

## What's Happening in CoSE

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### Civil Engineering Student Lands American Concrete Institute Foundation Fellowship

Recently, Katie Hogarth, a doctoral student studying civil engineering from McKinney, Texas, was named the winner of the Charles Pankow Student Fellowship by the American Concrete Institute (ACI) Foundation. For earning the fellowship, Hogarth will receive a \$10,000 educational stipend, paid travel and attendance expenses for ACI's two upcoming conventions in Boston and New Orleans, recognition in ACI's "Concrete International" magazine and on the ACI Foundation website, and more.

Last week, faculty, staff, and students from the geosciences department took roughly 100 students from Chief Tahgee Elementary Academy on field trips to Hooper Springs Park in Soda Springs.

While there, the students had hands-on lessons in water testing, mineral identification, how springs and geysers work, and more. They also learned about the cultural and historical significance of the area and seasonal rounds of the Shoshone and Bannock peoples from Nolan Brown with the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes' Language and Cultural Preservation Department.



The geosciences department has been capturing some of their field trips to Yellowstone National Park, Grand Teton National Park, around the Snake River Plain, and beyond in 360° video.

Have a look at [youtu.be/I5HpKFKljBQ](https://youtu.be/I5HpKFKljBQ).

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# University Committee Election Results

The election results are in, and the following faculty have been selected to serve three-year terms on the committees listed below.

University Grad Council - Amir Ali

University Honors Program - Brandon Peecook and Kinta Serve

Open Resource Committee - Todd Morris

University Library Committee - Kurt Sundell and Josh Grinath

## Field Research Photo/Video Opportunities Wanted

John and Jordon in Photo and Video Services are looking for opportunities to shoot photos/videos of faculty and students out in the field this summer conducting their research.

If you or your students are out in the field over the summer months, please add it to [the Google Sheet](#). Including an item on the spreadsheet does not guarantee that photos or videos will be shot. John and Jordon will attend as their schedule allows.

If you have any questions, email Logan McDougall, Executive Director of College Relations, at [loganmcdougall@isu.edu](mailto:loganmcdougall@isu.edu).



## CoSE Camping Trip Aug. 25 - 27

You are invited to join us for a camping trip at Grand Teton National Park from Friday, August 25 to Sunday, August 27. The weekend will be a great opportunity to relax and enjoy the outdoors with your colleagues and families.

The trip is open to all CoSE faculty and staff, as well as their families. We will be staying at Colter Bay Group Camping Sites 4 and 5, which can accommodate up to 70 people and 23 cars. You will be responsible for providing your own food and other camping gear.

Please RSVP by August 1 via the [Google Form](#). Space is limited, so RSVP early. Please check out [Grand Teton National Park website](#) for more information.

## From Around ISU

**University Names New VP for Student Affairs**

After a national search,

**ISU Leadership Development Program - Early Registration**

**Idaho State University Programs Help Alleviate Burden of Tuition Increases**

### **Craig Chartrand has been appointed Vice President for Student Affairs.**

Craig has been serving as interim Vice President for Student Affairs since April of 2022. He joined Idaho State University in March of 2020 as the Assistant Vice President and Dean of Students. Craig's student-centric approach and focus on student success and retention has helped the University continue to increase enrollment and to foster a supportive learning environment for students.

### **Bengal Management Essentials - New Campus Program**

The Office of Human Resources is announcing the launch of a new training program, Bengal Management Essentials. This program is for current and future faculty and staff supervisors. The goal is to provide management training for emerging and existing managers at Idaho State University.

**Participants will learn tactical aspects of management and supervision. ISU subject matter experts will host this new program.**

After a successful pilot in 2022, we are opening registration for current and future faculty and staff supervisors to register for our fall session offered virtually through Zoom. The program will begin on August 24, 10 a.m.- noon, and will continue on Thursdays throughout the fall. A celebratory graduation reception will be held on December 7.

Are you interested in learning more about leadership? The 2023 ISU Leadership Development Program will begin on Wednesday, Aug. 23, from 1 - 3 pm. **This program provides professional development for emerging and current leaders.** This year we will have a hybrid program hosted in-person in Idaho Falls, Twin Falls, Meridian and Pocatello, but we will also have a Zoom option for those working remotely, home sick or are traveling.

### **Staff Council Announces New Members**

Idaho State University Staff Council is excited to announce the incoming Staff Council members for 2023.

**[Click here for a list of incoming and outgoing Staff Council members.](#)**

ISU Staff Council members serve a three-year term.

Although Idaho's universities will be raising tuition for the first time in four years, Idaho State University is using several programs and initiatives to help keep higher education affordable and accessible to Idaho students.

After holding tuition flat for three consecutive academic years, the Idaho State Board of Education approved increases in tuition and fees for the 2023/2024 academic year for each of the Idaho universities, including a 5 percent increase (approximately \$400 per year) at Idaho State. **Overall, Idaho currently has the 6th lowest in-state tuition in the country.**

### **Dr. Henry Evans to Take Position at Washington State University**

All are invited to wish Dr. Henry Evans a fond farewell at a reception June 23, from 2-4 p.m. at the Bengal Cafe in the Pond Student Union.

**Evans, associate director in the Office of Equity and Inclusion, Diversity Resource Center,** will leave Idaho State University June 23 for a position at Washington State University as the College of Arts and Sciences Associate Dean for Equity and Outreach.

Evans has been a valued member of the Equity and Inclusion staff for 11 years, and his service to our Bengal community cannot be overstated. He has led ISU's Martin Luther King, Jr., celebration for many years and is widely known and sought out for his experience and expertise.

## Dates to Remember

May 29	Early-4 final grading opens
May 29	Memorial Day holiday (no classes)
June 12	Early-6 final grading opens
June 12	Middle-4 and Late-8 courses start
June 13	Early-4 final grading closes at 4:00 pm
June 19	Juneteenth Day (Observed Monday – no classes)
June 26	Early-8 and Middle-4 final grading opens
June 26	Late-6 courses start
June 28	Early-6 final grading closes at 4:00 pm

## Upcoming Events in the College of Science and Engineering

For a complete list of CoSE events, check out the [College Event Calendar](#). 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>Department/Program</p> <p>Chemistry</p> <p>Event</p> <p>Summer Research BBQ</p> <p>Details</p> <p>Wed, Jun 7 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.</p>
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**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](mailto: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.



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