

**Environmental Health and Safety
Annual Safety Chair Meeting Agenda
November 13, 2024
Stewart Center Room 214
8–11 a.m.**

***Feel free to visit vendor tables and discuss safety issues with EHS staff (Room 218)
at any time between 7:30 and 11:30 a.m.***

8 a.m. – General Safety Session

Welcome – Mita Juristyarini, Interim Senior Director, Environmental Health and Safety

Cultivating a Safety Mindset – Emily Kauffman, INSafe Health Consultant

Purdue Injury Report and Safe + Sound – Mike Silanskis, Director of Occupational and Facility Safety; Kristi Evans, Occupational Safety Professional

- *Review of injury statistics, incidents, risk reduction and corrective actions*

9 a.m. – Mutual Interest Safety Session

New Faces, New Places – Josh Brown, Biosafety Officer

- *An update from the biological safety and environmental health sections of EHS*

Update of Safe and Sustainable Labs Program – Patrick Brown, Sustainability Manager, Administrative Operations Sustainability

- *Summary of safe and sustainable labs program and certification process*

Commitment to Safety and Compliance – Jamie Mohler, Associate Vice President of Scientific Integrity and Research, Office of the Executive Vice President for Research

Ryan Gallagher, Associate Vice President Facilities Operations & Environmental Health and Safety, Administrative Operations

Presidential Safety Award Presentations

10:15 a.m. – Academic Safety Session

Radioactive Waste and Where It Goes – Josh Wade, Health Physicist

- *A guide to radioactive waste in a university setting*

Implementing Standardized Hazardous Waste Compliance Training – Betsy Nelson, Senior Hazardous Materials Chemist

Concluding Remarks – Eric Butt, Senior Director, Environmental Health and Safety