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Women in Manufacturing Association® (WiM) is the only national trade association dedicated to providing year-round support to women who have chosen a career in the manufacturing industry.

SUPPORT. PROMOTE. INSPIRE.

ABOUT

The Women in Manufacturing® Association (WiM) works to empower women workers and strengthen the manufacturing sector. As a 501(c)(6) non-profit trade association, WiM is dedicated to supporting, promoting, and inspiring women who have chosen careers in the manufacturing industry.

Our approach is holistic, providing skills development, leadership training, and network building opportunities that help women thrive in the modern manufacturing sector. WiM includes manufacturers of all types and individuals from every job function – from production to the C-Suite. Membership and participation in WiM is available to women and men who are working in manufacturing or in fields that support the industry. At present, we support close to 10,000 individual members and over 175 Corporate member companies.

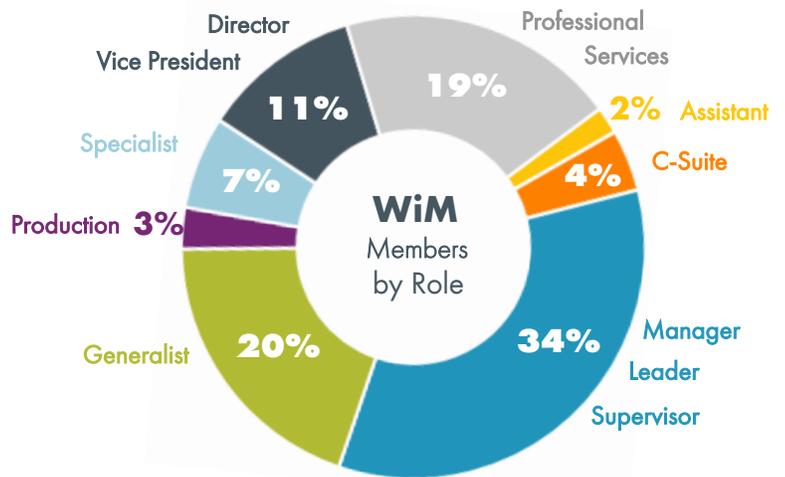


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I have been a member of WiM for a little over three years. It has been very rewarding and has help me grow both personally and professionally. I think the best part is that we have started our own chapter in my area and brought this great organization and events to more women.

Danielle Schneider, Pridgeon & Clay

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I benefit from WiM not just professionally, with networking and solid industry leads, but personally from friendships, support and personal growth that comes out of the programs.

Erin Neely, Quaker Houghton



MEMBERSHIP

WiM members benefit from exclusive access to local and national educational programming, in-person and virtual networking opportunities, bimonthly professional development webinars, a customized job board, and a robust searchable directory. Corporate members receive additional benefits, most notably, the ability to enroll an unlimited number of individuals underneath their membership regardless of location.

NEW TO WiM

CAREER RESOURCES

- [Virtual Career Fairs](#) allow employers to connect directly with qualified candidates, including recent college graduates, young professionals, seasoned managers, and skilled tradespeople from a multitude of fields. Job seekers can interact with representatives from companies across the manufacturing industry that are actively seeking skilled individuals to add to their workforce.
- Whether you are a job seeker or an employer, [WiMWorks](#) offers a host of opportunities to maximize your career or workplace. Post your resume, find a new career or post a position. WiMWorks is your one stop for a new career.

HR ROUND TABLE

The virtual [HR Roundtable](#) offers an invaluable opportunity to network with industry peers and participate in roundtable discussions on key challenging human resource and training-related topics.

MOMS IN MFG

[Moms in MFG](#) is an event series and community which focuses solely on supporting moms working in manufacturing. Moms in MFG provides those involved with valuable content as well as opportunities to connect and collaborate with fellow moms working in the industry through regularly scheduled events as well as an online community.

PROGRAMMING

WiM offers a variety of programs to assist members in their professional development. Some examples of our unique offerings include:

- A partnered program with Case Western Reserve University, WiM's [Leadership Institute for Women in STEM and Manufacturing](#) (formally Leadership Lab) provides executive education and training to women in mid-to-high level roles in manufacturing careers.
- WiM's [Virtual Learning Series](#) provides free monthly webinars on a variety of topics and are archived on the WiM website for members to access at any time.
- WiM's [Management Development Program \(MDP\)](#) provides prospective and new managers with training to develop critical skills that are necessary for managerial success.
- The [Empowering Women in Production program](#) is being designed to support the professional development of production floor employees. Employees in production settings often have tremendous insight into the culture, products, and processes that manufacturing companies need to understand to innovate.
- WiM's [Executive Networking Groups](#) are intimate, confidential forums that offer the opportunity to exchange ideas and best practices with peers from around the country.
- WiM offers regional conferences in various locations throughout the year, including [WiM North](#), [WiM West](#) and [WiM South](#). These one to two-day programs offer attendees opportunities for professional and personal growth as they navigate their path to success in manufacturing!

SUMMIT

The only national conference of its kind, the [WiM SUMMIT](#) attracts more than 700 manufacturing professionals from around the country for three days of inspiring presentations, breakout sessions, round table discussions, local plant tours, and networking opportunities.

IMPACT

A monthly member newsletter that offers information and insight on industry trends, management, leadership, and general association updates.

HEAR HER STORY

On each episode of the [Hear Her Story podcast](#), we sit down with incredible women from different roles and niche industries within manufacturing. Join us to learn from their unique expertise and to hear about the experiences that have shaped their careers. Hear what drives the women who make the WiM community vibrant and strong and leave inspired by their journey and their advice for other women in manufacturing.

CHAPTERS

Chapters rank as one of our top membership benefits and provide members the opportunity to connect and collaborate frequently in-person. For a complete list of Chapter locations and activities, please [visit our website](#).

EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The [WiM Education Foundation](#) (WiMEF) is the 501(c)(3) arm of WiM. Through the WiMEF, we provide and support effective, affordable educational opportunities for women in manufacturing.