

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Obtain banner from past hosting council (if necessary)

Discuss hotel availability if needed

#### **Nov** Third Planning Meeting -

Monday, October XX, 7:30 PM, Location?

Review food catering situation (if needed)

Update e-mail list for course planning committee as necessary

Develop registration packet

Welcome letter

List of classes with instructors and brief descriptions

Matrix of classes with times and locations

Site map

Updated roster of instructors with e-mail list - Academic Dean

Identify & purchase speaker gifts by EOM

#### **Dec Registration site to be on-line** (earlier, if possible)

Banner, welcoming and directional signs found, and / or created

Update roster of instructors with e-mail list [Academic Dean]

Update e-mail list for course planning committee as necessary

\*Send letters and/or e-mails inviting council commissioners, executives & presidents to college

\*Send letters to Area and National identified VIPs inviting them to college

(\* after holidays)

#### Invitation letters should include:

registration information list of classes with description, instructors, and brief bio on instructors list of hotels in area with special rates map showing college location & hotels

# Jan Fourth Planning Meeting - Monday, January XX, 7:30 PM,

(Location)

Update e-mail list for course planning committee as necessary

Update roster of instructors with e-mail addresses

Review/discuss registrations, registering on line

Discuss/finalize "registration" packet given to participants

Discuss/finalize budget

Discuss/finalize food and catering

Discuss CD of class handouts

Review/update classes

Review/update potential instructors

Finalize catering arrangements

Distribute memento pins to group

Finalize "registration" packet given to participants

Finalize classes/instructors - dean

Verify site -

Verify speakers -

# Feb Final Planning Meeting -

Monday, February XX, 7:30 PM (location?)

#### FINAL REVIEW

Update e-mail list for course as necessary

Review registrations

Review & assemble final "registration" packet given to participants

Review final budget

Review final menu and caterer

Finalize classes

Finalize Review/update potential instructors

Review Medallion, Banner, Welcome Board, Signs

Check catering status

Verify site -

Verify speakers -

Pint & Assemble name tags (by alpha)

Create sign-in sheets

#### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY XX,

# NorCal College of Commissioner Science

6:30 AM Doors Open - registration setup begins

7:00 AM Set-up Banner, Welcome Board, Direction Signs

Catering Set-up

Late Registration table

Late registration forms

cash box/credit card swiper/change

Participant packets

Memorial pin attached (Contents listed elsewhere)

7:30 AM Check-in opens (for early arrivals)

9:00 AM Program Opening & Welcome

Introductions

Motivational Speaker

9:50 AM Dean's Orientation

10:00 AM Classroom Sessions Begin

12:00 Noon Lunch

Keynote Speaker -

1:30 PM Classroom Sessions Start Again

4:00 PM Closing Gathering

Thank you Certificates