

## What's Happening in CoSE

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This week, Dean Scott Snyder and Mustafa Mashal, associate professor of civil engineering, met with a fantastic group of alumni in Kuwait City.

These Bengals are emerging engineers and business leaders in Kuwait.

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### Kudos, Stephanie Harris and Amy Avila!

Stephanie and Amy were both nominees for a Be a Bengal Award in February for embodying stability.

Each month, **employees are nominated by their colleagues for their dedication to one of ISU's guiding principles** - trust, compassion, stability, and hope.

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Zach Tudor, Idaho National Laboratory Associate Director for National Security Programs and CoSE Dean's Advisory Board member, was the featured speaker at The City Club of Idaho Falls' March meeting.

You can give his talk, "Protecting the Nation from Cyber Threats: A Look at INL's World Leading Capabilities, a

listen via **KISU** or **Spotify**.



## Donuts with the Dean Planned for April 7 and 13

Faculty and staff are invited to join Dean Snyder for donuts and conversation Friday, April 7, from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in Room 233 of the Lillibridge Engineering Laboratory.

Dean Snyder will hold a second "Donuts with the Dean" in Idaho Falls Thursday, April 13, from 1 to 2:30 p.m., in the Multipurpose Room of the Bennion Student Union Building in Idaho Falls.

No RSVP is required.

## All College Budget Meeting Slated for April 7

Dean Scott Snyder invites all faculty and staff to the All College Budget Meeting on Friday, April 7, at 2 p.m. in Plant Sciences 114. Dean Snyder and Fred Parrish, CoSE Unit Business Officer, will give a retrospective on the College budget to provide an understanding of investments over the last fiscal year and talk about the budget for the next.

## From Around ISU

### Employee Appreciation Week April 3 - 7

Idaho State University is proud of our faculty and staff who assist, teach, and support our students, visitors, colleagues and community!

### Staff Council Elections are Now Open

Staff Council elections are open now through Friday, April 7. **Visit the Staff Council website to learn more about the candidates.** All voting will take place on the BengalWeb

### Academic Affairs Budget Town Hall Set April 10

Adam Bradford, Acting Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs, invites you to an Academic Affairs' Budget Town Hall open forum

To thank our amazing faculty and staff for their efforts as we celebrate Employee Appreciation Week at all campus locations! **This celebration week includes a variety of activities and events focused around fun, honoring one another, and professional development opportunities for all.**

homepage. Please login to bengalweb and cast your vote.

For questions, contact staff@isu.edu

on April 10, from 2:30 -3:30 p.m.

**This open forum will provide details and the opportunity to ask questions about the FY24 Academic Affairs' Budget.**

### Idaho State University Health Fair Returns

The 2023 Idaho State University Health Fair will once again be **offering numerous free and reduced-cost health care services, health information booths and family-friendly activities for the entire community.**

The event will take place on April 4 from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the ISU Pond Student Union Building Ballroom in Pocatello.

### ISU Reports Fourth Straight Semester of Enrollment Increases in Spring 2023

Following a continuing positive trend, Idaho State University is again celebrating a spring enrollment increase. **The University is reporting an overall spring enrollment of 10,601 students, an increase of 3.1 percent over Spring 2022.** Total undergraduate enrollment increased by 4.2 percent, or 338 students.

### ISU Teaching and Learning Symposium Set for April 6

The ISU Program for Instructional Effectiveness and the College of Education will be hosting the inaugural ISU Teaching and Learning Symposium on Thursday, April 6. **ISU faculty, staff, and graduate assistants are invited to attend and learn more about high-impact practices of teaching.** Dr. James Lang, bestselling education author and writing expert, will provide a keynote presentation to kick off the symposium starting at noon in the Pond Student Union Wood River Room. Lunch will be provided to the first 100 attendees who RSVP.

## Dates to Remember

April 24	Late 8-week and full semester course grading opens
May 1	Final Examinations (May 1 - May 5)
May 5	Spring classes end
May 6	Commencement (May & August 2023 graduates)
May 9	Late 8-week and full semester course grading closes at 5:00 pm
May 15	Classes begin for Early-4, Early-6, Early-8 and Full term

May 29	Early-4 final grading opens
May 29	Memorial Day holiday (no classes)

