



# District Leader

## Biographical Information

Candidate's Name: **Yiting Liu**

Candidate's Office: **District Director** District Number: **D55**

Toastmasters member since: **February 2014**

### Education:

**Texas A&M University-Kingsville**  
**M.S., Computer Science**  
**1997 - 1998**

### Toastmasters offices held and terms of service:

Program Quality Director, Jul. 01, 2023 - Jun. 30, 2024;  
Club Growth Director, Jul. 01, 2022 - Jun. 30, 2023;  
Division Director, Jul. 01, 2020- Jun. 30, 2021;  
Area Director, Jul. 01, 2019-Jun. 30, 2020;  
6755 Armadillo Avenue Club President, Jul. 01, 2018-Jun. 30, 2019;  
6755 Armadillo Avenue Club Vice President Membership, Jul. 01, 2017-Jun. 30, 2018

### Toastmasters honors and recognition:

Distinguished Toastmaster (DTM), November 2020  
Advanced Leadership Silver, November 2020  
Advanced Communicator Gold, May 2020  
Advanced Communicator Silver, September 2019  
Advanced Leadership Bronze, November 2018  
Competent Leader, September 2018  
Advanced Communicator Bronze, August 2018  
Competent Communicator, March 2016

### Relevant work experience and how it relates to Toastmasters and your role as a District leader:

**I have been a Toastmasters' member for nine years. I achieved DTM in 2020. The communication and leadership skills have tremendously benefited me to conduct effective technical presentations to executives regularly. I have taken roles including acting district director, program quality director, club growth director, division director, area director and club officers for district 55. My experience will help D55 achieve district goals.**

### What experience do you have in strategic planning?

**I have more than twenty years of working experience in IT. I have been responsible for IT strategic planning and technology road maps, budgeting and implementations.**

### What experience do you have in the area of finance?

**I have seventeen years of working experience at Texas Comptrollers Office where I have gained knowledge of accounting and finance when working with professional accounts and budget analysts.**

What experience do you have in developing procedures?

**I have years of experience in developing procedures for IT in state government.**

What lessons did you learn from previous leadership positions?

**Effective and inspiring leaders can tremendously lead and mentor members to work with each other towards the same organizational goals.**

Why do you want to serve as a District leader?

**I would like to continue to gain leadership experience and improve my skills as well as helping other toastmasters.**

In your opinion, what are the District mission's major objectives and how would you work to achieve them?

**The district leadership helps promoting healthy membership and clubs, helps struggling clubs as well as guiding new clubs. I will be learning from current and former district leaders to help achieve the district's missions. Close communications with district leaders, seeking mentors and reaching out to toastmaster members will all be very beneficial for me to help district to achieve the goals.**

Additional information about yourself:

**Yiting and husband Ken enjoy movies and travelling all over the world with their sixteen year old daughter.**