

SEDS INDIA ELECTIONS 2018

TREASURER

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1. How deserving are you to become the treasurer of SEDS- India and what makes you stand out of the crowd?

Answer:

I have enlisted my abilities in the following:

- I am updated about the current happenings in the areas of space and technology.
- I can work within the deadlines provided.
- Communication skills.
- Provide alternate solutions for a problem.
- Organized working skills.
- Technical troubleshooting.
- Periodical analysis and updates for a process.
- Statistical analysis.
- Technological proficiency.

2. According to you, what are the issues that are affecting the overall efficiency of SEDS-India as an organization and how do you plan on overcoming them?

Answer:

The current challenges faced by SEDS- India are:

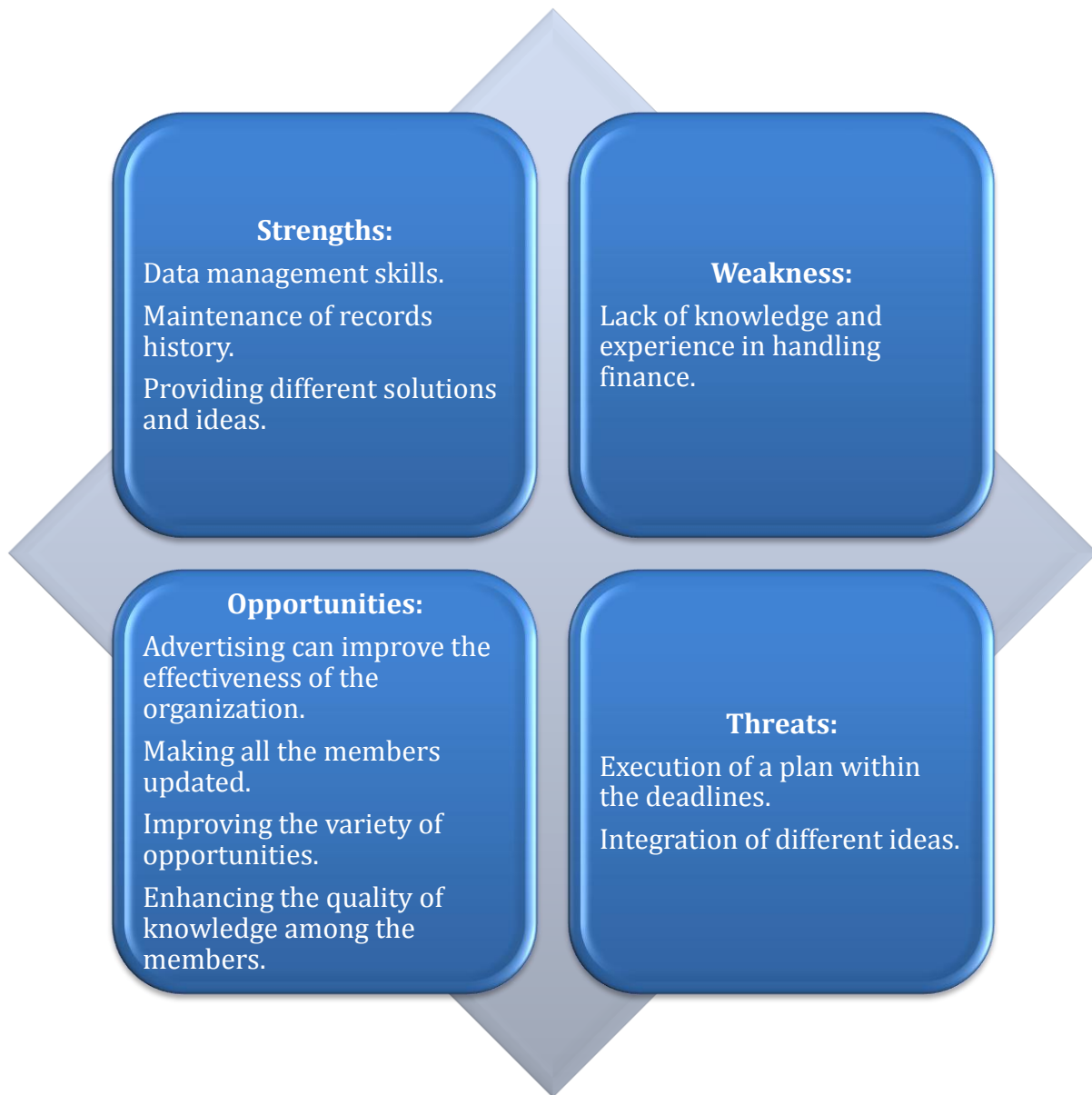
- Moderate publicity, i.e., most of the students in the UG and PG level are not aware of the existence of SEDS- India.
- Space enthusiasts lose interest due to lack of opportunities regarding projects and idea presentation.
- Cost overheads are hindering students from doing projects.
- Students lack practical knowledge regarding space- relates activities like operating a telescope, aeromodelling, working of a rocket, basic piloting, etc.

They can be overcome by:

- Advertising and improving the publicity.
- Conducting national level and region level competitions.
- Encouraging space interest by conducting telescope sessions and space related activities like quizzes, essay writing contests, spacecraft design, etc., among school students.
- Arranging educational trips to Planetariums and space research centres.
- The members should be made aware of the space-related competitions and activities, and should be encouraged to take part in them.
- All the career-related opportunities for students should be collected and delivered.

3. Provide a detailed SWOT analysis of yourself with respect to SEDS- India.

Answer:



4. What will be the first steps you take as soon as you become the Treasurer of SEDS-India?

Answer:

If I get to become the Treasurer of SEDS-India, I will do the following:

- Go through the previous records of finance management in SEDS-India.
- Create valid documentation for every accounting.
- List the ongoing and future activities/projects/events and fix budgets for them.
- Create documental and statistical analysis of the incoming and outgoing revenues for SEDS-India.
- Review the distribution of funds for each sector (projects/events/outreach).
- Examine the feasibility of a project.
- Account the cost overyheads for any activity.
- Ensure equity in the distribution of funds.
- Improve my finance handling skills.