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Mission Emphases

*Supportive, Collaborative
Community*

*Relational Process
Orientation*

*Social Justice and
Sustainability*

*Critical Thinking from
Multiple Perspectives*

Associated Journals

[Agriculture and Human Values](#)

[Journal of Agricultural and
Environmental Ethics](#)

Associated Orgs

[Sustainable Agriculture
Education Association \(SAEA\)](#)

[Association for the Study of
Food and Society \(ASFS\)](#)

Other Resources

[The Food Justice Curriculum
Project](#)

[Degree Programs List](#)

[Job Board](#)

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Agriculture, Food, and Human Values Society Info and Involvement

Who We Are

An international professional organization fostering the cross-disciplinary study of food, agriculture, and health as well as the values that underlie various visions of food and agricultural systems, including [a special commitment to racial justice, equity, and inclusion](#).

We are Philosophers, Sociologists, Anthropologists, Social Scientists, Ethicists, Theologians, Economists, Nutritionists, Agronomists, Practitioners, and More!

History of the Society

Formed in 1987 to promote the study of values issues associated with the production, consumption, and distribution of food, fiber and natural resources. From the start, interdisciplinarity was a founding principle. The Society was founded based on W. K. Kellogg Foundation-supported projects promoting collaboration between liberal arts and agricultural disciplines. For more information, see: <https://afhvs.wildapricot.org/History>

Annual Conference

Three-day professional conference, in collaboration with ASFS, where members and others share recent thinking and scholarship on crucial social, ethical, and technological issues via paper presentations, panel discussions, tours, and other activities organized around a salient food-related theme. The conference offers ample time for discussion, sharing, and socializing among the 300-600 attendees. For more information, see: <https://afhvs.wildapricot.org/events>

To submit an abstract to the 2023 conference in Boston, see:

<https://sites.bu.edu/asfs2023/abstract-submission/>

For a sample program, see:

<https://afhvs.wildapricot.org/resources/Documents/Conference%20programs/2022%20Program.pdf>

Why Get Involved?

Network with agriculture and food studies professionals; improve and learn about job opportunities; develop presentation and leadership skills; learn about the most recent cutting edge research, extension, and teaching advancements; participate in Society-sponsored professional development workshops; and more!

Ways to Get Involved

Become a Member: <https://afhvs.wildapricot.org/join-us>

- Tiered membership fees starting at \$15 for undergraduate members
- Includes discounted annual meeting registration fees, discounts on journal subscriptions, and voting privileges.

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Sign Up for Our Email Listserv: <https://afhvs.wildapricot.org/Listserv>

Join the Grad Student/Early Career Group: Email grads.chair@afhvs.org with subject "Join Request" and your connection to food/agriculture in the body of the email

Nominate Someone for an Award: <https://afhvs.wildapricot.org/Awards>

Join a Committee (or offer questions/suggestions): <https://afhvs.wildapricot.org/page-18175>