CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS:
Participants for the Women in Materials Science & Engineering Committee

BACKGROUND:
The Women in Materials Science & Engineering Committee is to be a subcommittee of the Membership and Student Development Committee. The committee will seek to develop TMS programs and activities that address the professional needs and aspirations of women actively pursuing a career in materials science and engineering. They also will seek to promote materials engineering as an attractive career choice and opportunity for young women, with TMS as their professional society home.

NATURE OF WORK:
The committee will advise the Membership & Student Development Committee in the establishment of strategic objectives related to increasing female participation in the society. The group will actively explore ways that the society can encourage women materials scientists and engineers to take an active interest in society activities, serve as a forum for the discussion of specific issues facing women in science and engineering, promote the recognition of women scientists and engineers and provide a means for increasing the participation of women in the materials sciences and engineering, and the society, through sponsorship of events and activities.

DURATION OF WORK:
A typical term of commitment of three years is preferred; shorter duration assignments are possible.

BENEFITS:
As your professional partner for career advancement, TMS provides members with many opportunities for leadership roles within the society. Individuals may volunteer to serve on this committee to assist in developing the strategic direction for TMS. Volunteers assume “hands-on” approaches in executing these initiatives.

HOW TO VOLUNTEER:
Please contact us by e-mail at volunteer@tms.org.

REQUIREMENTS:
Members of this committee are required to be active members, in good standing, of the society.

WHO TO CONTACT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
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