

August 25, 2022

To Whom It May Concern:

Please accept this letter of support and nomination to the AHEPPP Board of Directors on behalf of Shana Lee. Shana is currently the Assistant Dean of Students and Director of Parents & Families Engagement. Historically our institution provided support to our parents and families by way of a portion of someone's responsibility. Shana's inaugural role has allowed our institution to provide elevated resources and services to our parents on behalf of our students. Shana has had the opportunity to grow Parents and Families Engagement and has utilized AHEPPP's resources, and the colleagues involved, to assist in her efforts. I am confident that Shana's perspective will enhance the efforts and initiatives of the Board and her participation will continue to contribute to the work that she oversees here at Kent State University. As someone who serves on a board of a professional association, I anticipate the time commitment necessary for Shana to participate as a member of the AHEPPP Board of Directors. I fully support Shana's time commitment to the board as I trust she will find ways to integrate the experience into her own work. I also believe in the importance of giving back to the profession and value what Shana has to offer. Additionally, Shana has the financial commitment from our Division to support her travel commitments if selected to be a member of the Board of Directors. I have been impressed with Shana's commitment to AHEPPP and look forward to her continued engagement with the organization.

It is my honor to nominate Shana Lee for members of the AHEPPP Board of Directors. If you have any questions, please contact me at my information below.

Sincerely,

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Associate Vice President for Student Affairs & Dean of Students

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