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## Membership

As of 11/4/2022, we have **390 members**.

Since last quarter:

17 New Members  
28 New Students  
1 Transfer

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## Announcements:

While ASSP works hard to help us develop the knowledge and skills we need to achieve our career goals, we can't do it without you. If you are interested in helping in the Chapter, please talk to one of the officers after any meeting.

## ASP/CSP Development

If you wish to borrow our chapter's study guides for either the ASP or CSP exam preparation, please contact Tony Prospero, CSP at: [tony.prospero@marshmma.com](mailto:tony.prospero@marshmma.com) or 262-797-6284. For more information on the exams and the certification process, please contact BSCP's web site at [www.bcsp.org](http://www.bcsp.org). Also, please look at the ASSP Foundation site. They have funds that you may qualify for to help defer the costs of the exams and prep course. Please refer to page 3 for more information.

# Confined Space Entry and Rescue Planning

According to the US Bureau of Labor Statistics (2020), from 2011 to 2018 1,030 workers died from occupational injuries involving a confined space. An ensemble of industry experts will share their experiences and advice to help you identify, assess, and prepare for confined space entry and rescue planning.

You can register at: <https://wisconsin.assp.org/>



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### **2021-2022 WI Chapter Officers:**

Vice President:  
Matt Schmidt



Treasurer:  
Karen Jandora



Secretary:  
Clint Kerkman



### **Chapter President's Message:**

I want to take this opportunity to thank everyone who attended this year's Professional Development Conference (PDC) at the Inglewood Hotel in Pewaukee, Wisconsin on September 29th and 30th. I feel this year's conference was a huge success. Attendees learned, networked, and even had a little fun!

I also want to thank all the great vendors and generous sponsors who partnered with the ASSP Wisconsin Chapter to help make this year's Professional Development Conference possible.

I personally received a tremendous amount of positive feedback from many individuals who attended this year's Professional Development Conference. Virtually everyone that I spoke with said it was a great experience and that all the speakers who presented at this year's conference were very informative.

The ASSP Wisconsin Chapter plans to hold another Professional Development Conference in Fall of 2023. The planning committee has already begun working on next year's event and our goal is to make it even bigger and better. If you are interested in becoming a sponsor, a vendor, or presenting at next year's conference please let a current board member of the ASSP Wisconsin Chapter know.

### **WI Chapter President for 2022-2023:**



**Joel Dickinson EHS Director**





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The four Past-Presidents still actively serving on the board (left to right):

Elier Aguilera, Rebecca Severson, Bruce Morton and Jared Owen





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## Chapter Officers

# Wisconsin Chapter 2020-2021 Officer Nominations

Have you ever thought about being more involved in the Chapter or know someone who would be interested? Considered putting your name for nomination for the Chapter Officer Board. Don't let a new opportunity escape if it seems daunting. The Wisconsin Chapter has a strong network of Past Presidents who are very involved and like mentoring new leaders. This is an opportunity for you to become a future leader of ASSP and the safety profession. If you have an interest please feel free to reach







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# Wisconsin Chapter Safety Professional of the Year Award

The ASSP Chapter Safety Professional of the Year Award acknowledges the dedication and outstanding contributions of a member to our ASSP chapter. To be eligible nominees must:

## Eligibility

1. Be a Professional Member, Member or International Member in good standing of their Chapter and the Society.
2. Not have received this award within the past five (5) years.
3. Be engaged in full-time employment in the profession of protecting people, property and the environment.

## Judging Criteria

1. Demonstrated technical expertise in the broad field of safety and a thorough knowledge of the operational aspects of his/her safety employment.
2. Demonstrated outstanding contributions to the Chapter or Section, activities, including committee or task force chair, officer, services to members, lecturer at seminars, etc.
3. Leadership in establishment, maintenance, and improvement of technical or Chapter programs in the organization nominee serves or elsewhere.
4. Other personal achievements related to safety and health.
5. Professional contributions to advance the safety profession, such as fostering professional development, public/community services, instructor at educational institutions, involvement in codes and legislation, articles written, work with allied groups, etc.
6. Awards and innovations, including citations, honors, plaques; or new procedures or systems developed.
7. Endorsements by superiors and verifications by associates, in the form of letters on appropriate stationery of the employer, Area Director, where applicable and Regional Vice-president.

