

## Candidate Statement for Grand Master of Ceremonies

**Kerri Federico, PharmD, MBA, BCPS, CPPS, CPHQ**

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**Personal Info:** b. Derry, NH 1988; m. Theodore Brackett 2015; B.A Chemistry – University of New Hampshire - Durham, 2010; PharmD. – MCPHS University – Manchester, NH, 2013; MBA Healthcare Administration – Southern New Hampshire University, 2023; Clinical Pharmacist, LRGHealthcare 2014-2023; Clinical Trial Study Coordinator, LRGHealthcare, 2014-2019; Clinical Pharmacist, Elliot Hospital 2015-2018; Board Certified in Pharmacotherapy Specialty, 2017-Present; Member, NHSHP 2012-Present; Patient Safety Officer, Concord Hospital – Laconia/Franklin (FKA LRGHealthcare), 2019-2021; Member, New Hampshire Breastfeeding Task Force, 2019-2023; Board of Directors; New Hampshire Breastfeeding Task Force, 2020-2022; Vice President, Lakes Region United Soccer Club, 2020-Present; Youth Soccer Coach, 2020-Present; Director of Rural Quality Improvement, Foundation for Healthy Communities, 2021-2022; Critical Access Hospital Peer Review Coordinator, Foundation for Healthy Communities, 2022-Present; Director of Pharmacy, Speare Memorial Hospital 2023-Present

Initiated May 2008, Mu Chapter; Vice Master Alchemist, 2009; Outreach Coordinator, 2009-2010; Northeastern District Counselor, 2010-2014; Professional Expansion Chair, 2014-2016; Re-establishing member of Boston Professional Chapter, 2010; Boston Professional President, 2016-2018; Boston Pro Vice President, 2018-2020; attendee at 2010, 2012, 2014, and 2016 National Biennial Conclave; attendee at 2009-2014, 2016, 2018 Northeastern District Conclave, Nominations Committee Chair, 2018-2021; Professional Representative 2020-2022; Collegiate Expansion Committee member, 2021-2022; Grand Professional Alchemist, 2022-Present

### **Statement and Goals**

It has been an honor to serve this Fraternity this last biennium as the Grand Professional Alchemist. I have enjoyed this time and have had the opportunity to grow as a leader at this level. I have been able to learn the importance of everyone's involvement at the national level and have found a great appreciation for that. As I continue on my fraternal path, I have thought to myself how I want to merge my passion for quality improvement with my love of this fraternity. Through this I know my next path is to run for the position of Grand Master of Ceremonies. The Grand Master of Ceremonies is responsible for so much that links us together as Brothers which I have a great respect for. Over the past biennium I have learned how important it is that we retain active Brothers as they transition to the Professional Branch and this can all start with the beginning when pledges become Brothers.

This past year I had the opportunity in my professional life to merge my worlds of clinical pharmacy with quality improvement and became the Director of Pharmacy at a small community hospital in New Hampshire and I am excited at the prospect of employing all I have learned to my role in this Fraternity.

As your Grand Master of Ceremonies, I would like to accomplish:

1. *Updates to the pledge canon:* Beginning with the education of our potential new members I believe will be pivotal in retaining active Brothers for life.
2. *Strive to Educate:* Employ a multitude of mechanisms to educate brothers on proper ritual practices.
3. *Utilize metrics to make data driven decisions:* Create mechanisms to utilize collected data to initiate process improvements throughout the organization.
4. *Foster closed-loop and open communication:* Utilize open communication skills to create an environment that is inclusive of diverse viewpoints in order to further the objects of the fraternity while ensuring required tasks are understood.

I want to take a moment to thank you all for trusting me this last biennium with this esteemed honor and look forward to the opportunity to continue to serve Alpha Chi Sigma.

Yours in the Double Bond,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kerri L. Federico". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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