PNC/MLA Professional Development Committee Report February 10, 2010

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Purpose: To assess need for, plan, offer and evaluate continuing education programs for

PNC/MLA members.

Goals:

- In collaboration with NN/LM PNR, conduct the annual continuing education survey.
- Investigate PNC/MLA members' interest in distance learning modalities.
- Update committee charge and submit to board for approval.
- Create an online committee workspace on Google Groups. Transfer working documents from the public web site to the Google Group.
- Update committee web pages on the PNC/MLA web site with a focus on providing information about CE opportunities to chapter members.
- Host continuing education sessions at the 2010 annual meeting in Portland.
- If need is identified, offer online continuing education opportunities to chapter members.

Activities Completed

- Google Group established
- Continuing education survey conducted.
- Working groups established to accomplish goals.