If you are eligible or know someone who is, please fill out the nomination form; found on our website. Deadline to submit application is December 9<sup>th</sup>.



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## ASSP Foundation Professional Education Grant Program

- **Professional education grants** are available for individuals within the occupational safety and health field (either students or professionals) who need financial support for certification expenses, conference attendance, webinar attendance, workshop attendance, and similar professional development support.
- College courses are not covered by the professional education grant program; applicants must use the scholarship application if requesting support for college courses.
- **Applications for ASSP Foundation professional education grants are accepted year-round, with awards made on a rolling basis, based on availability.**
- [Find out more about the program by visiting the frequently asked questions page.](#)

**APPLY FOR GRANTS**

## ASSP Foundation Academic Scholarship Program

- **Academic scholarships** are available for students within the occupational safety and health field, preparing for their careers or looking to supplement their careers with additional college coursework.
- **Applications for ASSP Foundation academic scholarships are accepted October 15, 2022 – February 15, 2023.**
- Programs of study must be either directly related to the occupational safety and health field or will be utilized to support the occupational safety and health field. This can include a variety of degrees. If your degree is not directly related to occupational safety and health, you will be asked to clarify how you will be using your degree to support the field of occupational safety and health.
- Academic scholarships are announced on or around May 15, 2023.
- [Find out more about the program by visiting the frequently asked questions page.](#)

**APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS**



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## **NAMI Southeast Wisconsin**

National Alliance on Mental Illness

Serving Milwaukee, Waukesha, and Jefferson Counties

September 27, 2022

American Society of Safety Professionals - Wisconsin Chapter

Karen  
2108A Silvernail Rd # 195  
Pewaukee, WI 53072-5526

Dear Karen,

On behalf of the individuals and families that we serve, NAMI Southeast Wisconsin would like to thank you for your generous sponsorship of our 2022 NAMIWalks event! We have received your contribution of \$8,000.00 on September 13, 2022, and you will be recognized as a Walk Sponsor. All funds raised by our NAMIWalks event stay right here in our community. Thanks to sponsors like you, we can continue to provide education, information, support, and advocacy programs at no cost for those impacted by mental health conditions in Milwaukee, Jefferson, and Waukesha counties.

On Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, we will come together to raise awareness and funds for mental health at Hoyt Park in Wauwatosa. Our goal this year is to raise \$250,000 for NAMI Southeast Wisconsin. Mental health support needs continue to rise, and it is vital for us to keep pace with the rising demands. Throughout the past year, NAMI has always been here: over the phone, online, and in-person. Your help today ensures no one feels alone when facing the uncertainty of a mental health condition.

We would love to have you join us for NAMIWalks Your Way Southeast Wisconsin to help change minds about mental health! You can participate on a team or as an individual walker, either in-person or virtually. As a NAMIWalks sponsor, you can share more about your organization with our participants by providing small promotional items for the attendee give-away bags at our event and/or request to have a resource table at the event.

To learn more or to register, visit [namiwalks.org/southeastWI](https://namiwalks.org/southeastWI) or contact Walk Manager, Daniel Shine via email at [dshine@namisoutheastwi.org](mailto:dshine@namisoutheastwi.org)

Thank you again for your generous support of our mission and the work we do.

Sincerely,

Mary Madden  
Executive Director







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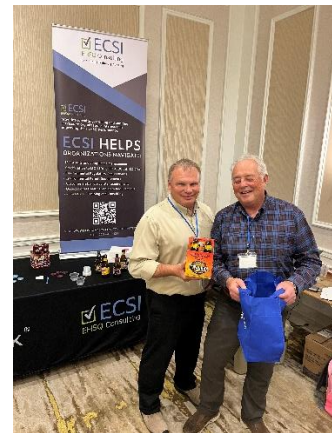
## 2022 Risk, Health, And Safety For All Conference







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