Shanthi Pichai

Professional Affiliation: The ImagiNation Network, Arbor Software Corporation, SF Bay Area technology startups including Telera (now Genesys Labs' voice platform) and others

Background: Software Development Engineering/ Product Management/ Program/ Engineering Management and Citizen Scientist; Seed Investor; Entrepreneur.

Joined the Board: 2022

Board positions: *Current:* Sponsored Awards Chair; Science Fair Judge

What attracted you to serve on the board? I have mentored and later supported my child's audacious (outside of school) computational research projects over the years. I have served as a Science Fair Judge at my child's school science fairs, Synopsys Science & Technology Championships, and California Science & Engineering Fairs. As an engineer, parent, science advocate, research projects' mentor & supporter of STEM activities, and an advocate for especially encouraging the young to come out of the comfort zone to participate in classes I have led and taught, I believe I can continue to make greater impact serving on the SCVSEFA Board.