

## **Suri Network Product Development Committee (SNPDC) Application**

The purpose of the SN Product Development Committee is to focus on North American Suri Fiber quality, visibility, markets and outlets for the National Clip. Their mission is to observe, research, discover and articulate information to the SN membership on issues that affect Suri Fiber production, processing and outlets for Suri Fiber and Suri Products.

The time commitment varies based on the activities at any given point in time. We typically have 1 to 2 conference calls per month, lasting approximately 1 ½ hrs each. Individual members then contribute additional time on projects depending on what activities they are involved in. We have an active committee and always have more to do than time to do it so we try to prioritize what we are focused on in a given period. The most important criteria are a passion for Suri fiber, the drive to explore and research fiber characteristics, processes and markets, and the willingness to donate your time to helping the Suri fiber industry succeed!

Following are some questions to help us understand the particular interest and skills you would bring to the SNPDC.

1.) Why do you want to join the SNPDC?

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2.) What do you think are the most important issues facing the Suri fiber industry today?

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3.) What skills or expertise do you think you would bring to the SNPDC?

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4.) What experience have you had on other boards, committees or relative efforts?

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5.) What would you like the SNPDC to know about you that we haven't asked?

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6.) If you do not want to commit to being on the SNPDC, but you are interested in being on a sub-committee that focuses on a particular project, what type of areas would you be interested in? Please mark all that apply or add others not listed

a.  Suri Fiber Research

b.  Seminars

- c.  Festival Coordination
- d.  Fiber Process Research
- e.  Marketing/Branding

- f.  Writing Articles
- g.  Pattern Development
- h.  Other\_\_\_\_\_

Please e-mail this form to [office@surinetwork.org](mailto:office@surinetwork.org) or mail to Suri Network, P.O.

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