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DEMOCHICKS ADDS DR. JINNY RHEE TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Long Beach, Calif., February 5, 2024 – DemoChicks' Board of Directors today announced the appointment of Dr. Jinny Rhee to the organization's board. Dr. Rhee will serve on the Programs Committee of the Board.

Dr. Rhee is currently Dean of the College of Engineering at California State University, Long Beach (CSULB). Dr. Rhee has many years of experience developing innovative student success and faculty-development programs and forging strong relationships with industry leaders, alumni, and community partners. Previously, Dr. Rhee was Associate Dean of the Charles W. Davidson College of Engineering at San Jose State University. Dr. Rhee received her B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. degrees, all in mechanical engineering, from Stanford University.

Known for developing innovative curricula and advancing diversity and inclusion in engineering and tech, Dr. Rhee brings a wealth of knowledge and insight to the DemoChicks board. Dr. Rhee's research interests include renewable energy, thermal management and student success strategies, particularly for engineering and STEM majors. "We are very fortunate to have Dr. Rhee's outstanding engineering knowledge and experience, along with her shared goals of introducing underrepresented youth to STEM fields and fostering their success," said Robin Thorne, Executive Director of DemoChicks.

About DemoChicks:

DemoChicks is a nonprofit organization dedicated to empowering young girls and women in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM). Through various educational programs, workshops, and field trips, DemoChicks strives to eliminate gender disparities in STEM and foster a more inclusive and equal future for all.

For more information about DemoChicks and their initiatives, visit www.demochicks.org

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