

Position Title: President**Position Impact**

The president provides general leadership and guidance to the officers and members of the Inn.

Position Responsibilities

- Preside at all Inn functions
- Ensure that the officers and the executive committee perform their duties
- Maintain contact with the national office and national board of trustees
- See that the Inn adheres to the policies of its charter and other policies promulgated by the national board of trustees
- Lead the executive committee in a self-evaluation annually

Qualifications

- Must be a Master of the Bench and must maintain an active status with the Inn throughout his or her term.
- Must have been continuously active with the Inn for a minimum of two years before beginning his or her term.
- Must possess demonstrated leadership skills, either as an officer or committee chair of the Inn, or through a leadership position with another legal or community organization.

Commitment Required

The term of this position is two years, commencing on July 1 following the elections. A person may serve two consecutive terms, however, a second term requires reelection according to the procedures set forth in the Inn bylaws.

Training

- Meet with the outgoing President, Counselor, Secretary-Treasurer and committee chairs to review the current standing of the various operational areas of the Inn.
- Review the Inn's most recent self-evaluation to determine previous successes or challenges encountered in the position.
- Attend an American Inns of Court Leadership Summit, the cost of which is paid by the Inn.

Responsible To/Responsible For

- The President is the presiding member of the Executive Committee.
- The President appoints the committee chairs.