

**Accredited Standards Development O1 Committee  
Interest Category Form**

**Name:**

**Organization:**

*(Which you represent on the committee and will be listed on the roster)*

**Email:**

**Address:**

**Phone number:**

Please select one of the following interest categories that you feel best describes the interest group you represent:

- Manufacturer:** one that manufactures; especially an employer of workers in manufacturing, or one who represents the manufacturing interests.  
User/Industrial/Commercial: one that uses; in the context of machine safety, an individual, corporation, partnership other legal entity or form of business that utilizes a machine, machine production system or related equipment including a company that is engaged in industrial production or service or is occupied with or engaged in commerce or work intended for commerce.
- Trade Association:** an organization founded and funded by businesses that operate in a specific industry. An industry trade association participates in public relations activities such as advertising, education, political donations, lobbying and publishing, but its main focus is collaboration between companies, or standardization. Associations may offer other services, such as producing conferences, networking or charitable events or offering classes or educational materials. Many associations are non-profit organizations governed by bylaws and directed by officers who are also members.
- Distributor/Retailer:** one that distributes or markets a commodity at either wholesale and/or retail prices.
- Government Agency:** a permanent or semi-permanent organization in the machinery of government that is responsible for the oversight and administration of specific functions.
- Professional Society:** a typically non-profit organization seeking to further a profession, the interests of individuals engaged in that profession, and the public interest.

**Insurance:** a company, organization or industry that provides coverage by contract whereby one party undertakes to indemnify or guarantee another against loss by a specified contingency or peril.

**Labor:** an organization of workers who have banded together to achieve common goals such as better working conditions. Labor, through its leadership, bargains with the employer on behalf of union members and negotiates labor contracts (collective bargaining) with employers. This may include the negotiation of wages, work rules, complaint procedures, rules governing hiring, firing and promotion of workers, benefits, workplace safety and policies. The agreements negotiated by the union leaders are binding on the rank and file members and the employer, and in some cases, on other non-member workers.

**Testing Laboratory:** a testing facility recognized by OSHA as a primarily private sector organization that provides product safety testing and certification services to manufacturers. The testing and certification are done, for purposes of the Program, to U.S. consensus-based product safety test standards. These test standards are not developed or issued by OSHA, but are issued by U.S. standards organizations, such as ANSI. The range of products covered by the Program is limited to those items for which OSHA safety standards require "certification" by a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL).

**Integrator:** An entity that designs, provides, manufactures or assembles a machine, its associated machines or equipment, the safeguarding, control interfaces, interconnections or the control system into a machinery system.

**Other:** An entity not adequately covered by any of the above interest categories

**Student:** A non-voting member who meets at least one of the following qualifications regarding a curriculum determined by the committee at the time of membership application to be an educational program relevant to the scope of the Committee's responsibilities:

- Is or credibly plans to be actively enrolled full time for at least two semesters/quarters of the current school year, or
- Has graduated from the program within the last two years.

Submit completed form to Samantha Devine, WMMA Associate Director at [Samantha@wmma.org](mailto:Samantha@wmma.org).