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Dear 2019 Leaders in Packaging Participant:

Enclosed you will find a certificate to recognize your company as a participant in *Packaging World's* 2019 Leaders in Packaging (LIP) program. This is our 10th year of formally recognizing the many innovative companies that supply packaging machinery, materials and services for successful packaging operations and initiatives. We sincerely thank you for being part of the LIP "class" of 2019.

To recap the value this program offers, your company receives year-round exposure, including:

- Free one-page profile in January LIP section and special index
- Year-round online listing from the LIP section on our homepage at [www.packworld.com](http://www.packworld.com) with a drop-down menu by product category (your company receives up to three category listings)
- Inclusion in our online index at [www.packworld.com/leaders](http://www.packworld.com/leaders)
- Your product YouTube videos will automatically appear with your online profile and throughout our site

Most importantly, our Leaders in Packaging program also helps build tomorrow's leaders through the "Future Leaders in Packaging" scholarship from *Packaging World* and the PMMI Foundation. This scholarship is for students pursuing degrees that will prepare them for a career in packaging. To date, scholarships have been awarded to students at Clemson University, Missouri University of Science and Technology, Virginia Tech, Michigan State, Cal Poly, Rutgers University and Rochester Institute of Technology.

For 2019, we are pleased to announce the recipient is San Jose State University Department of Nutrition, Food Science and Packaging (<http://www.sjsu.edu/nufspkg/about-us/index.html>). The San Jose State packaging program is internationally recognized as a leader in training professionals in the field of packaging and participates in PMMI's PACK EXPO Amazing Packaging Race.

For more information about the scholarship, please contact [leaders@packworld.com](mailto:leaders@packworld.com) or visit [www.packworld.com/leaders](http://www.packworld.com/leaders). To be successful, it is imperative all of us help develop our future packaging leaders, so we encourage you to get involved in your local packaging school or program, whether two-year or four-year programs. Together, we can help create more leaders in packaging!

We appreciate the many suppliers who share our vision and thank you again for your participation in *Packaging World's* 2019 Leaders in Packaging program.

Sincerely,

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