



## What's Happening in CoSE

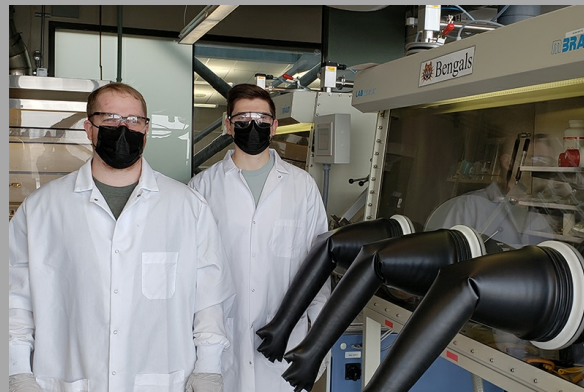
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### Cameron Brooks Named Senior Director of Development for CoSE

Cameron "Cam" Brooks brings over 15 years of fundraising experience into the role. Before joining ISU, he was the Advancement Vice President for Southern Virginia University, where he oversaw the Advancement office.

[Read more](#)



### ISU Students Leading the Way in Molten Sodium Research for Advanced Nuclear Reactors

When developing advanced designs for nuclear reactors, maximizing the transfer of heat provided by nuclear fuel is the name of the game. It's this transfer of heat that leads to generating electricity, and efficiency is a key element. Now, two Idaho State University students are leading the research charge into how molten metal can get the most out of every ounce of fuel.

[Read more](#)

### Open House to be Held for Jennilee Overocker

After more than 10 years working in the College of Science and Engineering, Jennilee Overocker will be



moving on. An open house will be held in her honor Wednesday, February 16, from 10 a.m. to noon in the Dean's Suite in Colonial Hall. Thank you, Jennilee, for all your hard work over the years!

## 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 and 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

### Black History Month Events

The ISU Diversity Resource Center is pleased to partner with our ISU colleagues and community partners to provide this year's programming [in celebration of Black History Month](#).

### Science Trek is back at the Idaho Museum of Natural History

The Idaho Museum of Natural History on the Idaho State University campus is excited to bring back [Science Trek](#) to the community.

### Staff Council Sponsors Free Luncheon

Staff Council is hosting a free lunch for Idaho State University classified and non-classified staff on Friday, February 18, 2022. Learn more [here](#).

### 2022 ISU Health Fair Set March 10

The 2022 ISU Health Fair is March 10 from 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. in the Pond Student Union Ballroom.

The event showcases ISU's

### Please Check the Years of Service List

As we near Employee Appreciation Week, ISU will be recognizing full-time classified and non-classified staff for their dedication to the University. Please [check the Years of Service list](#) to make sure you are being recognized in the correct year.

### ISU Research Office awards more than \$78,000 through Small Grant Program

Idaho State University's Office for Research recently awarded more than \$78,000 to researchers across

Science Trek 31 gives 3rd-5th graders the opportunity to get involved with the ISU community and see how Bengal scientists work in their worlds.

Kasiska Division of Health Sciences clinics and degree programs, as well as community health partners.

For more information about the 2022 Idaho State University Health Fair, please contact the Health Fair Planning Committee at [healthfair@isu.edu](mailto:healthfair@isu.edu) or visit [isu.edu/healthfair](http://isu.edu/healthfair).

campus through the University's Internal Small Grant (ISG) program. **Thirteen proposals were selected** to receive an award of up to \$5,000 for proposed research and creative activity projects. Five of the proposals chosen were from CoSE faculty.

## Dates to Remember

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|---------|---|
| Feb. 21 | Presidents' Day holiday (no classes)        |
| Feb. 22 | Early 8-week course grading opens           |
| Feb. 28 | Mid-term week                               |
| Mar. 7  | Late 8-week courses begin                   |
| Mar. 8  | Early 8-wk course grading closes at 5:00 pm |
| Mar. 21 | Spring Break (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](#).

### Feb. 13 - 19

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| <b>Department/Program</b>   |
| Physics   |
| <b>Event</b>  |
| Colloquium:<br>Dr. Ruprecht Machleidt<br>University of Idaho<br>The Dream of the German Atomic Bomb |
| <b>Details</b>  |
| Mon, February 14<br>4 pm - 5 pm   |

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| <b>Department/Program</b>                       |
| Geosciences                                     |
| <b>Event</b>                                    |
| Colloquium:<br>Thane Kindred<br>Ashley Ferguson |
| <b>Details</b>                                  |
| Wed, February 16<br>4 pm – 5 pm<br>PS 108       |
| Zoom:   |

Zoom link:

<https://isu.zoom.us/j/83074889524>

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**Department/Program**

Nuclear Engineering

**Event**

Weekly Seminar Series  
Dan Vetter  
Idaho National Laboratory and CoSE Alumni  
"ASME Codes & Standards"

**Details**

Wed, February 16  
4 pm - 5 pm  
BA 304 and TAB 286

Zoom link:

Contact [Dr. Amir Ali](#) for Zoom access

**Feb. 20 - 26**

**Department/Program**

Geosciences

**Event**

No colloquium, Seminar Trip

**Details**

N/A

**Department/Program**

Nuclear Engineering

**Event**

Weekly Seminar Series

**Details**

Wed, February 23  
4 pm - 5 pm  
BA 304 and TAB 286

Zoom link:

Contact [Dr. Amir Ali](#) for Zoom access

**Feb. 27 - Mar. 5**

**Department/Program**

Physics

**Event**

Colloquium:  
Dr. Rob Goldstone  
Princeton University  
"The New Nuclear Arms Race, Its  
Dangers, and How to Turn it Around"

**Department/Program**

Geosciences

**Event**

Colloquium:  
Lindsey Sutherland  
Brad Baxter

**Details**

**Details**

Mon, February 28  
4 pm - 5 pm

Zoom link:

TBD

Wed, March 2  
4 pm – 5 pm  
PS 108

Zoom link:

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**Department/Program**

Nuclear Engineering

**Event**

Weekly Seminar Series

**Details**

Wed, March 2  
4 pm - 5 pm  
BA 304 and TAB 286

Zoom link:

Contact [Dr. Amir Ali](#) for Zoom access

**Mar. 6 - Mar. 12**

**Department/Program**

Physics

**Event**

Colloquium:  
Dr. Stuart Field  
Colorado State University  
Topic TBD

**Details**

Mon, Mar 7  
4 pm - 5 pm

Zoom link:

TBD

**Department/Program**

Geosciences

**Event**

Colloquium:  
Shanon Brailsford  
Rebecca Goughnour

**Details**

Wed, March 9  
4 pm – 5 pm  
PS 108

Zoom link:

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**Department/Program**

Nuclear Engineering

**Event**

Weekly Seminar Series

**Details**

Wed, March 9  
4 pm - 5 pm  
BA 304 and TAB 286

Zoom link:

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

**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**

N/A

**Department/Program**

CoSE Dean

**Event**

All College Meeting

**Details**

Wed, Mar 16  
2 - 3:30 p.m.

Zoom link:

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