

UW Occupational Safety & Health Continuing Education (OSHCE) Programs & Resources

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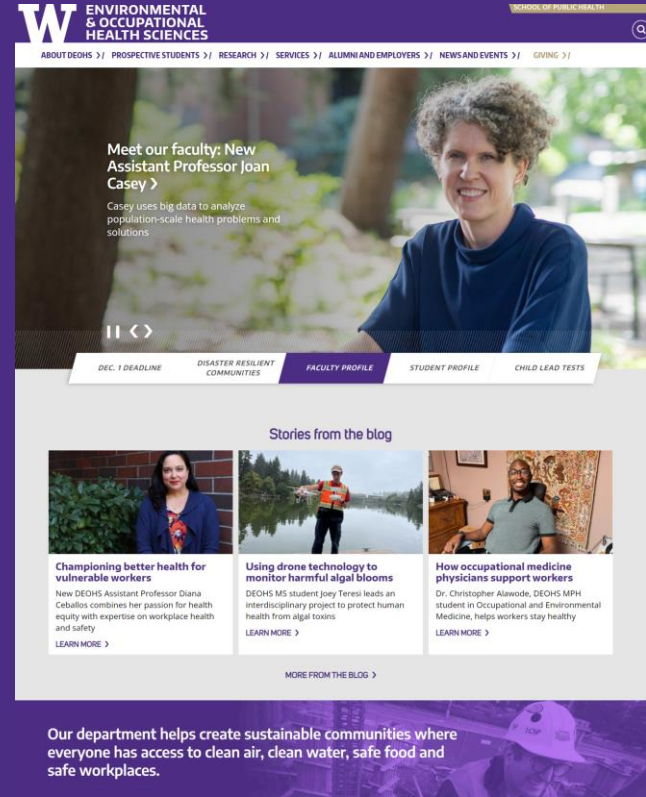
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About DEOHS

Our vision
Create sustainable communities
where everyone has access to
clean air, clean water, safe food
and safe workplaces



The screenshot shows the homepage of the Environmental & Occupational Health Sciences (DEOHS) department website. The header includes the department name and a navigation menu with links: ABOUT DEOHS, PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS, RESEARCH, SERVICES, ALUMNI AND EMPLOYERS, NEWS AND EVENTS, and GIVING. A large hero image features Assistant Professor Joan Casey, with text introducing her and her research in big data for population-scale health problems. Below the hero image is a navigation bar with tabs: DEC. 1 DEADLINE, DISASTER RESILIENT COMMUNITIES, FACULTY PROFILE (selected), STUDENT PROFILE, and CHILD LEAD TESTS. The 'Stories from the blog' section displays three articles: 'Championing better health for vulnerable workers' by Professor Diana Ceballos, 'Using drone technology to monitor harmful algal blooms' by MS student Joy Teresi, and 'How occupational medicine physicians support workers' by Dr. Christopher Aluwade. Each article includes a brief description and a 'LEARN MORE' link. At the bottom, a purple banner states the department's vision: 'Our department helps create sustainable communities where everyone has access to clean air, clean water, safe food and safe workplaces.'

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ABOUT DEOHS > PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS > RESEARCH > SERVICES > ALUMNI AND EMPLOYERS > NEWS AND EVENTS > GIVING >

Meet our faculty: New Assistant Professor Joan Casey >

Casey uses big data to analyze population-scale health problems and solutions

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Stories from the blog

Championing better health for vulnerable workers
New DEOHS Assistant Professor Diana Ceballos combines her passion for health equity with expertise on workplace health and safety
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Using drone technology to monitor harmful algal blooms
DEOHS MS student Joy Teresi leads an interdisciplinary project to protect human health from algal toxins
[LEARN MORE >](#)

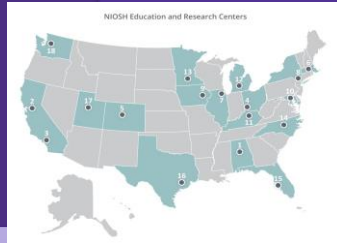
How occupational medicine physicians support workers
Dr. Christopher Aluwade, DEOHS MPH student in Occupational and Environmental Medicine, helps workers stay healthy
[LEARN MORE >](#)

MORE FROM THE BLOG >

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Occupational Safety and Health Continuing Education



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Pacific Northwest OSHA
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NWCOHS 2025 Offerings

- > Total Worker Health
- > Artificial Intelligence & OSH
- > Leadership Academy
- > Advancing Worker Engagement
- > Root Cause Analysis
- > Best Practices for Protecting Workers During Trenching
- > Online programs –

<https://oshce.uw.edu/nwcohs-courses>



Washington State Governor's Industrial Safety and Health Preconference Training

Immerse yourself in an optional in-depth learning experience taught by industry experts from the Northwest Occupational Health and Safety Continuing Education and Outreach Programs. Lunch is included in the cost of registration.

