What's Happening in CoSE

Applications Wanted for Associate Dean

After serving ISU as a Professor, Chair, and Associate Dean for 33 years, Professor Bob Fisher will be retiring at the end of the academic year.

The College of Science and Engineering is conducting an internal search to fill the Associate Dean position. Dean Scott Snyder welcomes all nominations and applications to form a diverse candidate pool.

Once applications are received, the College Executive Committee and the Council of Chairs will review applications, conduct interviews, and provide input to Dean Snyder concerning the next Associate Dean.

For more information, please see the announcement at bit.ly/35kkrDg.

If you would like to apply, please submit a current CV and letter of interest to April Robinson (aprilrobinson@isu.edu) by February 28, 2022.

If you have questions about the position, please contact Dean Snyder directly.

Applications Accepted Until Mar. 18 for CAES Collaboration Funds

The Center for Advanced Energy Studies is accepting applications for CAES Collaboration Program Development Funds until March 18. In its fifth year, the CAES Collaboration Fund is designed to help establish collaborative research, innovation, and educational relationships between INL researchers and the CAES universities - Boise State, Idaho State University and University of Idaho. Successful applicants will demonstrate how their proposal would enhance collaborative relationships among the CAES entities in at least one of the focus areas outlined in the CAES Strategy: nuclear energy; energy-water nexus; cybersecurity; advanced manufacturing; innovative energy systems; energy policy; and computing, data, and visualization.

Funds for INL Fiscal Year 2022 will be granted to strategic and innovative proposals through an open application process after an internal CAES review for strategic alignment and best return on investment. CAES Collaboration Funds cannot be co-mingled with direct-funded INL programs or Lab Directed Research and Development funds.

The application should be completed by an INL employee and submitted via email to CAES Business Operations Lead Amy Woodard at amy.woodard@inl.gov. The deadline to apply is 5 p.m. MT on March 18.

More information, including an application, PowerPoint presentation and proposal guidelines, is available on the CAES website.

Please contact Amy Woodard via email or at (208) 690-0595 with questions.
Development projects, and they may not be used to collect data or perform R&D activities. In previous years, the typical award has ranged from approximately $20K - $40K.

All College Meeting Scheduled for Mar. 16

Dean Scott Snyder invites you to attend an All-College Meeting on March 16 that will focus on the CoSE budget. To provide some context Jennifer Steele, Senior Associate Vice President/Chief Fiscal Officer, will speak briefly about the University budget and Donna Lybecker, Acting Vice President for Research, will discuss proposed changes to the University F&A (indirects) distribution model. Dean Snyder and Fred Parrish, CoSE Unit Business Officer, will then give a retrospective on the College budget to provide an understanding of past investments and talk about next year’s budget.

The meeting will be held via Zoom Thursday, March 16 from 2 - 3:30 p.m.

Help Us Share Your Accomplishments!

Our College’s outstanding faculty, staff, and students achieve many notable research and professional accomplishments. In addition, our departments regularly have newsworthy advancements. We want to make sure those stories are shared publicly. Here are a few ways you can provide a news tip to help get the word out:

Use this Story Submission Form to send your news tip to the Office of Marketing and Communications.

Send an email to Logan McDougall (loganmcdougall@isu.edu) with a brief description of the news to be shared.

You are always welcome to create a draft story, submit it via the Story Submission Form, or send it to Logan. The Office of Marketing and Communications and Logan will coordinate to get the story finalized and distributed to the media outlets/platforms that best tell the story.

From Around ISU

OER/Low Cost Proposals Due Mar. 1

The Office of Academic Affairs and ISU’s Open Educational Resource (OER) Committee is looking to support faculty who would like to seek out and adopt Open Educational Resources

Performance Appraisal of Deans

Each year the Provost conducts a performance appraisal (annual evaluation) of academic deans.

Only aggregate data will be shared with the Dean being

PIE Faculty Panel: Trauma and Teaching

All are invited to the next Program For Institutional Effectiveness faculty panel on Friday, March 4, from 10-11:30 a.m. (MT) for “Trauma and Teaching.” In this panel, Laura Ahola-Young (Art) and
Volunteers Needed for Spring Commencement

Commencement will be held on Saturday, May 7, in Holt Arena at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. As always, the success of commencement will be dependent upon our dedicated team of staff volunteers.

2022 Employee Appreciation Week - Call for Proposals

The Office of Human Resources is inviting Idaho State University faculty and staff interested to share a professional or personal development topic during the annual Employee Appreciation Week, March 28 through April 1.

Six Alumni Inducted into Sports Hall of Fame

In recognition of their professional achievements, support of the University, and efforts to advance varsity sports, Idaho State inducted six alumni into the Sports Hall of Fame at a moving ceremony last Saturday. The six inductees shared what it means to be part of the Bengal community and how the campus community bettered their lives.

Dates to Remember

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Upcoming Events in the College of Science and Engineering

For a complete list of CoSE events, check out the College Event Calendar and click an event to get more details. Updates can also be found on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Instagram. To add events to the calendar, please contact the Administrative Assistants in your department. The university-wide calendar of events is available here.
### Feb. 27 - Mar. 5

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| Physics            | Colloquium: Dr. Rob Goldston, Princeton University  
“The New Nuclear Arms Race, Its Dangers, and How to Turn it Around” | Details |
|                    | Mon, February 28  
4 pm - 5 pm  
Zoom link: TBD | |

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| Geosciences        | Colloquium: Lindsey Sutherland, Brad Baxter  
Wed, March 2  
4 pm – 5 pm  
PS 108 | Details |
|                    | Zoom link:  
isu.zoom.us/j/83794277124?pwd=QVVFMVByU1k1M3VsMEZTZy9NYjZmdz09 | |

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|                    | Contact Dr. Amir Ali for Zoom access | |

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| Physics            | Colloquium: Dr. Stuart Field, Colorado State University  
Topic TBD | Details |
|                    | Mon, Mar 7  
4 pm - 5 pm | |

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| Geosciences        | Colloquium: Shanon Brailsford, Rebecca Goughnour  
Wed, March 9  
4 pm – 5 pm  
PS 108 | Details |
Department/Program
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Wed, March 9
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BA 304 and TAB 286
Zoom link:
TBD
Contact Dr. Amir Ali for Zoom access

Department/Program
Biology
Event
Learning & Teaching Lunch Seminar:
Josh Grinath & Gabby Jablonski
Details
Fri, Mar 11
12 pm - 1 pm
Plant Science 117

Mar. 13 - Mar. 19

Department/Program
Physics
Event
Colloquium:
Dr. Andreas Vasdekis
University of Idaho
Topic TBD
Details
Mon, Mar 14
4 pm - 5 pm
Zoom link:
TBD

Department/Program
Geosciences
Event
Colloquium:
No colloquium - GSA Vegas
Details
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