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Dear Dr. Christine Denis,

I am writing to express my strong interest in becoming board member of WFHSS. As a passionate individual with a deep commitment to making a positive impact in the community, I am excited about the opportunity to contribute my skills and dedication to your organization.

With a background of 30 years within the CSSD, I have developed a strong understanding of the importance of community engagement and the power of collective action. The mission and values of the WFHSS align perfectly with my own, and I am eager to be part of a team that is dedicated to creating meaningful change.

In my role as a CSSD manager, I have gained valuable experience in project coordination, event planning, and community outreach. Over the years I have Co -organized the European conference in Bruges in 2002, which was for me my first steps in organizing such an event on such a scale.

Since several years, I am a board member of ASTER and VSZ. The Belgian professional organizations for sterile services.

Since 2021, I was Chair of directors of Mdeon and in 2024; I became vice president of Mdeon. Mdeon is a common ethical platform constituted of 29 associations of physicians, pharmacists, veterinarians, dentists, nurses, paramedical, physiotherapists, hospital technicians, wholesalers-distributors, hospitals and of the pharmaceutical and medical devices industry. Mdeon has as objective to create, in a proactive manner, a framework of quality for the promotion and information about medicinal products and medical devices and dental technology companies.

I was co-author for the Superior Health Council in Belgium for the good practices for the management of reusable medical devices, which was published in February 2023.

In 2023, I was elected as president of the working group of the Superior Health Council in Belgium to compose the best practices with regards of prevention of infections in the operating room.

In 2023, I co organized the WFHSS conference in Brussels. This enabled me to utilize all my skills with the various commercial industrial partners in working together as in a full partnership.

These experiences have equipped me with excellent organizational and communication skills, as well as the ability to work effectively in diverse teams. I am confident that my skills and passion make me a great fit for the function of a board member.

I am particularly drawn to this post because of its innovative approach to addressing issues. Your commitment to leveraging technology for positive change is inspiring, and I believe my technical and practical proficiency and adaptability will enable me to contribute effectively to your various projects. I am practically drawn to work together with our industrial partners to organize training and education sessions to all CSSD key holders with full compliance with regards the sponsoring Medtech rules and regulations.

I am excited about the opportunity to collaborate with like-minded individuals and make a tangible difference for all our colleagues around the globe.

I am confident that my skills, passion, and dedication make me an ideal candidate for this role. I would welcome the opportunity to discuss further, how I can contribute to your organization and make a meaningful impact.

Thank you for considering my application.

Sincerely,

Sigurd Vandendriessche
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