



Pamela E. Smith

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Pamela E. Smith is Chair of the National Program Planning and Development Committee. She is the Immediate Past National First Vice President and Chair of the Scholarship and Standards Committee. Ms. Smith has served a total of 19 years on the National Executive Board as National First Vice President, National Secretary, Chair of Program Planning and Development, and Co-Chair of the Leadership Academy.

Ms. Smith is a 50+ Year Golden Life member who was initiated at the Ohio State University, Epsilon Chapter, and she was also a Charter Member of the Glen Ellyn Area (IL) Alumnae Chapter. She is a Past President and is an active member of the Greater Cleveland Alumnae Chapter.

Professionally, Ms. Smith is a retired nationally recognized urban educator who has been on the forefront of school innovations throughout her career. Prior to retirement, Ms. Smith was Chief of Staff of the Cleveland Metropolitan Schools where she was responsible for 200 schools, the Human Resources Department, and the Legal Department. She was also an adjunct professor at Cleveland State University (CSU) in the Counseling, Administration, Supervision, and Adult Learning (CASAL) Department. In 2018, she was awarded the CASAL Department Outstanding Educator in recognition of her “demonstrated excellence in pedagogy at CSU.” Ms. Smith was CEO of Smart Pedagogic Solutions, LLC, an education consulting company dedicated to serving PreK-12 urban schools and districts.

In addition, she works fervently for worthwhile purposes including having served on the MetroHealth Hospital Foundation Board. Also, Ms. Smith is a Fourth Angel with the Cleveland Clinic Hospital. A Fourth Angel is someone who has survived a cancer journey and then coaches and mentors others through their cancer journeys.