## 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](#).

<p><b>Department/Program</b></p> <p>Physics</p> <p><b>Event</b></p> <p>Colloquium: Studies of the Inter- and Intra-molecular Interactions in Ionic Liquids with Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy</p> <p>Rene Rodriguez Associate Dean and Chemistry Professor Idaho State University</p> <p><b>Details</b></p> <p>Mon, Apr 3 4 - 5 p.m.</p> <p><a href="https://isu.zoom.us/j/86164225916">https://isu.zoom.us/j/86164225916</a></p>
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<p><b>Department/Program</b></p> <p>Geosciences</p> <p><b>Event</b></p> <p>Colloquium: Title TBD</p> <p>Ryan Porter Northern Arizona University</p> <p><b>Details</b></p> <p>Wed, Apr 5 4 - 5 p.m.</p> <p>PS 108</p> <p><a href="https://isu.zoom.us/j/81297633983?pwd=L3lWXXVDVjE0emJaTk8zem5kZkc0Zz09">https://isu.zoom.us/j/81297633983?pwd=L3lWXXVDVjE0emJaTk8zem5kZkc0Zz09</a></p>
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<p><b>Department/Program</b></p> <p>Nuclear Engineering</p> <p><b>Event</b></p> <p>Nuclear Science Seminar</p> <p><b>Details</b></p> <p>Wed, Apr 5 4 - 5 p.m.</p> <p>Meets simultaneously: Pocatello (LIBR 32) Idaho Falls (CHE 314)</p>
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**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

Biology Social

**Details**

Thu, Apr 6  
3:30 - 4 p.m.

Gale Life Sciences Building lobby

**Department/Program**

ALL

**Event**

Donuts with the Dean

Dean Scott Snyder

**Details**

Fri, Apr 7  
9:30 - 11 a.m.

Lillibridge Engineering Laboratory  
Room 233

**Department/Program**

ALL

**Event**

All College Budget Meeting

**Details**

Fri, Apr 7  
2 p.m.

Plant Sciences 114

**Department/Program**

Physics

**Event**

Colloquium: Neutron Stars: The Most  
Bizarre Laboratory for Nuclear Physics

Francesca Sammarruca  
University of Idaho

**Details**

Mon, Apr 10  
4 - 5 p.m.

<https://isu.zoom.us/j/82580592351>

**Department/Program**

Geosciences

**Event**

Colloquium: Title TBD

Jay Thomas  
Distinguished Lecturer  
Mineralogical Society of America

**Details**

Wed, Apr 12  
4 - 5 p.m.

PS 108

**Department/Program**

Nuclear Engineering

**Event**

Nuclear Science Seminar

**Details**

Wed, Apr 12  
4 - 5 p.m.

Meets simultaneously:  
Pocatello (LIBR 32)  
Idaho Falls (CHE 314)

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**Department/Program**

ALL

**Event**

Donuts with the Dean - Idaho Falls

Dean Scott Snyder

**Details**

Thu, Apr 13  
1 - 2:30 p.m.

Bennion Student Union Building  
Multi-purpose Room

**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

Biology Social

**Details**

Thu, Apr 13  
3:30 - 4 p.m.

Gale Life Sciences Building lobby

**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

Seminar: Title TBD

Wyatt Cross  
Professor of Ecology  
Montana State University

**Details**

Thu, Apr 13  
4 - 5 p.m.

LC 10

**Department/Program**

Mathematics and Statistics

**Event**

Colloquium: Who are the People in  
Your (Numerical Range)  
Neighborhood?

Kristin Camenga  
Associate Professor  
Juliata College

**Details**

Fri, Apr 14  
Noon - 1 p.m.

PS 307

<https://isu.zoom.us/j/81620030266>

**Department/Program**

Nuclear Engineering

**Event**

Nuclear Science Seminar

**Details**

Wed, Apr 19  
4 - 5 p.m.

Meets simultaneously:  
Pocatello (LIBR 32)  
Idaho Falls (CHE 314)

**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

Biology Social

**Details**

Thu, Apr 20  
3:30 - 4 p.m.

Gale Life Sciences Building lobby

**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

Seminar: Title TBD

Yoshiko Fujita  
Senior Scientist  
Idaho National Laboratory

**Details**

Thu, Apr 20  
4 - 5 p.m.

LC 10

**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

This is Biology: Research Roundup

**Details**

Fri, Apr 21  
3 - 5 p.m.

Gale Life Sciences Building lobby

**Department/Program**

Geosciences

**Event**

Colloquium: Seminar Trip Review

**Details**

Wed, Apr 26  
4 - 5 p.m.

PS 108

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kc0Zz09](https://isu.zoom.us/j/81297633983?pwd=L3lwWXVDVjE0emJaTk8zem5kZkc0Zz09)

**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

Biology Social

**Details**

Thu, Apr 27  
3:30 - 4 p.m.

Gale Life Sciences Building lobby

**Department/Program**

Biological Sciences

**Event**

Seminar

Brian Sidlauskas

**Details**

Thu, Apr 27  
4 - 5 p.m.

**Department/Program**

Chemistry

**Event**

Chemistry Graduate Dinner

**Details**Fri, Apr 28  
6 - 8 p.m.

TBD

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