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ISASH 2024 Winter Newsletter

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HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM ISASH!

Wishing you all a wonderful holiday filled with warmth and happiness. We hope this festive season brings you joy, peace, and quality time with loved ones! Happy Holidays!



WELCOME FROM ISASH PRESIDENT, GLORIA BROCK



Greetings ISASH members,

I want to take a moment to express my deepest thanks to the incredible team that organized and hosted the latest ISASH Ideas Exchange. Your hard work, creativity, and dedication truly made this event a success, and it was inspiring to see so many of you engaged and contributing to the vibrant discussions. I encourage anyone who is interested in hosting one of these events in the future to reach out to a member of the Board. It's an excellent way to spark meaningful conversations and make a real difference in shaping our collective goals.

On that note, if you haven't already, please remember to complete our Member Survey. Your feedback is essential to help us continually improve our programs and better serve you. It only takes a few minutes, and we greatly appreciate your insights. The Board plans to discuss these at length in the coming year, so make sure your responses are included before January 1, 2025.

As we approach the end of the year, I want to extend my warmest wishes to each of you for a joyful holiday season and a prosperous New Year. Keep an eye out for additional Ideas Exchange Webinars and other ways to stay connected. It's hard to believe that we'll be together again in just six months for another ISASH Annual Conference in Portland, Maine!

Thank you for being such an integral part of the ISASH community. Happy Holidays and see you soon!



Warm Regards,

Gloria Brock

ISASH President

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SAVE THE DATE – 2025 ISASH ANNUAL CONFERENCE: PORTLAND, MAINE!

Join us for the [ISASH Annual Conference](#) in beautiful Portland, Maine, where innovation, networking, and knowledge come together! Whether you're looking to expand your professional network or gain valuable insights, this conference is the perfect place to do so. We look forward to seeing you in Portland for a conference to remember!



SAVE THE DATE
JUNE 23-26, 2025
PORTLAND, MAINE



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CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

ISASH will be collecting abstract submissions for the 2025 Annual Conference soon! Please mark the following dates on your calendar.

- **January 6:** Abstract Submissions Open
- **February 7:** Oral Presentations Due
- **March 7:** Posters and Demonstrations Due

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MEMBER UPDATES

There are big milestones and achievements happening in the lives of ISASH members! Join us in celebrating these two members and their life events.

- Athena Ramos was awarded Latinx Educator of the Year Award by MYPLA.



- ISASH Board Member Benton Moseley and his wife Kate welcomed Mills Jane Moseley in October.



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COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT

Membership Committee

Co-Chairs:

- Ellen Duysen (ellen.duysen@unmc.edu)
- Jill Oatman (jill_oatman@ajg.com)

As we continue to advance ISASH's mission of promoting agricultural safety and health, the ISASH Membership Committee plays a crucial role in fostering growth, engagement, and community building within the organization. ISASH is nothing without its members. [Read More](#)

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MEMBER PUBLICATIONS

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CALL FOR SPRING 2025 ISASH NEWSLETTER ITEMS

Do you have news to share? The ISASH Public Relations Committee, in collaboration with ASG, is seeking items for upcoming ISASH newsletters. Information needed includes:

- ISASH committee and interest group updates and announcements
- Details on upcoming agriculture safety and health meetings and conferences (dates, locations, and registration links)
- Comings (new faces/hires)
- Goings (retirements and passing of current/former ISASH members)
- ISASH member awards and achievements
- Peer-reviewed, published journal articles (please include clickable links)

Please send all content and member updates to info@isash.org.