



CoSE in the News

[Idaho State University Biologist Awarded \\$1.5 Million National Institutes of Health Grant to Fight Malaria](#)

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.

1. Use this [Story Submission Form](#) to send your news tip to the Office of Marketing and Communications.
2. Send an email to Logan McDougall (loganmcdougall@isu.edu) with a brief description of the news to be shared.
3. 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.

Open Educational Resource/Low-Cost Proposals Wanted

The Idaho State University community is interested in the affordability and accessibility of course materials for our students, especially our first-generation students in Southeast Idaho. Accordingly, 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 or very low-cost alternatives](#).

Reporting Significant Financial Conflict of Interest When Applying for Grants

To meet federal funding requirements, ISU requires every person who applies for external funds to disclose any significant financial conflicts of interest they might have with the funder to which they are applying at the time of application. More info at [isu.edu/news/2022-spring/reporting-significant-financial-conflict-of-interest-when-applying-for-grants.html](https://www.isu.edu/news/2022-spring/reporting-significant-financial-conflict-of-interest-when-applying-for-grants.html).

Abstracts Now Accepted for Undergraduate Research Symposium

Abstracts are being accepted from all disciplines for the 2022 Undergraduate Research Symposium. The symposium is scheduled for April 14 from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Wood River Rooms of the Pond Student Union. More at <https://www.isu.edu/news/2022-spring/abstracts-now-accepted-for-undergraduate-research-symposium.html>.

Nominations Sought 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 <https://bit.ly/35kkrDg>.

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

Nominations Needed for 2022 Homecoming Awards

Nominations for the 2022 Homecoming Awards are open and can be submitted online on the official [Homecoming Awards nominations form](#). Nominations can be submitted by anyone and are due to the Office of Alumni Relations no later than April 1, 2022.

Award nominations include the Distinguished Alumna/us, ISU Achievement, ISU Distinguished Service, William J. Bartz, President's Medallion, Homecoming Parade Marshal(s), and the Young Alumni. Nominee qualifications can be found at isu.edu/alumni.

Homecoming 2022 is set for Saturday, October 15.

Walk-In Appointments Available for Faculty and Staff Headshots

The Idaho State University Office of Marketing and Communications has scheduled four walk-in studio times this semester on the Pocatello campus to provide headshot photography for ISU employees. Faculty and staff in need of a new or updated headshot are welcome to attend one of the scheduled times. No appointment is necessary, and it will only take about three minutes to snap the photo. Details at isu.edu/news/2022-spring/walk-in-appointments-available-for-faculty-and-staff-headshots.html.

Dates to Remember	
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-week 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. 6-Feb.12 2022

Department/Program	Event	Details
Physics	Colloquium: Dr. Richard Sandberg Brigham Young University "Revolutionary X-ray Vision Probing Damage and Failure at the Nanoscale"	Mon February 7 4 pm - 5 pm Zoom link: https://isu.zoom.us/j/89132363913
Geosciences	Colloquium: Mike Taylor University of Kansas	Wed, February 9 4 pm – 5 pm PS 108 Zoom: https://isu.zoom.us/j/83794277124?pwd=QVVFMBYU1k1M3VsMEZTZy9NYjZmdz09

Feb. 13-Feb.19 2022

Department/Program	Event	Details
Physics	Colloquium: Dr. Ruprecht Machleidt University of Idaho The Dream of the German Atomic Bomb	Mon, February 14 4 pm - 5 pm Zoom link: TBD
Geosciences	Colloquium: Thane Kindred Ashley Ferguson	Wed, February 16 4 pm – 5 pm PS 108 Zoom: https://isu.zoom.us/j/83794277124?pwd=QVVFMBYU1k1M3VsMEZTZy9NYjZmdz09

Feb. 20-Feb.26 2022

Department/Program	Event	Details
Geosciences	No colloquium, Seminar Trip	

Feb. 27-Mar. 5 2022		
Department/Program	Event	Details
Physics	Colloquium: Dr. Rob Goldstone Princeton University "The New Nuclear Arms Race, Its Dangers, and How to Turn it Around"	Mon, February 28 4 pm - 5 pm Zoom link: TBD
Geosciences	Colloquium: Lindsey Sutherland Brad Baxter	Wed, March 2 4 pm – 5 pm PS 108 Zoom link: https://isu.zoom.us/j/83794277124?pwd=QVVFMVByU1k1M3VsMEZTZy9NYjZmdz <u>09</u>