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Tricia serves as Director, Certification Operations for the Safety Equipment Institute (SEI), an affiliate of ASTM International. SEI has served, for over 35 years, as one of the world’s leading independent third-party certification program providers. Using the most recognized, comprehensive safety standards in the world, SEI administers third-party certification programs for public safety.

In her role, Tricia works with SEI staff and ASTM to provide leadership and direction for the planning, development, and implementation of existing and new SEI certification programs. SEI currently hosts certification programs in the areas of fire and emergency services, sports and athletics, law enforcement, and industrial and occupational personal protective equipment. As an affiliate of ASTM, SEI is broadening their portfolio of certification programs into the cannabis, exotechnologies, and additive manufacturing industries.

In addition to her responsibilities at SEI, Tricia is also a member of several ASTM and National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) technical committees. She serves as the chair of the Emergency Medical Services Protective Clothing and Equipment Technical Committee Chair.

Tricia has over 20 years’ experience working in the personal protective equipment industry, specifically in product conformance. She holds a Master of Science degree in Textile Science and a Bachelor of Science degree in Merchandising, Apparel, and Textiles from the University of Kentucky.