

# BOARD NOMINATIONS

**The SLP is a Young Professional Organization that cultivates regionally-minded leaders representing nonprofits, the public and the private sectors through professional development, leadership, and mentorship opportunities.**

## IDEAL CANDIDATE

The St. Landry Professionals Board is seeking motivated individuals in their 20s, 30s and 40s to fill several volunteer leadership positions on The SLP Board for 2018. Board members are expected to attend at least 50% of scheduled board meetings and events throughout the year (1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month) as well as communicate, promote the mission, and build awareness of The SLP throughout St. Landry Parish.

These positions provide key leadership and programmatic support to the Organization's full membership, in support of wider strategic organizational goals and initiatives. The SLP Board of Directors oversees a portfolio of activities related to membership, partnerships, events, communications and government affairs initiatives.

## LENGTH OF TERM

One-year, renewable terms dependent on member's ability to meet expectations of the role, outlined above.

## BENEFITS

- Give back to our community by supporting an organization doing important work
- Network with other young professionals
- Develop your professional and leadership skills
- Gain a deeper knowledge and understanding of St. Landry Parish initiatives including "Moving Forward" and industry recruitment projects
- Engage your friends and colleagues in the cause through SLP events
- Exposure to key St. Landry Parish Leadership & Community/Business Stakeholders through development speaker series; SLP events, SLP projects etc.
- Have Fun!

# APPLICATION PROCESS

**Nominations must be submitted to [stlandryprofessionals@gmail.com](mailto:stlandryprofessionals@gmail.com) no later than December 15, 2017. Candidates will be reviewed by the current board, and the new board members will be announced early January 2018.**

**Nominations must include the following information:**

1. Name
2. Company/Position
3. Email
4. Phone
5. What do you hope to gain as a member of the SLP?
6. What do you want to see The SLP involved in during 2018?
7. Suggest an event you would like to see the SLP involved in or host in 2018.
8. If you could effect change in St. Landry Parish, where would you start?
9. As a board member, which aspect(s) of the SLP platform are you most interested in being involved in for 2018?
  1. Membership Recruitment and Retention
  2. Community Partnerships/Sponsorships
  3. Events/Programming
  4. Marketing/Communications
  5. Government Affairs Initiatives
  6. Philanthropic Initiatives

***\* We encourage you to submit a head-shot style photo with your submission for announcement purposes on the SLP website. All board members are expected to be dues paid members in good standing with the SLP. All applicants will be notified if their membership is currently in good standing when they submit their board application or will be instructed to renew their membership on the SLP website.***