

AMSA Mission

AMSA is a broad-reaching organization of individuals that develops and disseminates its collective food and animal science knowledge to provide meat science education and professional development.

Purposes/Activities of AMSA

- To provide a distinguished forum for all meat interests - industry, academia, government, consumer - to address the needs of all in meat science technology
- To promote the application of science and technology to production, processing, packaging, distribution, preparation, evaluation, and utilization of meat and meat products
- To stimulate the exchange, discussion, and dissemination of information concerning meat research
- To encourage sound and useful research and educational techniques
- To coordinate educational, research, development, and service activities in meat science and related areas
- To encourage recognition of those engaged in meat science

AMSA Members Receive

- Annual Proceedings of the **Reciprocal Meat Conference** (online) and the **Meat Industry Research Conference** (online)
- **AMSA Directory of Members** - a listing of addresses and phone numbers (online) for networking with other research, teaching, extension, regulatory, supplier, and production members
- Bi-weekly **AMSA Newsletter** of activities, meat science and industry updates, and employment opportunities
- Discounted subscription rates to **Meat Science**, the official journal of AMSA
- Unlimited access to all online 'member-only' information

Benefits of AMSA Membership

- Direct, personal contact at AMSA meetings with meat scientists from academia, industry, and government
- Opportunities to learn about current meat research, teaching, extension, industry, and government activities in the United States and worldwide
- Opportunity to attend various exclusive short courses on meat science subjects and an invitation to attend the International Congress of Meat Science and Technology (ICoMST)
- Dissemination of scientific information at joint programs with American Association of Meat Processors, American Meat Institute, National Cattlemen's Beef Association, National Pork Producers Council, National Meat Association
- Opportunity to become involved in the programs that shape your career by participating on committees to determine the structure of meetings and industry programs

Creating Opportunities For Your Career

The American Meat Science Association provides you with many valuable opportunities to enhance your career in the meat science industry. AMSA provides you with a forum for continuing education; opportunities to network with meat science colleagues from academia, industry, and government; the latest information and technology in meat science and related areas; and the ability to participate in top quality meetings, courses, and programs.

Types of AMSA Membership

Professional

Any individual who is active in any aspect of meat science and who displays an interest in supporting the objectives of the Association shall be eligible to become a professional member

Student

Any individual actively pursuing candidacy for a degree (Associate or higher) with a science or technology major associated with meat science

www.meatscience.org



American Meat Science Association

Membership Application

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Please circle one

Name Dr. Mrs. _____
Mr. Ms. _____ Last First Middle Initial

E-Mail _____ **Title** _____

Organization _____ **Department** _____

☐ **Business Address** _____

City _____ **State/Province** _____

Zip/Postal Code _____ **Country** _____

☐ **Home Address** _____

City _____ **State/Province** _____

Zip/Postal Code _____ **Country** _____

Please check one box for preferred mailing address

Business Phone Number _____ **Fax Number** _____

Home Phone Number _____

Sex: (please circle one) M F **Date of Birth** _____

Academic Record **Institution** **Degree** **Year Conferred**

Undergraduate Degree(s) _____

Advanced Degree(s) _____

MEMBERSHIP DATABASE (this information will allow AMSA to provide you with more valuable networking opportunities)

AREAS OF SPECIAL INTEREST (please check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Physiology | <input type="checkbox"/> Human Nutrition |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Biochemistry-Biophysics | <input type="checkbox"/> Livestock and Meat Production |
| <input type="checkbox"/> By-Products | <input type="checkbox"/> Microbiology/Food Safety |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food Chemistry | <input type="checkbox"/> Packaging |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fresh Meat Processing | <input type="checkbox"/> Processed Meats |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Growth Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching and Education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Histology/Histochemistry | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

JOB CODES (please check all that apply)

Government

- ☐ Regulatory
☐ Research

Industry

- ☐ Association
☐ Marketing
☐ Packaging
☐ Plant Manager
☐ Purchasing
☐ Quality Control
☐ Research & Development
☐ Sales
☐ Senior Management
☐ Technical Consultant

Academic

- ☐ Administration
☐ Extension
☐ Research
☐ Student
☐ Teaching

TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP DUES

- ☐ **Professional** \$145
☐ **Student** \$65

PLEASE ADD IN ADDITION TO MEMBERSHIP DUES

- ☐ **Meat Science Journal (optional)** \$125
☐ **International Shipping Costs** \$45
(other than U.S., Canada, and Mexico)

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

PAYMENT

- ☐ **Check** (must be drawn on a U.S. bank in U.S. funds)
☐ **Visa** ☐ **Mastercard** ☐ **American Express**
Card # _____

Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

The membership dues must accompany this application. The membership year is January 1 through December 31. Dues are not prorated. A membership becomes void if not renewed by March 31 of the calendar year to which it applies.

Date _____

Applicant Signature

Signature of Sponsor _____
(Professional Member of AMSA)

Sponsor Signature

Send application and payment to the
American Meat Science Association
1111 N. Dunlap Ave., Savoy, IL 61874
phone: (217) 356-5368 fax: (217) 465-0688