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SPE THERMOFORMING DIVISION ANNOUNCES CALL FOR BOARD MEMBERS

CAROL STREAM, IL., U.S.A., December 6, 2021: The SPE Thermoforming Division has announced its call for new board members. The Division will be holding elections for its Board of Directors in early 2022.

Laura Pichon, the Nominating and Membership Committee Chair for the Division, has asked that anyone interested in serving on the Board send her a short biography with a high-resolution JPG photo and a letter stating why they would like to serve on the Thermoforming Board. The deadline to submit this information is December 15. Laura can be reached at:

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"We encourage anyone who would like to serve to contact me," said Laura. "These are unpaid volunteer positions that are open to all members of the SPE Thermoforming Division."

Duties include:

- -Attend the three yearly board meetings that are held across the USA
- -Challenge members and colleges to advance the thermoforming process
- -Educate members with workshops and technical articles presented during the Division's conference, and published in the Division's award-wining magazine, SPE Thermoforming Quarterly®
- -Engage schools by awarding scholarships and grants and creating innovative challenges like the Radio-Controlled Car Race and Design Competition
- -Connect and network with those in the global Thermoforming industry to keep up to date on markets, new technologies and opportunities to fulfill the Division's mission.

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dollars in undergraduate scholarships since it was first formed. For more information, please visit https://thermoformingdivision.com.

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