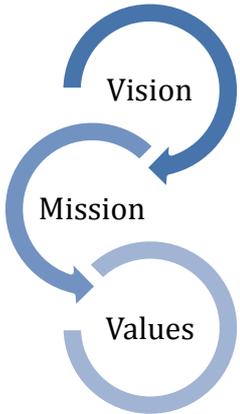




A Strategic Plan – For the 2021 – 2023 Developing World



Vision

To be the **reference point** for the global metal casting industry

Mission

To maintain an **International standard of knowledge and competence** for the cast metals industry offering global organizations the link to champion these goals. To ensure the foundry sector remains a sustainable, high profile industry that is recognized as an essential and strategic industry to global development.

Values



Strategic Goals for 2021-2023

Increase the value received by the Member Associations through greater collaboration and exchange of information between Member Associations and the WFO

The WFO will provide opportunities for Member Associations to engage with each other and with the WFO Secretariat, exchange information, share current challenges, identify needed resources, and recognize opportunities for expanded service.

Support and strengthen Member Associations with key Industry information that is digitally available

The WFO will develop and collect technical, educational, and environmental/health/safety resources that will contribute to the success of their member companies.

Provide opportunities for accessing high level strategic and technical knowledge and networking among Industry stakeholders

The WFO will plan, develop and host high-level events that foster the exchange of needs, trends, interests, and opportunities among the foundry, supplier, academic, and end-user communities within the foundry industry.

Provide guidance and support of Working Groups to achieve successful project outcomes and disseminate the same throughout the Member Associations

The WFO will assist Working Group chairpersons and provide guidance as requested to ensure successful outcomes of their work and to ensure broad dissemination of their work to the benefit of Member Associations.

Promote casting usage globally

The WFO will proactively and consistently promote the advantages of using metal castings, as well as their foundational and essential role in 90% of all manufacturing.

Ensure a sustainable and efficient organization

The WFO will work for consolidating the actual working structure, maintaining a group of committed professionals in the Executive, and guaranteeing a smooth transition period for the succession in the Secretariat.