

# AIHA STUDENT LOCAL SECTIONS COUNCIL NEWSLETTER – FALL 2017

## NIOSH ERC FUNDING UPDATES

Senate Appropriations Committee approved their FY18 Labor HHS Appropriations Bill. The bill includes \$335.2 million for NIOSH (the same as the FY17 level, but \$10 million higher than the House provided in their FY18 bill). The bill also includes \$29 million for the Education and Research Centers and \$25.5 million for Agriculture Forestry Fishing, the same as the FY17 level and the House FY18 level.

Thank you to everyone that contacted their elected officials and helped rally support for NIOSH.

## HELLO FROM YOUR STUDENT LOCAL SECTIONS COUNCIL!

Dear AIHA Student Local Section Members,

Welcome to the inaugural issue of our quarterly AIHA Student Local Section newsletter. We are excited to begin sharing updates with you about the amazing things that are happening nationally across the student local sections.

As your Student Local Sections Council our aim is to promote the continued effectiveness and efficiency of AIHA student local sections, to serve as a liaison among student local sections, and to provide collective student local sections positions to the AIHA Board and national AIHA office thru the Local Sections Council.

Please take the time if you have not done so already to become an AIHA student member (or renew your membership).

<https://www.aiha.org/membership/Pages/MemberAppStartPage.aspx>.

In addition to better communicate with you please send names of student officers as well as a chapter roster to Thursa La [tla@aiha.org](mailto:tla@aiha.org).

Also if you are on Facebook please like our fb page

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1227962237319379/>

We are committed this year to strengthening the professional development opportunities for industrial hygiene students.

We look forward to hearing from you and sharing the achievements of our members throughout the coming year.

Sincerely,

Teni Adewumi-Gunn – Chair

Kevin Gettz – Vice Chair

Jake Shedd – Secretary



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### SLSC @ AIHCE 2018



SLSC will be holding an event during AIHce 2018. More details to come. If you are interested in joining the planning process let us know!

### SAFETY MATTERS CHALLENGE!



We're challenging you to hold a Safety Matters presentation! AIHA and NIOSH are proud to present *Safety Matters*, a program to raise awareness among young people about workplace safety and health and to provide an understanding of the skills they need to become active participants in creating safe and healthy work environments.

You can find the powerpoint presentation and more info on the program here <https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/safetymatters/>

### NEED OUTREACH MATERIALS?



Tabling at an event and need AIHA materials? Contact Thursa La [tla@aiha.org](mailto:tla@aiha.org) for information on how to obtain banners, pamphlets and other items.

### USEFUL RESOURCES AND LINKS:



- <https://www.aiha.org/get-involved/students-young-professionals/Pages/default.aspx>
- <https://www.aiha.org/GET-INVOLVED/STUDENTLOCALSECTIONS/Pages/default.aspx>
- <https://www.aiha.org/publications-and-resources/TheSynergist/Pages/default.aspx>
- JOB SEARCH
- <http://ehscareers.com/>
- <https://www.indeed.com/>

<https://www.linkedin.com/>

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