



# ASSP STUDENT MEMBER BENEFITS

**Our student members have access to a wide array of benefits that ease the transition from student to practicing safety professional following graduation.**

## STUDENT MEMBERSHIP COSTS \$15

### BUILD YOUR OSH COMMUNITY

In addition to 35,000+ members, your local chapter gives you access to professionals in your area. Learn about internships and employment opportunities and find a mentor.

### PREPARE FOR YOUR CAREER

Meet potential employers, participate in informational interviews, resume critiques, and panel discussions with experienced safety professionals at the Career Advancement Center at our annual Professional Development Conference.

### ACCESS VIRTUAL COMMUNITIES

Receive complimentary access to a free practice specialty and common interest group designed to provide education and networking in your areas of interest.

### FREE WEBINARS

Polish your soft skills and learn the latest OSH trends with complimentary access to all ASSP webinars.

### EXPERIENCE THE PULSE OF THE INDUSTRY

Our annual Professional Development Conference welcomes students to make connections with experienced safety professionals and learn from the best.

### APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

You'll have access to \$275,000 in scholarships awarded annually from the ASSP Foundation.

### GET HIRED

Access career resources, including job and internship postings, through the ASSP Career Center.

### CONTINUE TO SUCCEED

ASSP offers a free year of full membership as a graduation gift to help you easily transition from your academic life into your professional career.

## JOIN TODAY


Visit [www.assp.org/students](http://www.assp.org/students) to learn more and complete your application.



# Occupational Safety & Health Professional

The Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) profession is one of the highest in demand and fastest growing professions in the US. OSH professionals develop systems, processes and programs that keep people safe, reduce risk, prevent property damage and safeguard the environment.

## TOP 5 INDUSTRIES

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|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|  | <b>Construction</b>            | <b>Manufacturing</b>             |
| <b>Insurance</b>                                                                  | <b>Oil, Gas, Petrochemical</b> | <b>Government/ Public Sector</b> |

\*Source ASSP database

## EDUCATION

What degrees are available?



- Environmental safety and health
- Occupational safety and health
- Safety or environmental management
- Safety, health and environmental science
- Occupational safety and health technology

\*Source: www.ABET.org

MEDIAN BASE SALARY FOR FULL-TIME OSH PROFESSIONAL

**\$97,000**



\*Source: BCSP/ASSP 2018 Salary Survey

## Top professionals have these CERTIFICATIONS/LICENSES



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|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|
| Associate in Risk Management (ARM)           | Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH)             |
| Associate Safety Professional (ASP)**        | Construction Health & Safety Technician (CHST)   |
| Certified Fire Protection Specialist (CFPS)  | Graduate Safety Practitioner (GSP)**             |
| Certified Safety Professional (CSP)          | Occupational Health & Safety Technologist (OHST) |
| Certified Hazardous Materials Manager (CHMM) | Professional Engineer                            |

\*\* Temporary designation | Source: BCSP/ASSP 2018 Salary Survey

## TOP JOB RESPONSIBILITIES

- Investigate accidents and incidents
- Advise management
- Respond to emergencies
- Protect the environment
- Reduce fire hazards
- Manage hazardous materials
- Control health hazards
- Meet government compliance
- Protect facilities
- Train staff



## How OSH Students BENEFIT FROM ASSP

Founded in 1911, ASSP is the longest running safety society and the most respected advocate for safety and health professionals. ASSP is the leading provider of education and networking for OSH professionals and students — offering in-person and virtual opportunities to learn and network.

**35,000+ members — including 3,000 student members,** are dedicated to making workplaces safer and healthier, and ASSP shares in their dedication.

**At least \$275,000** in ASSP Foundation scholarships are awarded annually to students.

### \$15 ASSP Student Membership

Incentives include free on-demand webinars, discounted fees for conferences and a free year of membership directly after graduation.