

SCA Titles and Name

Overview

With 41 years of high-level participation in several kingdoms of the Known World, I have a significant body of administrative and practical experience. Being successful in the offices I have held and the support I have supplied to Crowns and other officers has required planning and scheduling resources (personnel and materials), strong communication skills, the ability to evaluate complex situations and tailor communications to the audience, and planning and executing complaint investigations and interpersonal conflict resolution. I have experience with the corporate reporting structure and thorough knowledge of Society marshallate regulations and reporting requirements.

In 2017 I was Marshal in Charge for Great Western War XX, reporting to the Earl Marshal of Caid. I was asked to take on this responsibility on Thursday morning at the event. I believe that the fighting at the event went smoothly, and I submitted a written report of all matters falling under the responsibility of a marshal in charge.

Offices

Deputy Kingdom Marshal (Caid) – I served as emergency replacement deputy to the Kingdom marshal, as well as Regional Marshal for a remote barony. While in this position participated in the rewrite of the CAID marshals handbook, and was also part of a final editing team for the Society Marshalls' Handbook in 2011.

Marshal at Large (Ansteorra, An Tir, Atenveldt, Calontir, Trimaris, West) – I have done armor and weapons inspection under many different standards across the Known World and across three decades of rules changes. I have extensive active combat marshalling experience (single bouts and melee/mixed melee and missile scenarios). Additionally, I regularly train new marshals and fighters. I have served as Marshal in Charge of events (including all reporting required) and marshalling mixed combat scenarios at large inter-Kingdom conflicts such as Estrella War and Gulf Wars. I am aware of the varying armor and weapons standards and conventions of combat throughout the 20 Kingdoms.

Deputy Kingdom Marshal (Ansteorra) – I simplified the marshallate reporting forms such that local event and marshals' reports were demonstrably filed more regularly, and with greater accuracy in reporting incidents.

Black Lion Principal Herald (An Tir) – My Kingdom level officer experience required research, interpretation and application of the rules for submission, regular, complete and accurate communications with Laurel Sovereign of Arms (society level officer) and the Royalty, and assurance of client (submitter) follow-up on the status of their submission. I developed a strong staff and delegated work and authority appropriately.

Lord Chancellor (Ansteorra) – I was responsible for codifying the customs and traditions of the Principality of Ansteorra into the body of laws under which the Kingdom of Ansteorra was advanced. I continued to serve as administrative advisor to the Crown for seven years after my tenure as Lord Chancellor.

Founding Seneschal (Shire of Namron, Principality of Ansteorra, Kingdom of Atenveldt) – As the founding administrative officer of a local branch, I communicated with the Principality/Kingdom seneschals regarding procedure for group formation and produced the petition requesting official recognition of the branch. I served as event steward for the first shire event, and as seneschal for 1.5 years.

Golden Staff Herald (Ansteorra) – I was honored with the position of King's Herald for seven years. I organized and performed many kingdom courts, wrote ceremonies, and trained court heralds.

Herald at Large (Ansteorra, An Tir, Atenveldt, West) – I have done court and field heraldry for many years. I have advised submitters on armory design.

Skills

I have experience writing professional documentation, as well as drafting law for SCA kingdoms and clarifying regulations. I have acceptable verbal and written communication skills, and access to expert level writers and editors. I have database design and administration experience, and proven ability to follow through on the completion of projects and timely response to request for information and communication.

In the modern world I manage a high visibility mission critical team of support analysts in support of the payroll for the entire University of California system.