Educational Standards Committee
Committee Member Position Description

Purpose: The Educational Standards Committee supports ASSP’s ability to uphold and elevate the value of the safety and health profession by promoting the development and implementation of educational standards for post-secondary education.

Key Responsibilities
• Assist in the development and maintenance of ABET and model OSH learning outcomes for the associate’s, bachelor’s and master’s degree levels
• Promote academic quality, including ABET accreditation, to future students and existing programs
• Serve as ABET program evaluator and/or mentor where applicable
• Participate in two meetings a year and conference calls as needed

Support
• Orientation with Educational Standards Committee chair and staff liaison

Benefits
• Help shape and influence academic quality in occupational safety and health
• Build knowledge of ABET program accreditation
• Contribute to the growth and development of ASSP and the safety profession
• Earn professional certification maintenance points

Time Commitment
• Term of office: 2 years; no maximum term limit; July 1 to June 30
• Average hours per month: 2 to 5 hours

Qualifications
• Professional member of ASSP in good standing
• Practicing academician, with one position available for an industry advisory representative.

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The Educational Standards Committee is a standing committee of the Council on Professional Affairs. The council vice president appoints committee members. Nominations are reviewed each May and appointments are announced each June.