Request for Proposal

Title: IADLEST/NLEARN Website Development

And

IADLEST Online Sourcebook

Responses to Written Questions Submitted March 18, 2025 A

1. IADLEST Admin pages: allows for membership management: what activities or functions are being performed by the admins? I see mention of management of applications and dues payments; are there other functions?

When someone applies for membership to IADLEST they submit credit card information to pay dues. The system holds the transaction until the IADLEST Admin approves the application. Then, the financial transaction is completed through Stripe.

When a user applies, they must select their organization from a drop-down list. If their organization is not listed, they can enter the organization information. This can lead to duplication if, say, they enter the name of the organization as "St. Pete PD," when there is already an entry in the system under "St. Petersburg Police Department." Each new organization is reviewed by an IADLEST Admin. If a duplicate is detected, there is a "merge"

function which transfers the user(s) to a designated target organization then deletes the duplicate.

There are also a Member Report which can show all or use filters to show a single member or type of member.

2. NLEARN: does the blog use a pre-built framework or plug-in? Who manages content and how?

The blog is a module in DotNetNuke. I manage all of the blog content.

3. What database solution/technology is currently in use on the site?

The database is SQL. We do not have sufficient access to the server to determine what database engine it is using.

4. What programming languages/frameworks are used for the site?

The programming language appears to be ASP.NET. Once again, we do not have root access to the server and have not been able to absolutely identify the language.

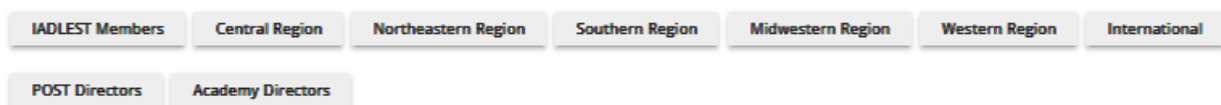5. How do we envision the provision of access to the database to IADLEST personnel?

The vendor will be given root access to the server and database as well as the underlying code.

6. Members-Only pages: Documents: what is current mechanism to allow for search, selection and download of documents?

DotNetNuke provides a module for managing the download of documents. There is no search feature.

7. How are the listservs managed and used?

There are nine email groups. When a new member is added the system determines which groups they belong in according to the level of membership and their home state.

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