



Conference Co-Ordinator Annual Report for District Council – April 2024 Serving under the Program quality Directors

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Purpose of the Role	To deliver an exciting educational and networking event for the District members

Highlights in your term of office

The greatest highlight has been working with motivated and inspiring fellow Toastmasters as they share their ideas and visions. I am confident that with the resulting Conference after the input of so many will be enjoyed and appreciated by our District members.

Working with experienced Toastmasters who have unselfishly brought their personal and professional talents to the team effort has truly been a blessing and is deeply appreciated.

Milestones achieved in your term

We have secured our hosting venue: The Garden Venue, after negotiations on monthly instalment payments towards the full Invoice, with sincere thanks to Keith Bowen DTM (Conference Finance Lead).

We have sold 136 out of the 250 tickets available (54%) and have received/receipted just under R249k to date of the invoiced amount of just over R759k (33%)

Areas for development in the role

The immediate and urgent focus is Ticket Sales and the sourcing of Sponsors so that we can meet our monthly instalment commitments with the venue.

Quicker updates on the event website as well as easier direct access to Division and Area Directors, as well as Club Leadership would be advantageous for the organising team.

Overall Remarks

The organising team is genuinely looking forward to hosting members of District 74 at DreamCon 2024! However, at the moment, we are under pressure to deliver on our financial commitments.