



GLC 2011 OMEGA SESSION 1

From Seattle to Singapore:
What It Means to Be a Leo

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LEOS ARE ALL AROUND...

Why are we here?



Leos are all around the world!



There are 150,000 Leos...

... in 6,000 Leo clubs...

... in 138 countries...

... distributed all over the world.

Leos are all around the world!

What are the regional distinctions?




What do we have in common?

What does “LEO” mean to you?



Overview of Workshop

- A Case Study: Leo Clubs in MD 111 – Germany
 - Brief Introduction of Participants
 - Who are you?
 - Where are you from?
 - Describe in one word what Leo means to you.
 - Icebreaker: Human Scavenger Hunt
 - Discussion Groups: Similarities & Differences of Leo Clubs Worldwide
 - Presentation of Discussion Group Results
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LEO CLUBS IN GERMANY

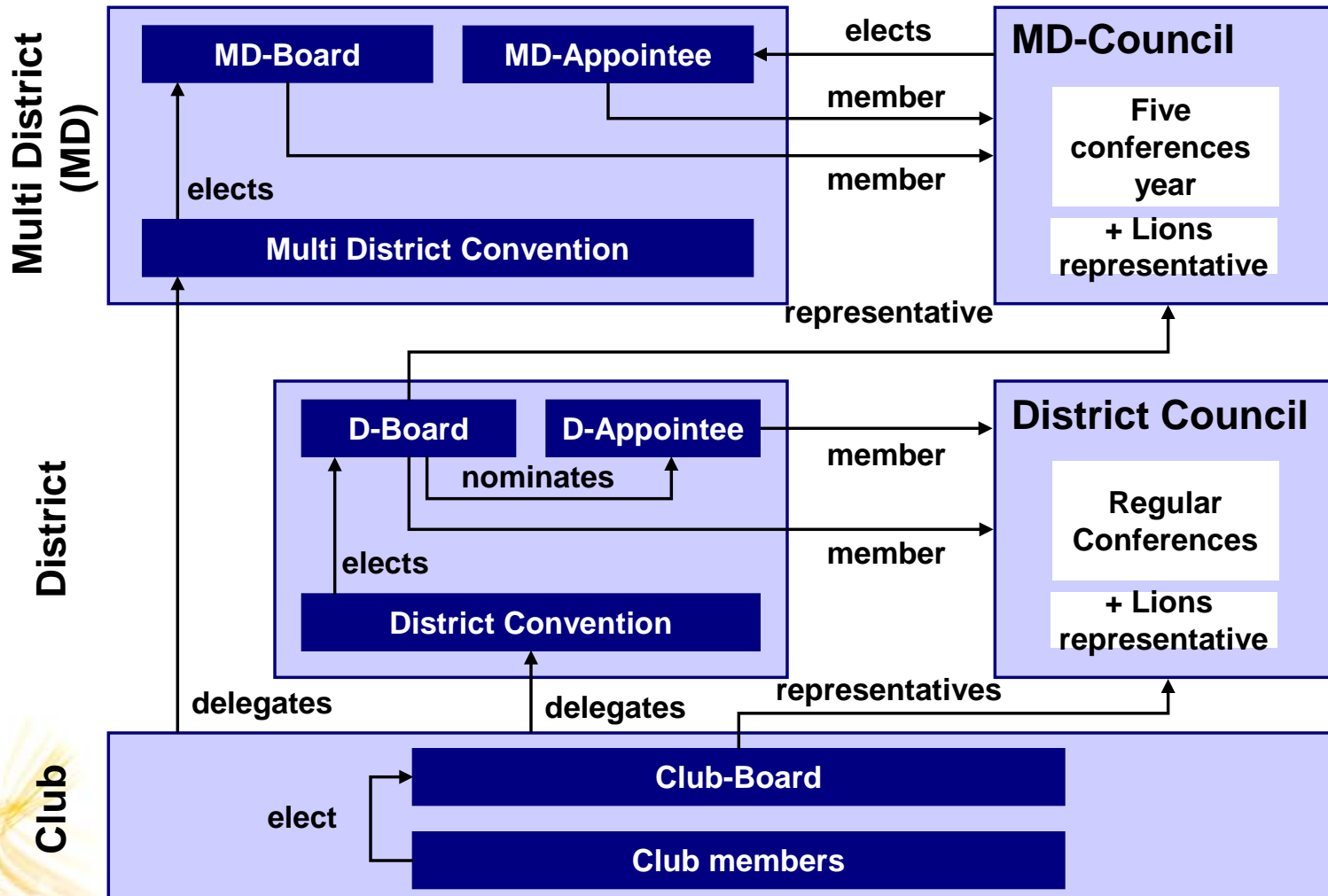
A Case Study

Leos in Germany – The Facts



- First club was founded in 1970
- Today there are
 - 3,300 Leos
 - in 184 Leo clubs
 - in 16 districts
- Currently there are only Omega Leo clubs in Germany

Leos in Germany – The Structure



Leos in Germany – The MD Council



- MD board
- MD appointees
- District president/
representative
- Lions Council
appointee for Leos
- 5 meetings per year



Leos in Germany – The Committees



- PR
- IT
- Leo magazine (LeoLife)
- Activities
- MERLO (Membership-Extension-Retention-Leadership-Orientation)
- Represented by the referring appointee

Leos in Germany – National Events

Multi-District Convention



- Once a year
- Together with the lions
- Plenary sessions
- Social gatherings together with the lions

Leos in Germany – National Events

Multi-District Seminar



- Once a year
- Leo-specific workshops
- Soft skills workshops
- Social gathering

Leos in Germany – National Activities



- Lions-Leo Service Day
- Leo activity of the year
- Shopping cart activities
- Advent calendar
- And many more...

WHAT ABOUT YOU?





Who Are You?

- What's your name?
- Where are you from?
- Describe in one word what Leo means to you.

