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## TEMPO Milwaukee to Host 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Leadership Event on Oct. 22

Shaifali Puri will headline "Leadership Without Borders: Adapting for Success"

MILWAUKEE—(October 13, 2015)—<u>TEMPO Milwaukee</u>, a professional women's membership organization, will host its 10<sup>th</sup> annual leadership event on Thursday, October 22 at the Pfister Hotel in downtown Milwaukee. Shaifali Puri, the Former Executive Director of Global Innovation at NIKE Foundation, will headline the event.

"Through forums such as the Leadership Event, TEMPO Milwaukee members and the community are given access to knowledge and experiences that benefit their organizations, industries, communities and themselves," said Jennifer Dirks, President & CEO of TEMPO Milwaukee. "We are thrilled to unite the community around TEMPO Milwaukee's mission to further the impact of women leaders locally and globally."

## **Event information:**

Leadership Without Borders: Adapting for Success October 22, 2015 | 7 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

Pfister Hotel | 424 E. Wisconsin Ave.; Milwaukee Individual Tickets | \$75

Tables | \$950

In 1995, TEMPO Milwaukee established the annual Leadership Event to celebrate and nurture the impact of women in leadership roles. In this tenth year of the event, TEMPO Milwaukee welcomes Shaifali Puri as keynote speaker. Puri is currently a Visiting Scholar at the Arthur Carter Institute at New York University, previously served as the Executive Director of Scientists Without Borders, and most recently as the Executive Director of Global Innovation at NIKE Foundation.

"It's an important year for TEMPO Milwaukee – not only because it marks one decade of this event, but because it also coincides with the organization's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary," said Dirks. "I look forward to celebrating these milestones next week in the company of our membership and colleagues."

The event is made possible with support from lead sponsor Potawatomi Hotel & Casino. Purchase tickets or learn more about TEMPO Milwaukee at <a href="https://www.tempomilwaukee.org">www.tempomilwaukee.org</a>.

## **About TEMPO Milwaukee**

TEMPO Milwaukee's membership is comprised of approximately 300 women who hold CEO, executive and leadership positions throughout the Milwaukee area. Its mission is to further the impact of women leaders in our community by providing members with the opportunity to network with leaders and future leaders to enhance their awareness of issues and trends having an impact on Milwaukee and the business community. TEMPO Milwaukee serves its diverse membership and community through educational programming, networking opportunities, relationship building, and mentoring, with the goal of empowering women to achieve and sustain leadership roles.