Long standing members and new initiates of EPT, who stopped by the Epsilon Pi Tau exhibition booth at the ITEEA conference in Milwaukee on March 26-28, 2015, were asked to identify five key words or characteristics that would assist EPT in moving technology and engineering programs FORWARD in the next five to ten years – 2020/2025.

As the discussion pursued with each participant, 70 different thoughts were reduced to writing as expressed above. When reviewed, the most often expressed responses were: LEADERSHIP, VISION, NETWORKING, COMMUNICATION & RESEARCH. Later, via e-mail, participants were requested to elaborate on one or more of the 5 Key Concepts identified above. Significant thoughts were expressed, identifying the responders as the INNOVATORS, CHANGE AGENTS & EARLY ADOPTERS (initial 2.5% and 13.5% on Everett Rogers Diffusion of Innovations Curve.) They conveyed Revelations and provided Foresights about Potential Realities as they identified Important and Self-evident Roles for Epsilon Pi Tau that may or may not have been recognized before.