Human Scavenger Hunt



Who Are You?




Global Leo Conference Human Scavenger Hunt

Has submitted a Leo service activity report through the new LCI online form	Has an immediate family member that is a Lion	Organized a food drive	Served as a Leo Multiple District Officer for Fiscal Year 2010-2011	Attended a regional Leo forum in the past year
Visited children in an orphanage or the pediatrics ward of a hospital	Completed at least 100 hours of community service this year	Participated in a joint service project with their sponsoring Lions club	Raised money for education	Speaks three or more languages fluently
Will participate in the Flash Mob dance in the Opening Plenary Session Wednesday	Recruited two or more friends to join their Leo club	Leo club was chartered 10 or more years ago	Has been a Leo for five or more years	Planted a tree in the last year
Served as a Leo District Officer for Fiscal Year 2010-2011	Raised over US\$10,000 for charity with their Leo club last year	Received a Leo award in the last year	Assisted healthcare workers during vision, hearing or diabetes screenings	Completed at least 50 hours of community service this year
Will join a Lions club in the next 2 years	Organized a Leo Leadership Conference	Attended Global Leo Conference at International Convention in 2008, 2009 or 2010	Was a founding member of their Leo club	Currently "likes" the Leo Facebook Fan Page



Discussion Groups

Let's find out what's special about the Leo Club Program in your country!

- Think about the...
 - structure (club, district, multiple district)
 - members (Alpha/Omega)
 - relation to the Lions
 - communication methods (IT, PR, magazines etc.)
 - national events and/or activities
 - Each discussion group will prepare a short presentation to show the similarities and differences of the Leo Club Program among the countries represented in your group.
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BEFORE YOU START...
... A LITTLE INSPIRATION



Leo MD 111 LEF 2010 Video

<http://dl.dropbox.com/u/617681/LEF%20Clip%20-%20Mittel.m4v>

DISCUSSION GROUP REPORTS AND FINAL Q & A

