OLLI AT UCONN COMMITTEE STRUCTURE OVERVIEW

Technology

Program

Development

Curriculum;
OLLI Cafe

Publications

Newsletter; Voices and Visions

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Marketing & Community
Outreach
(incl.
fundraising)

Special Interest
Groups
(incl. OLLI
Garden)

Member Services

Membership; Travel Nominating

OLLI AT UCONN COMMITTEES: PURPOSE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

COMMITTEE NAME	PURPOSE	RESPONSIBILITIES
Marketing and Community Outreach	Plan and coordinate, in conjunction with OLLI staff, long and short-term marketing and fundraising strategies that create OLLI awareness statewide, build membership and promote annual fundraising goals.	 Responsible for comprehensive marketing and communications strategy for the purposes of member recruitment, awareness, branding and fundraising; Coordinate with staff to develop and distribute appropriate promotional flyers, brochures, press releases, and radio ads; Develop and implement yearly marketing and fundraising plans; Assist staff in maintaining and building partnerships with key community groups and press; Work towards increasing the diversity of OLLI membership.
Member Services	Promote membership retention and satisfaction by organizing member services to include social activities and membership communication.	 Organize cultural, social and educational travel experiences for members Provide hospitality services to include informational table during class days, assistance with arrangements for refreshments at Café hour and other services as identified by Committee Prepare Membership Handbook Organize and conduct Welcome New Member events. Provide Membership Handbook to all members Plan and coordinate special and social events such as guest lecturers, OLLI picnic day, music events etc. Maintain open lines of communication with members. Ensure that needs, concerns and suggestions of members are brought to the Leadership Council for review.

OLLI AT UCONN COMMITTEES: PURPOSE AND RESPONSIBILITIES P. 2

COMMITTEE NAME	PURPOSE	RESPONSIBILITIES
Nominating	Identify and recommend nominees for officers and members-at-large positions and present slate to the Leadership Council.	 Maintain a running list of members interested in Leadership Council positions Advertise vacant Leadership Council positions starting in September Present slate of candidates to the Leadership Council at the January meeting each year Present endorsed slate to the OLLI Director to present to the UConn Administration for final approval by March.
Program Development	Facilitate curriculum advancement and organize lunchtime Café presentations.	 Identify topics of interest of OLLI members Recruit instructors and provide all necessary support Pursue new and improved methods for expanding and enhancing course offerings to include online classes Collect, compile and analyze data on enrollment and topics of interest of OLLI members Identify, plan and schedule lunchtime speakers for weekly Café series
Publications	Design and produce weekly newsletter and coordinate the annual publication of Voices and Visions which showcases the original writings, artwork and photography of OLLI members.	 Prepare weekly newsletter during Fall and Spring semesters; Coordinate all aspects of the annual publication of Voices and Visions.

OLLI AT UCONN COMMITTEES: PURPOSE AND RESPONSIBILITIES P. 3

COMMITTEE NAME	PURPOSE	RESPONSIBILITIES
Special Interest Groups	Identify and bring together members who have a common interest they wish to pursue. Members meet outside the normal class environment to discuss and enjoy their mutual interest while providing lifelong learning opportunities as well as social and community project experiences.	 Identify, establish and coordinate special interest groups that strive to develop a sense of community and friendship among its members Identify and initiate special community and volunteer opportunities.
Technology	Implement and support technology to assist OLLI members and instructors with educational and enrichment opportunities, enhance skills and promote interaction with peers. Support Committees with technology integration as needed.	 Provide technology support to members and instructors Support committees as needed to integrate technology into their programming Work with OLLI staff as needed to enhance the use of technology.