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### UPCOMING EVENTS



**JANUARY MEETING: A Day in the Life at MSP - Safety, Health and Security at Our Airport**

**The Annual Combined Meeting w/AIHA's Upper Midwest Section**

**Tuesday, January 21 | 11:30 am - 1:30 pm**

**Metropolitan Airports Commission - General Office Building |**

**6040 S 28th Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota, 55450**

Join us for the annual combined meeting of the AIHA Upper Midwest Section and the ASSP Northwest Chapter for a very special event at the Metropolitan Airports Commission (MAC) General Office. This fascinating presentation will explore the complexities and practices in safety and risk management of the Minneapolis-St Paul Airport. The presentation will include an overview of the airport processes, the structure and purpose of the MAC organization and their partners (airlines, TSA etc.), and a showcase of how all of these stakeholders work together to keep the airport, passengers and employees safe and secure.



Presenters: **Joseph Hennessy** is the Manager of Safety Management Systems for the Metropolitan Airports Commission. In this role, Joseph is charged with the development and administration of the safety management system for the Minneapolis – St. Paul (MSP) airport and six reliever airports. Prior to his current position, Joseph led safety for Delta Air Line's MSP operation and Life Link III, the largest air medical operator in the upper Midwest. In 2017 Joseph was the recipient of the Airbus Vision Zero Aviation Safety Award. Joseph holds an undergraduate degree from the University of Minnesota Duluth and Master of Science in Aviation Safety from Central Missouri University.

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**TIME IS RUNNING OUT!!!**

**EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION CLOSING JANUARY 15TH!!!**

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[Get all the Conference Details and Register Here](#)

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## **MEMBER UPDATES**

**Northwest Chapter of ASSP 2020 Student Scholarship**

**APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED NOW!!!**



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The **Northwest Chapter of ASSP** is once again pleased to announce its **2020 Student Scholarship!** Multiple Scholarships totaling **\$4000** will be made available for students pursuing a graduate degree in Master of Science in Risk Control at University of Wisconsin-Stout, Master of Environmental Health & Safety at the University of Minnesota-Duluth, and Master or Doctorate in Public Health or an Occupational Safety, Health, or Environmental field of study at the University of Minnesota.

**U.S Postal Service** users must have their application postmarked by **March 4th, 2020** and last minute filers must deliver their application in person or as a **PDF file via email** no later than **4:30 pm CDT on March 6th, 2020**.

Please follow the link below for more information and to access the application online.

<https://northwest.assp.org/student-scholarships/>

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### **Dan Hannan Sr. Memorial EHS Scholarship Awarded**

The Dan Hannan Sr. Memorial EHS Scholarship for 2019 was awarded to Luke Fena. Luke is enrolled in the EHS Masters program at UMD. His response to the application questions hit the mark and embodies the spirit of EHS professionals. Luke will receive \$1,000 toward his tuition for the coming year.

Congratulations to Luke Fena!

## **NEWS & RESOURCES**

**Government Affairs Update - Get the Newsletter!!**

ASSP is now issuing a Government Affairs Newsletter. Stay tuned on how to opt in to the newsletter at the [Government Affairs page](#) on the ASSP website. Here is a [link](#) to the latest newsletter.

If you have any questions about Government Affairs or the newsletter contact Joe Weiss, Government and External Affairs Specialist at [governmentaffairs@assp.org](mailto:governmentaffairs@assp.org)

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### **DID YOU KNOW...???**

ASSP's practice specialties and common interest groups regularly host webinars and open calls, which are open to all ASSP members and nonmembers.

The goal of many of these events is to provide educational discussions for participants, as well as explain the importance of the practice specialties and common interest groups.

Check out some of the latest sessions [HERE](#)

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