

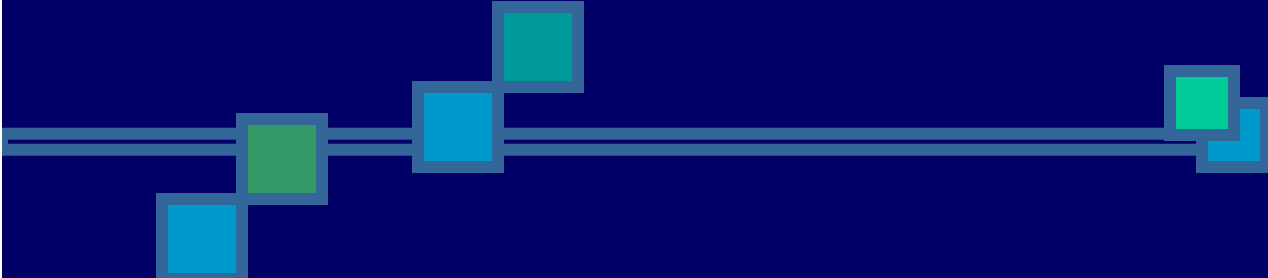
New Recognition System

for Toastmasters International
Communication and Leadership Tracks




Toastmasters International is strengthening its leadership training and making all educational designations in the communication and leadership tracks clearer and more meaningful. Improvements begin in 2006 and include:





A new manual on leadership and a new leadership award.

- Ten-project Competent Leadership manual can be completed while serving in club meeting roles.
 - Manual available in January 2006
 - Those completing manual receive new Competent Leader award
 - Members may apply for new award in July 2006
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New Communication and Leadership Tracks





Competent Communicator (CC)


Member must have

- Completed the Competent Communication manual
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Advanced Communicator Bronze (ACB)

Member must have

- Achieved Competent Communicator award (or achieved Competent Toastmaster award)
 - Completed two Advanced Communication manuals
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Advanced Communicator Silver (ACS)


Member must have

- Achieved Advanced Communicator Bronze award (or achieved Able Toastmaster award or Advanced Toastmaster Bronze award)
- Completed two additional advanced communication manuals (may not be those completed for any previous award)
- Conducted any two programs from The Better Speaker Series and/or The Successful Club Series



Advanced Communicator Gold (ACG)

Member must have

- Achieved Advanced Communicator Silver award (or achieved Able Toastmaster Bronze award or Advanced Toastmaster Silver award)
 - Completed two additional advanced communication manuals (may not be those completed for any previous award)
 - Conducted a Success/Leadership Program, Success/Communication Program or a Youth Leadership Program
 - Coached a new member with the first three speech projects
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Competent Leader (CL)



Member must have

- Completed the Competent Leadership manual
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Advanced Leader Bronze (ALB)

Member must have

- Achieved Competent Leader award
- Achieved Competent Communicator award (or achieved Competent Toastmaster award)
- Served at least six months as a club officer (president, vice president education, vice president membership, vice president public relations, secretary, treasurer or sergeant at arms) and participated in the preparation of a Club Success Plan while serving in this office
- While serving in the above office, participated in a district-sponsored club officer training program
- Conducted any two programs from The Successful Club Series and/or The Leadership Excellence Series



Advanced Leader Silver (ALS)

Member must have

- Achieved Advanced Leader Bronze award (or “old” Competent Leader award)
- Served a complete term as a district officer (district governor, lieutenant governor, public relations officer, secretary, treasurer, division governor or area governor)
- Completed the High Performance Leadership program
- Served successfully as a club sponsor, mentor or coach



Distinguished Toastmaster (DTM) Requirements

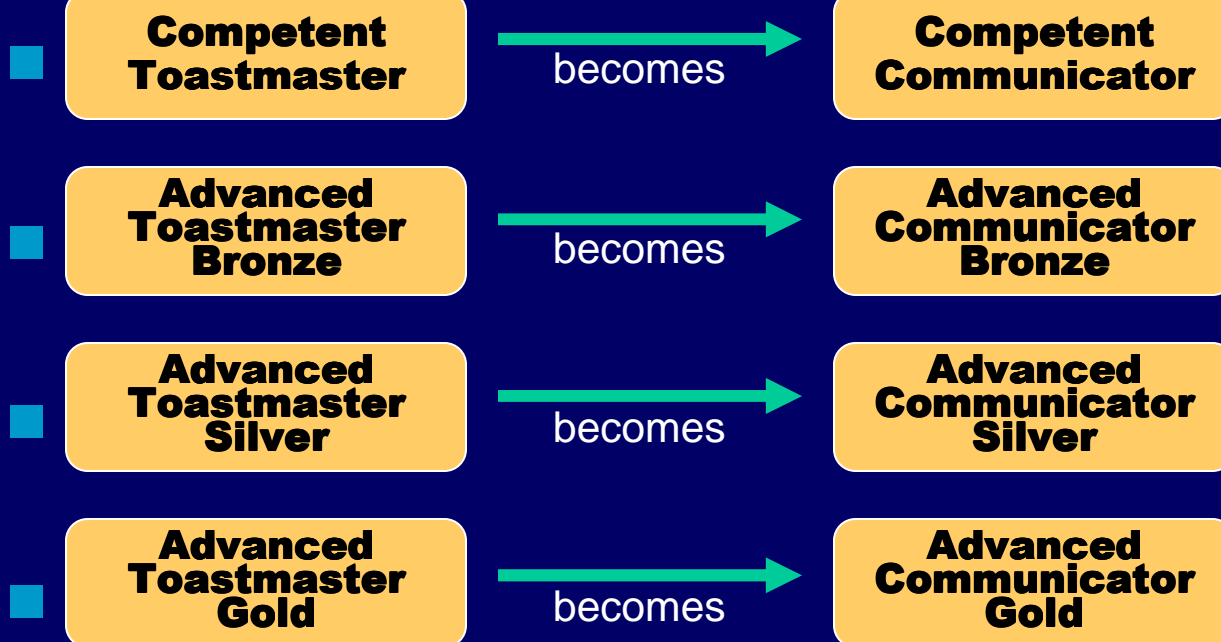
Member must have

- Advanced Communicator Gold
(or current Advanced Toastmaster Gold) AND
 - Advanced Leader Silver
(or current Advanced Leader) awards
 - Distinguished Toastmaster is the highest recognition a member may receive.
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New titles for existing leadership awards

- **Current Competent Leader** becomes **Advanced Leader Bronze** award
- **Current Advanced Leader** becomes **Advanced Leader Silver** award
- New AL Bronze requires completion of new leadership manual

New titles for Communication Track Awards



New Titles for Manuals

