



Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda, Inc.

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**FBLA-PBL Opens Call for Board Candidates.
Association seeks two business/industry representatives to join governing body.**

Reston, Va. – Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda, Inc. (FBLA-PBL) is the premier student business organization with a mission to inspire and prepare students to become community-minded business leaders in a global society through relevant career preparation and leadership experiences.

FBLA-PBL opens its call for Board candidates and is looking for two business/industry representatives. A business/industry representative is a professional currently employed in a management-level position of a business or industry, who shows an interest in students, and understands the value of student organizations to the educational programs.

"The challenges of Covid-19 have made it more instrumental than ever for our student members to gain valuable experiences in the business world," explains Governance Committee Chair Ronald W. Pierce. "Business/industry representatives help ensure we best understand real world business trends and that our resources align with our mission."

Members of the Board work together to set a strategic direction for the organization, a 501(c)(3) non-profit educational association. The Board consists of seventeen members comprised of teachers, college professors, state chairs, business/industry representatives, division student presidents, and the president & CEO. This is a three-year term starting August 1, 2021 through July 31, 2024. Additional Board of Director vacancies include a State Chair/State Adviser (1 seat) and a FBLA Local Adviser (1 seat).

FBLA-PBL is committed to building a diverse and inclusive organization—on our professional staff, in our membership, and within our volunteer leadership. In that spirit, we welcome applications from all individuals for consideration by our Governance Committee for nomination to serve on our Board of Directors that encourage a diverse slate of leaders including age, disability, ethnicity, gender, race, religion, and sexual orientation.

Qualified and interested individuals must apply by 11:59 p.m. Eastern on February 25, 2021 via the [online application](#) for consideration. [A full Call for Board Candidates and Overview is available here.](#)

For more information on FBLA-PBL, please visit www.fbla-pbl.org.

About FBLA-PBL, Inc.

Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda, Inc., the premier student business organization, is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) education association with a quarter million members and advisers in over 6,500 active middle school, high school, and college chapters worldwide. FBLA-PBL's mission is to inspire and prepare students to become community-minded business leaders in a global society through relevant career preparation and leadership experiences. The association is headquartered in Reston, Virginia, just outside of Washington, D.C. For more information, visit fbla-pbl.org.

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