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**Request to Attend the SAMPE 2024 Conference and Exhibition**

Dear [insert supervisor name],

I am requesting your approval to attend the [SAMPE 2024 Conference and Exhibition](https://www.sampeamerica.org) taking place May 20 – 23, 2024, at the Long Beach Convention Center, in Long Beach, California.

**Why should I attend SAMPE 2024?**

1. SAMPE 2024 is the *only* technical conference and exhibition exclusively dedicated to advanced materials and processes.
2. This will allow me to directly engage with domestic and international buyers, manufacturers, and suppliers - spanning the Aerospace/Aircraft, Automotive, Marine, Energy, and many other industries, beyond what I can accomplish online.
3. Industry experts will be presenting technology challenges and solutions they have uncovered – what better way to advance my knowledge and move forward in meeting our organization’s project goals than learning solutions firsthand.
4. With over 125 technical presentations offered and the opportunity to meet with over [200 exhibiting](https://bit.ly/sampe23-exhibitor-list) companies, potential solutions *are* possible.

SAMPE provides everyone with a great blend of education, innovations, technology solutions, and networking opportunities. Not only will I learn new things, but I’ll also grow my network and meet with experts that can provide solutions and expertise that I can use throughout my career.

Below is the approximate cost of attending for your review:

Registration: \* $75-$1,350 (Rates increase September 16)

*Attendee passes with exhibit hall access are $75*

Airfare:  $
Hotel: $
Meals: $

**Total: $**

I think you’ll agree that this is a small investment when we consider the value I will bring back. Again, thank you for your consideration and support of my professional development – I look forward to hearing from you!

Best Regards,

[insert your name]