In-Person—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2024
Early Bird Registration (through 08/30): \$225



Advancing Leadership & Communication for Change Management
Instructor: Molly Bruysee Cox, MA, PhD

We are experiencing a rapidly changing workplace. New technology applications, work dynamics, team interactions, staff changes, and much more are challenging the way we work together. As a health and



Best Practices for Protecting Workers During Trenching
Instructor: Rhett Carpenter, CHST

Excavation and trenching activities expose workers to various hazards such as cave-ins, falling objectives, hazardous atmospheres, and moving equipment. Implementing a comprehensive safety plan is essential





Pacific Northwest OSHA Education Center



<https://oshce.uw.edu/osha>

OSHA Courses & Programs

- ✓ Provides standards-based, OSHA-authorized education and training
- ✓ OSHA-authorized Outreach Training Program
- ✓ Engaging, experienced and passionate instructors
- ✓ Students gain skills and competence in OSHA policies, rules and best practices for safety and health in their workplace
- ✓ Opportunities for peer-to-peer learning
- ✓ Construction, maritime, and general industry
- ✓ Customized training available



Certificate Programs

<https://oshce.uw.edu/certificate-programs>

- ✓ Occupational Health Awareness
- ✓ Construction S &H Certificates
 - ✓ Essentials, Specialist, Leadership
- ✓ General Industry S&H Certificates
 - ✓ Essentials, Specialist, Leadership
- ✓ Maritime S&H
 - ✓ Essentials, Specialist
- ✓ Total Worker Health®
- ✓ Green Chemistry & Chemical Stewardship
- ✓ Leadership Fundamentals
- ✓ Emergency Safety Specialist



Outreach Activities & Partnerships

Understanding Core Values



Protecting Our Community and Environment

Green Cleaning refers to using cleaning methods and products that are safer for human health and the environment.

How can selecting safer products make a difference for your health and the environment?



Protect our Subsistence Resources with Green Cleaning in our Homes, Schools, and Workplaces

CLEAN SHiFT: Safety & Health in Food Trucks



Synergy of Partnerships

- Sharing common goals and expertise
- Increasing credibility
- Adding greater resources to the table
- Expanding to new audiences
- Providing financial benefits
- Contribute to event logistic
- Reaching new audiences
- Support, guidance and addressing OHS burden
- Consistency

Connecting our Students with the Practice Community



2024 Pacific Northwest Safety Symposium Student Award



Site Visits



Career Panels



Northwest Occupational Health Conference 2025

sponsored by PNS-AIHA

Northwest Occupational Health Conference (NOHC) 2025 - Pacific Northwest Section of AIHA

\$53.00 - \$630.00 including fees



HEALTHIER WORKPLACES | A HEALTHIER WORLD

Pacific Northwest LOCAL SECTION

Northwest Occupational
Health Conference 2025

Come join us at NOHC 2025 - the ultimate gathering for occupational health professionals in the Pacific Northwest!

Monday, October 6 - Short Course, Welcome Party

Tuesday, October 7 - Technical Sessions

Wednesday, October 8 - Technical Sessions

Breysse Memorial Lecture

This Annual DEOHS lecture series honors tireless public health advocate and founding DEOHS faculty member Peter Breysse.

The 2025 featured speaker: **Jordan Barab speaking on Workplace Safety and Health in the Current Political Landscape**

October 16th - 12:30-1:20 PT - In person and Zoom



Free Tools and Resources

<https://oshce.uw.edu/resources>

Free Tools and Training Resources



Clean SHiFT



Infection Prevention and Control on
Animal Farms - Training Curriculum



Occupational Reproductive Health
Toolkit

STAY CONNECTED AND SIGN UP TODAY!



[Center for Disaster Resilient Communities /](#)
UW DEOHS

Congratulations to Aaron Leftwich

Our first student to complete the
Total Worker Health®
Certificate Program!



[Aaron's journey through the Total Worker
Health® Program / UW OSHCE](#)

**OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH
CONTINUING EDUCATION**

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[Resources](#) > [Clean SHiFT](#) > [Clean SHiFT - English](#)

Health and Safety Spotlight

Welcome to our Monthly Spotlight Series!



<https://oshce.uw.edu/resources/health-and-safety-spotlight>

**"The whole is greater than
the sum of its parts"
- Aristotle**



THANK YOU!

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