

Order of the Golden Poyntel

Awarded for: Consistent outstanding work for the College of Scribes

Armigerous: No

Token: a gold medallion bearing an image of a scribe at work, with the words SCRIBO PINGO SERVIO * COLLEGIUM SCRIBARUM LOCHACENSIS around the edge.

Scroll: No

Crown litany: No

Prep: Check to see if the recipient already has an AoA.

Herald: While deeds of valour make the heart bold, and deeds of knowledge and skill illuminate us all, the honours we give would be forgotten if there were none to record such acts. Those whose industry is inspired by the Cliotic Muse teach the scribal arts, and by their work for the College of Scribes, glorify the awards of this Realm by illuminating their records. Like gilding upon illuminated parchment, they make richer all that our Kingdom honours. As the poyntel is used by the scribe to score the parchment, so does the Crown use the Golden Poyntel to underscore the diligence and artistry of the scribe. Therefore, do their Majesties proclaim [*Name*] worthy of great honour and do admit him/her to the right noble Order of the Golden Poyntel of the Kingdom of Lochac.

Crown: *Speaks as to the diverse great works of the recipient; and presents the token.*

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*This part only if the recipient does **not** already have an Award of Arms*

Herald We also give you an award of arms, and with it the rights and titles of a lord/lady of the realm, and charge you with the responsibilities of this rank, and we further give you the right to bear as personal arms such device as you may have properly registered with our heralds, in the Kingdom of Lochac and throughout the Known World.

Herald: Know all that their Majesties, King [*Name*] and Queen [*Name*] have this [*day*] of [*month*] Anno Societatis [*year*] made Lord/Lady [*Name*] the newest member of the Order of the Golden Poyntel – three cheers!