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The Math Science Partnership (MSP) of Southwestern Pennsylvania is a comprehensive K-16 professional development program to improve the quality of math and science teaching in our region. As we enter year three, we will report on the successes and challenges of our summer leadership academies, as well as strategies to sustain our efforts beyond the five years of NSF support. (Received September 27, 2005)