

ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE SUNSHINE DIVISION
DISCUSSION LEADER and FACULTY DEFINITIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS.
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DEFINITIONS

Discussion Leader Graduate (DLG) - A Rotarian who has completed the Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader Training Class, or the International Assembly Discussion Leader Training Class, but has not qualified as a Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader as defined below.

Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader Trainee (RLI-SD DL Trainee) - A Rotarian who has graduated from the Rotary Leadership Institute, and its Discussion Leader Training session or the International Assembly Discussion Leader Training class, and accepted by the RLI-SD Executive Committee to lead RLI Sessions, but has not as yet led sufficient sessions to qualify as a Discussion Leader.

Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader (RLI-SD DL)- A Rotarian who has graduated from the Rotary Leadership Institute, and its Discussion Leader Training session or the International Assembly Discussion Leader Training class, accepted by the RLI-SD Executive Committee to lead RLI Sessions, and has maintained the minimum requirements described below.

Rotary Leadership Institute Faculty - A Rotarian who is a Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader and has, with satisfactory evaluations, participated in a minimum of three one-day Rotary Leadership Institutes (RLIs), two being outside of their home district, within a twelve month period, or has the equivalent experience as approved by the Rotary Leadership Institute Sunshine Division Faculty and Executive Committees.

Inactive - A Rotarian who has been a Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader and has not complied with the minimum requirements referenced below.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader - To remain an active RLI Discussion leader, one must serve a minimum of two RLIs within a twelve month period, one being out of their home district, and a minimum of one Faculty Workshop every two years. A Faculty workshop will be counted the same as one in-district RLI. In addition, the RLI-SD DL must maintain at least an 85% Evaluation Score, unless waived by the Faculty and Executive Committees.

Rotary Leadership Institute Faculty Member - Faculty members shall be so designated by the Faculty and Executive Committees based upon the following criteria. To remain an active RLI Faculty member, one must serve, within a twelve month period, a minimum of three RLIs, one being outside of their home district, and a minimum of one Faculty Workshop every two years, or have equivalent additional experience factors as approved by the Faculty and Executive Committees. In addition, the RLI-SD DL must maintain at least an 90% Evaluation Score, unless waived by the Faculty and Executive Committees.

Faculty Workshops - These are special workshops designed to expand the knowledge and skills of the RLI Faculty and Discussion Leaders, and will be held at various times and locations within the Rotary Leadership Institute Sunshine Division service area. Each District is required to sponsor a Faculty Workshop at least once every two years within its District. Scheduling shall

be approved and coordinated by the Faculty Committee and approved by the Chairman, with the desire to spread the workshops throughout the Sunshine Division equitably.

A Discussion Leader Training Class may be substituted as a Faculty Workshop for a Rotarian, provided that space is available and no DL student is displaced. DL Class fees will be waived for a RLI-SD DL or Faculty member attending for the purpose of recertification in lieu of attending a Faculty Workshop, but not for someone being asked by the Faculty Committee to re-take the Discussion Leader Training Class as a result of poor evaluations.

Additional Experience Factors - In order to encourage RLI Discussion Leaders and Faculty members to serve in other Rotary capacities, the RLI Sunshine Division will, on occasion, subject to approval by the Faculty and Executive Committees, approve Service above Self activities in lieu of the experience and/or workshops upon application by the Rotarian. Some suggested activities would include: Florida PETS Discussion Leader; Georgia PETS Discussion Leader; Member District PETS Discussion Leaders; Out-of-District Seminar Discussion Leaders (*such as TRF or Membership*;) Rotary Institute Discussion Leaders; President's Representative to a District Conference; other Rotary International Presidential Assignments.

Some suggested activities that would substitute for the Faculty Workshop would be: International Assembly Discussion Leader; PETS or Zone Discussion Leader Trainers or Coordinators, or other equivalent services.

When serving as a District Governor or RI Director, the Rotarian who is a Rotary Leadership Institute Discussion Leader or Faculty member will automatically receive equivalent experience credit for the term of service except that they will be expected to facilitate in at least one Rotary Leadership Institute, or equivalent, in or out of their home district, during their term of service.