



# ESA: A PROFESSIONAL HOME FOR INSECT SCIENTISTS

The **Entomological Society of America** is the largest society in the world serving the professional needs of entomologists and other insect scientists. ESA exists to bring together scientists and others fascinated with the world of insects in a supportive, welcoming community.

We welcome into our Society and encourage the participation of all individuals who are interested in entomology regardless of age, gender, gender identity, race, cultural background, religion, physical ability, sexual orientation, professional status, geographic location, and all other characteristics that make our members unique.

ESA actively promotes inclusion, recruitment, and retention in every aspect of the Society—including but not limited to membership, leadership, committees, and staff. We strive to cultivate a scientific society of excellence built on mentorship, encouragement, tolerance, and mutual respect.

ESA is guided in its efforts on behalf of its membership by three strategic principles:

- **ESA has a social responsibility to develop ALL of its members.** Therefore, ESA seeks to create professional opportunities for members at all experience levels, through its meetings and events, publications, and awards, among other programs.
- **The science of entomology is global; therefore, ESA is global.** ESA welcomes the participation of entomologists from around the world, as authors in its journals, attendees (virtual or in-person) at its events, volunteers, and members of the Society. The ESA International Branch provides a home for non-U.S. based members.
- **To realize our profession's full potential, ESA must increase its influence.** ESA therefore pursues a robust science policy program aimed at educating policymakers about entomology and informing legislative and regulatory decisions with sound science.

## MEMBER BENEFITS

To help its members advance their work and careers, ESA provides a number of key benefits. As an ESA member, you can

- Access a free online library of entomological research, including all ESA journal content, extending back to the early 1900s.
- Earn recognition from your peers for excellence and innovation in your field through ESA's annual awards program.
- Expand your professional skillset through ESA's archive of career-building webinars.
- Present your work, learn from others' research, and connect with colleagues from around the world at ESA's Annual Meeting.
- Identify career opportunities or post your CV or resume in ESA's online career center.
- Enjoy deep discounts when publishing with ESA or attending an ESA event.

Want to be a part of the largest entomological society in the world and connect with others who study insects, their importance to our world's ecology and biodiversity, and their impact on the world's population? Join today at [entsoc.org/join](https://entsoc.org/join).



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