SWR Institute Committee Guide

Make a positive impact on the Institute, the industry and your career by getting involved on an SWR Institute committee. Speak to the committee chair or an SWR Institute staff member or simply attend one of the committee meetings to learn more. All committees meet face-to-face prior to each of SWR Institute’s two annual technical meetings. The committee meeting schedule is located on the meeting pages of SWR Institute’s website, www.swrionline.org.

Program Planning Committee
The Program Planning Committee develops the meeting content for SWR Institute’s two annual technical meetings. The committee seeks presentations that keep the SWR Institute membership apprised of the latest technologies and practices for the industry as well as provides an environment that promotes fellowship and the exchange of ideas.

If you have ideas about the presentations and events offered at our meetings, we welcome your input and perspective.

Program Planning Committee Chair
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Product Validation Committee
The Product Validation Committee is responsible for developing and reviewing product categories to be included under the program. The committee also promotes the Product Validation Program and works to ensure that the industry understands the intent and purpose of the program.

Product Validation Committee Chair
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Safety Committee
The Safety Committee works closely with OSHA to develop safety resources for our members and the industry at large.

Interested volunteers only need to have a passion for safety and a desire to contribute to our ultimate goal of educating and protecting the workers in our industry. This includes collaborating and sharing information in a group setting, helping to promote OSHA Alliance initiatives and programs, developing new safety resources, and most importantly, being actively involved in bettering our industry to help reduce injuries and save lives.

Safety Committee Chair
Kelly Streeter, Alta Access
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Technical Resource Committee
The Technical Resource Committee is responsible for creating and reviewing SWR Institute technical manuals and publications.

The committee seeks those with technical expertise in any of the sealant, waterproofing and restoration categories.

Technical Resources Committee Chair
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Membership Committee
The Membership Committee focuses on membership acquisition and retention for the association. The Membership Committee is also responsible for interviewing companies that submit membership applications to the Institute and reporting the information obtained during the interview to the SWR Institute Board of Directors.

Interested participants only need to have ideas about how to attract and retain members that are best-in-class in the industry.

Membership Committee Chair
Melissa Cassel, Pecora Corporation
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Training Validation Committee
The Training Validation Committee is responsible expanding the number of training programs validated by SWR Institute.

The committee welcomes anyone with a desire to elevate the standards of the training programs offered in our industry.

Training Validation Committee Co-Chairs
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Skilled Labor Ad Hoc Committee
This committee was established to create awareness of career opportunities in the sealant, waterproofing and restoration industry. The committee is in the process of developing resources that our members can utilize at career fairs and other events in their communities to recruit the next generation of craft professionals.

The committee is seeking volunteers who want to assist the Institute with developing and implementing programs that get our members involved with promoting our trade in their local areas.

Skilled Labor Ad Hoc Committee Chair
Kelly Getz
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