



NSIP Board of Directors Application Form

NSIP Mission: *The National SAM Innovation Project provides a comprehensive process and set of tools designed to develop effective instructional leaders resulting in greater student success.*

NSIP Vision: *The National SAM Innovation Project will provide SAM services in every state resulting in greater teacher and learner success.*

Board Expectations: *NSIP Board members provide direction and vision for the National SAM Innovation Project. They annually review and sign the Board Member Job Description and the NSIP Board of Directors Standards of Practice Agreement. Board members must be able to attend two annual meetings in person: one during the summer and one on the Wednesday preceding the annual National SAM conference. All transportation, lodging and meal expenses are covered by NSIP. Additionally, Board members may be asked to participate in online meetings and provide input on NSIP issues.*

This particular board member position provides the valuable perspective of a practicing SAM. As a dedicated SAM, there is committed participation in daily meetings with their SAM leader participant.

General Information

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SAMs Experience

Please provide the following information regarding your experience as a SAM principal:

SAM Experience Dates: 2011-2014 Kathy Crum Location: SPFLD Public Schools
2018-2021 Cheree Morrison Admin office
2021-2023 Dr. Lance Thurman & Jamar Scott

Without seeing my personal file - this is best guess
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Board President Bert Hendee bhendee2016@gmail.com

Narrative Information

Please provide a brief response to the following questions:

What makes the NSIP Mission and Vision meaningful to you:

I believe in the process and have seen it make a positive difference in each administrator I have worked for. All had goals to be an effective leader and move buildings, which overall impact student success. If you believe in practice it is actually easy to do the work.

What knowledge, skills and experiences can you contribute as a board member:

I have done Sams for about 8 yrs maybe. I have worked with 4 different administrators. All different styles. I am extremely detail oriented and believe in the process, just need to work closely with your administrator and learn their style. Have seen changes (positive) in each person I have worked with.

Why would you like to serve as an NSIP Board Member:

I am knowledgeable about the process. I am not afraid to speak my opinion. Overall, I am an asset to the Sams Program in my district and believe I could be very useful at a higher level.

Your signature indicates your desire to be considered as a candidate for the NSIP Board of Directors

Jennifer Stapleton

Applicant Signature

10/6/23

Date

Your supervisor's signature indicates their approval for you to participate in activities required of members of the NSIP Board of Directors as outlined in Board Expectations at the top of this application.

Signature of Applicant's Supervisor

Date

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