



# Volunteering with WomenVenture

## WOMEN'S BUSINESS CENTER ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBER

WomenVenture is designated as a Women's Business Center by the Small Business Administration. Members of the Women's Business Center Advisory Committee meet four times each year to discuss current events in the Women's Business Center operations and advise on programming and opportunities for development within center offerings.

Women's Business Center Advisory Committee members come from a range of backgrounds, from those who support small business through their corporate positions, to small business owners who are involved in the entrepreneurial committee. We are seeking members with a vested interest in supporting small business to sit on this committee and contribute to the growth and development of services offered by our organization.

In quarterly meetings, committee members advise on programmatic offerings, issues, and developments, utilizing their unique experiences and knowledge of the small business landscape to help expand WomenVenture's ability to reach and support entrepreneurs in the Twin Cities and beyond. Committee members also leverage their connections to small business resources and networks of experts to help grow WomenVenture's community of support, both for the organizational mission and for the clients we serve.

### **Preferred Skills and Experience:**

- Background in small business, either as a business owner or through corporate work with entrepreneurs
- Experience serving on boards or committees for nonprofit organizations
- Vested interest in development and growth of the small business support network

**Time Commitment:** 10-15 hours per fiscal year