



MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING



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In lieu of a monthly membership meeting, we will be participating in

MO-RISE 2024

You are invited to this employer-student networking event.

WHEN: Tuesday, March 5, 2024; 5:30-8:00pm

WHERE: Fulkerson Center on the Missouri Western State University campus, 4525 Downs Drive, St. Joseph MO

WHAT: MO-RISE! Initially launched in 2015, the Missouri Regional Industrial Science and Engineering Networking and Employment Event brings together students in STEM-related fields with regional employers and Missouri Western STEM department alumni for an evening focused on workforce preparation and professional networking.

EVENT PROGRAM: 5:30-6:00pm – Check-in/Registration/Social, 6:00-6:10pm – Welcome Address, 6:10-6:45pm – Roundtable Discussion, 6:45-8:00pm – Open Networking

REGISTRATION: Registration is not required but since space is limited so please register by 5:00pm on February 27, 2024. This Alumni link can be used for anyone to register.

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- www.acs-kc.com

ACS-Kansas City Section Mission Statement:

Connecting Kansas City chemistry professionals with opportunities for lifelong success.

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The *Spencer Award* Recipient for 2024 has been chosen!

Please join us in congratulating Dr. Atanu Biswas on this prestigious honor!

The Kenneth A. Spencer Award for Outstanding Achievement in Agricultural and Food Chemistry was founded in 1955. It is recognized as one of the most prestigious awards presented to chemists working in many agricultural and food science areas. The award endorses meritorious contributions by scientists in academia and industry. For more than 60 years, the outstanding achievements of the Awardees have continued to establish the great reputation of the Spencer Award within the United States of America. Much more information to follow in the coming months!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

ACS Spring Meeting 2024: “Many Flavors of Chemistry.” Connect with peers. Get the latest insights in chemistry. WHERE: New Orleans, Louisiana & Hybrid; WHEN: March 17-21

Greater Kansas City Science & Engineering Fair: March 27-30, 2024

Science City at Union Station is proud to continue the tradition with the 73rd Greater Kansas City Science & Engineering Fair to help our community grow a science, engineering, math and technology (STEM) literate workforce.


Join us for this upcoming **ACS Local Section Membership Meeting:** Tuesday, April 9, 2024; 6:00pm at the MAG Conference Center, 425 Dr Martin Luther King Jr Boulevard, KCMO. Our speaker will be Dr. Josh Peng and his talk title is: “Plastics – The Good the Bad the Ugly and the Future.” Read Dr. Peng’s Abstract and Bio in April’s newsletter.

Career Opportunities:

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Please consider volunteering on one (or more) of our committees!
We welcome your thoughts, ideas, and contribution!

*Please contact Gary Clapp (geclapp424@yahoo.com) if you are interested in joining one of the committees. Thank you! We would appreciate it and welcome your input and assistance!



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