

PSM News for March 2019



2019 NPSMA Annual Conference: Professional Science Master's Serving Workforce Needs

Plan to join us on November 6-8, 2019 for the National Conference and Preconference Workshop at the University of Utah, Salt Lake City. Sessions include:

- PSM Degrees Serving Workforce Needs
- What Makes a PSM Program? How to Make PSM Resonate!
- Funding Opportunities for PSM Programs and Tuition Models
- PSM4RST8 Update

Registration will open in May.

Organize a National Conference session. Volunteer to organize a session on the PSM and Workforce Needs by sending your name, contact information, a title or topic, short list of potential format/speakers/panelists and a <250 word abstract of what you propose to: Ray.Hoobler@utah.edu before May 1, subject line "Conference Session." Decisions will be made by May 15.

3MP student presentations will be featured again this year! [Guidelines and nomination forms here.](#)

Help us find academic and industrial sponsors for the 3MP student session. Sponsorship starts at \$250. Contact Ray.Hoobler@utah.edu for more information.

Online Affiliation Application

Attention PSM Program Leadership: The Commission on Affiliation of PSM Programs has developed an online application form that can be used to enter all required data. The system will require creation of a user account and will allow the applicant to enter required information and to pause, logout, login and a resume data entry before submission. Launch is anticipated for May 1 after beta testing is completed in April.

INNOVATOR Coming Soon

Expect to receive your copy of the latest issue early next month. Volunteer to serve the PSM community by serving as a Reviewer for the next INNOVATOR issue. Email coordinator@npsma.org to volunteer.

Join us for "Ask NPSMA" Webinars

Save the dates for the next "Ask NPSMA" webinars on **April 25, 2019** and **May 23, 2019** at **3:00 p.m. EST**. More information in next month's News.

Publish in NPSMA's 2019 Periodicals

- **PSM Alumni and Graduation Chronicle.** Submit a short (about 350 words) profile of one of your program's alumni success stories **by June 1, 2019**. [CHRONICLE guidelines](#).
- **INNOVATOR.** Submit a feature article, in practice piece or opinion commentary **by July 1, 2019**. [INNOVATOR guidelines](#).

We also seek volunteers to serve on the Editorial Board or as Reviewers. If interested, please send an email to coordinator@npsma.org.

In Case You Missed It...

- **PSM Certificates of Completion:** Request certificates for your students by sending a list of names of your Spring 2019 graduates, names of program director(s) or other program official(s) and dates to be shown on the certificate to affiliation@psmcommission.org by April 15, 2019. Direct questions to this address or (909) 607-9368.
- **Funding Opportunity:** The National Science Foundation FY 2019 supplemental funding for doctoral and master's students to pursue non-academic internships. Due Date May 1, 2019. <https://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2018/nsf18102/nsf18102.jsp>.
- **National Service Opportunity:** Boost your resume by volunteering for an NPSMA Committee. Contact coordinator@npsma.org for more information.

SAVE THE DATES

2019 NPSMA National Conference and Pre-conference Workshop

Salt Lake City, Utah / November 6-8

Events will be held at the University of Utah Guest House and Conference Center.

Preliminary Programs and additional details coming soon.

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NEXT PSM NEWS. Send contributions for the next PSM News to coordinator@npsma.org by **April 10, 2019**.

Join the PSM community on social media: NPSMA members are also encouraged to display our member logo on their social media pages. [Membership Logo](#).
