



NutriNews

Important Nutrition-Related Updates & Events at USC

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS:

USC Nutrition Research Symposium: Share, Discover, Connect

When: March 23, 2023

Where: Alumni Center

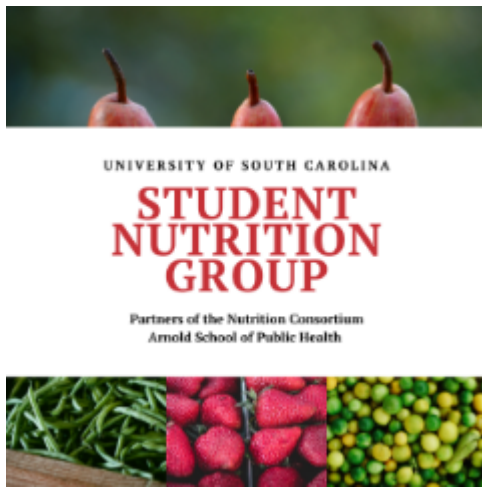
Our Call for Abstracts is now open! Abstracts are due January 27th. Scan the QR code for more information. We look forward to your submissions.

 **South Carolina**



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[Call for Abstracts](#)



The Student Nutrition Group (SNG) is restarting in the Spring of 2023! SNG seeks to expose students to a broad range of nutrition topics through professional development opportunities, speaker series, service opportunities, and chances to network with peers and professionals. The club is open to undergraduates of any major. Whether you are just looking to learn more about nutrition or planning on pursuing a career in nutrition, SNG would love to have you! Meetings will be bi-weekly and begin the week of **January 23rd**. A meeting time will be announced on GroupMe, so please join with the link below. Email SOSNG@mailbox.sc.edu with any questions.

[Join GroupMe](#)

Welcome Our New Affiliates!

Faculty Affiliates

Katie Hirsch, PhD, EP-C, CISSN
Assistant Professor, Department of Exercise Science

Student Affiliates

Megan Bastyr, MS
Sponsor: Elizabeth Adams

Morgan Boncyk, MPH
Sponsor: Christine Blake



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Undergraduate and Graduate students at USC are eligible to become Affiliated Student Scholars of the Nutrition Consortium if they meet the following criteria:



Formal academic training in nutrition or experience with nutrition-related research, practice, or teaching.



Sponsorship by a current faculty or staff Nutrition Consortium Affiliated Scholar.



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Faculty affiliates **Dr. Christine Blake**, **Dr. Edward Frongillo**, and **Dr. Leila Larson** attended the [International Congress of Nutrition](#) in Tokyo this past week. Dr. Blake presented results from the [Drivers of Food Choice](#) work and Dr. Larson presented on child nutrition growth monitoring and promotion. Dr. Frongillo was involved in a wide array of symposia and events, presenting on topics of

sustainable food environments, nutrition monitoring, food choice, food insecurity, and healthy diets.

Affiliate Funding News

- Faculty affiliate [Carrie Draper](#), a principal investigator for SNAP-Ed at USC, will lead six continued projects to improve nutrition education and obesity prevention programs throughout the state. The initiative is supported by more than one million dollars in funding from the USDA. See more details below.

[More Information](#)

- Student affiliate **Nkechi Okpara** has been selected to receive the [Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Foundation's](#) Commission on Dietetic Registration Doctoral Scholarship. She will allocate some of the \$10,000 stipend to support professional development, travel expenses, and the [Body Appreciation and Better Eating! \(BABE!\) Study](#) as part of her dissertation project. See more information below.

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Affiliate Dissertation Presentations

Two of our student affiliates successfully defended their dissertations. Congratulations Jennifer and Ellen!

- **Jennifer Mandelbaum**, “Predictors and outcomes of nutrition facts label use among U.S. adolescents.”
 - **Ellen Stowe**, “Greenspace across the U.S.: Exploring equity and associations with physical activity, obesity, and health-related quality of life.”
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Dr. Katie Hirsch and team are currently collecting survey responses to continue researching what strategies women use to manage menstrual pain. These responses will provide data that can be used to conduct clinical trials with an attempt to identify the efficacy of nutritional strategies when mitigating menstrual pain. To take the survey, please click the link below.

[Women's Health and Nutrition Survey](#)

Nutrition and Related Courses

Spring 2023 Nutrition Course Offerings

HPEB 489: Food Systems Capstone Seminar
HPEB 502: Applied Aspects of Human Nutrition
HPEB 560: Cooking Up a Storm: Food, Globalization, Localization, and Health in the South
HPEB 620: Nutrition Through the Life Cycle
EXSC 507: Exercise, Sport, and Nutrition
EXSC 620: Nutrition and Immunology
NURS 220: Clinical Nutrition
HRTM 164: Introduction to Healthy Mediterranean Cooking
HRTM 340: Nutrition
BIOL 425: Plant Form and Function
BIOL 465: Domestic Animal Nutrition
GEOG 538/ENVR 538: Global Food Politics

*Some courses may have prerequisites or restrictions.

Don't forget to sign up for your nutrition courses next semester! To see a full list of nutrition-related courses, follow the link below.

[Nutrition Courses](#)

Important Nutrition-Related Updates & Events from Professional Organizations



Access to fresh fruits and vegetables is disproportionate in rural communities across South Carolina, where residents are subject to lower wages, fewer healthcare options, and barriers to transportation. [FoodShare](#) partners with community-led organizations who help reduce financial and accessibility barriers by distributing Fresh Food Boxes. By making a financial gift to FoodShare we can continue to positively impact health outcomes across the city and state.

[Give Back](#)



SAVE THE DATE!

ANH2023

Agriculture, Nutrition and
Health Academy Week

19–22 JUNE 2023

Learning Labs (**online only**)

26 JUNE 2023

Learning Labs (**in-person
only in Lilongwe, Malawi**)

27–30 JUNE 2023

Research Conference
(**in-person in Lilongwe, Malawi, and online**)

The 8th annual Agriculture, Nutrition & Health Academy Week will take place from **June 19–30, 2023**, online and in Lilongwe, Malawi. The program will feature online Learning Labs followed by a full hybrid conference in Lilongwe. See more information below.

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NUTRITION 2023

Where the **Best** in Science & Health Meet
July 22-25 • Boston, MA

Following three years of virtual meetings, NUTRITION 2023 will offer an opportunity for nutrition scientists, clinicians, policy experts, industry leaders, and more to break away from their screens and to gather, network, and share knowledge face-to-face. The event for the latest in nutrition research will take place **July 22 – 25, 2023** in Boston, MA.

The Call for Abstracts is now open! Abstracts are due **March 1, 2023**. For more information, follow the link below.

[Call for Abstracts](#)

We will provide more information and send notification of dates and times of affiliate presentations as they become available for these upcoming events. Please let us know if you are presenting at any of the upcoming conferences or if there are any other nutrition-related conferences we should be promoting.

Recent Affiliate Nutrition-Related Publications

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Everett EM, Wright D, Williams A, Divers J, Pihoker C, **Liese AD**, et al. [A Longitudinal View of Disparities in Insulin Pump Use Among Youth with Type 1 Diabetes: The SEARCH for Diabetes in Youth Study](#). *Diabetes Technol Ther*. 2022;10.1089/dia.2022.0340. doi:10.1089/dia.2022.0340

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Young SL, Bethancourt HJ, Ritter ZR, **Frongillo EA**. (2022). Estimating national, demographic, and socioeconomic disparities in water insecurity experiences in low-income and middle-income countries in 2020–21: a cross-sectional, observational study using nationally representative survey data. *The Lancet Planetary Health*. 6:11.

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