

District Leader Biographical Information

Candidate's Name: Bipin Chandriani		
Candidate's Office: Area Director # 22	District Number:	46
Toastmasters member since: June 2018		
Education:		
Bachelor in Science, Mumbai India		
Toastmasters offices held and terms of service:		
SAA - Chester County Toastmasters Dist 38 2018-2019 Treasurer - Chester County Toastmasters Dist 38 2019-20 VP- PR - Chester County Toastmasters Dist 38 2020-21 Treasurer - Chester County Toastmasters Dist 38 2022-23 VP-Education- Podcast Pioneers Dist 46 2022-23 President - Podcast Pioneers Dist 46 2023-24 Area Director - 22 - Dist 46		
Toastmasters honors and recognition:		
Completed Pathway Presentation Mastery - 2022 Chester County Toastmasters Dist 38		
Completed Level 4 of Innovative Planning (IP) & Motivational Strategies (MS)		
Working on completing MS 5 and DTM as well as IP 5		
Starting a new Pathway in March 2024		
Relevant work experience and how it relates to Toastmasters and your role as a Distric	ct leader:	
Communication is KEY. Was suffering from Glossophobia when I joined Toastmasters in June 2018 and using a few philosophies such as "Just Do IT" and "Get out of Comfort zone" have made huge difference to my public speaking, project management and leadership skills which have also helped me mentor/guide other members and clubs with success. Following a great communicator and social media guru - Gary Vaynerchuk, I have been active on social media by creating "value add" content on Facebook, LinkedIn, X (Twitter), Instagram, YouTube etc and also became a podcaster 4 years ago. Using these principles/tricks have made me a better communicator and a leader for any future district leadership roles.		
What experience do you have in strategic planning?		
Defined vision for the future of my real estate business and identified goals and objectives for my company. Have grown my business over the past 10+ years to a very satisifactory level and keep growing in the future. Have applied same principals during my Toastmasters journey to grow the members and clubs.		

What experience do you have in the area of finance?

As a Treasurer, managed finances of Chester County Toastmasters in Dist 38 As an entrepreneur, have managed my real estate investment, property development, leasing and property management business for over 19 years. Developed processes for my real estate development and property management business for the past 19 years As a podcast project manager and charter member of Podcast Pioneers Dist 46, developed SOP (Standard Operating Procedure) for creating, recording, publishing and marketing of podcasts for members of the club in Season 1 2021-22 and Season 2 (2022-23) and Season 3 (2024-25).

What lessons did you learn from previous leadership positions?

I learned to listen first and speak later so I am responding and NOT reacting. My biggest achievement has been that I have been able to collaborate with other team members and develop plans and by giving credit where it is due. Delegation of various tasks to the most qualified team member and trusting the person has made the team successful.

Why do you want to serve as a District leader?

Share best practices that have worked for me with other leaders and be a life long student that keeps learning from various subject matter experts. I know that synergy can help produce better results.

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

Communication is one of the KEY principles and I have experienced first hand how it has helped me grow personally/professionally. Customizing communication styles that appeal to different members/clubs have been very effective. Whether trying to get members sign up for various roles at a meeting or a project, I have used a variety of one of more of email, text, calls, personal meeting or zoom meetings etc to achieve the desired result. By being active as a value providing contributor (Giver) on various social media platforms where our members and would be members are.

Additional information about yourself:

Growing up, my dad instilled in me and my siblings an attitude of "Never Give UP" meaning keep trying and expedite to a higher level to get things done.

"Done is Better Than PERFECT",

"get out of comfort zone" and

"Think Outside the BOX (innovative planning) are some of the "mantras" that have served me well in my persona/professional life and I intend to use them to continue for growth and sustaining of membership and othe constituents.