Department of Animal Science

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Fall 2026





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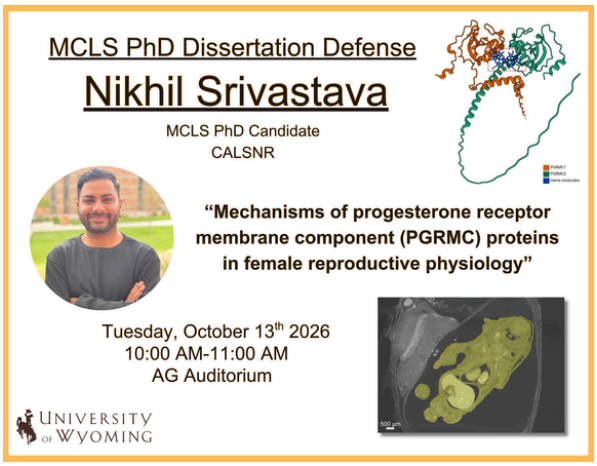




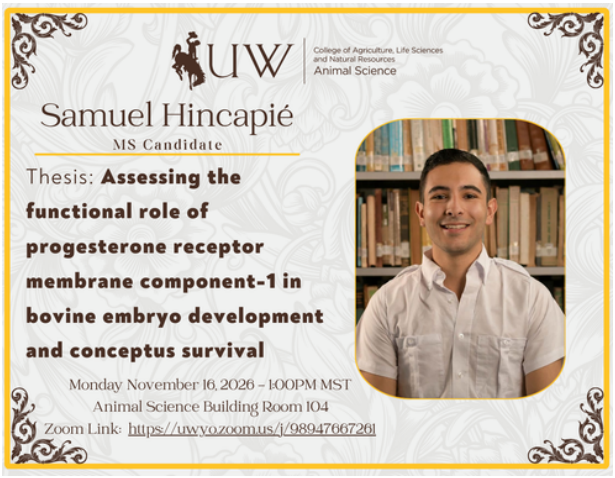


ANSC 1010 Students Got Hands-On Experience in the Meat Lab

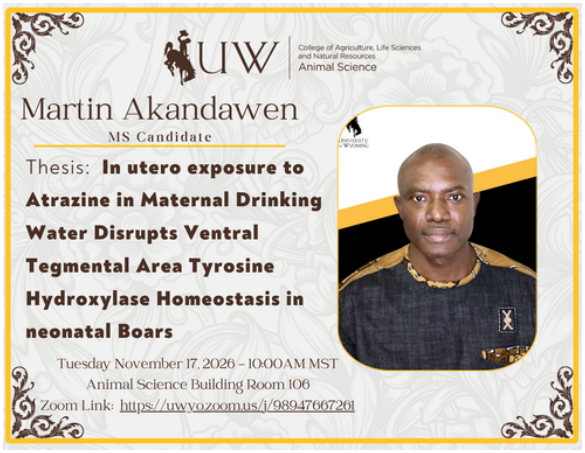
Grad Students



Nikhil defended his PhD



Samuel defended his master's



Martin defended his master's

Publication alert! 🎉

Bisha Lab published an article titled "Pathogenic Escherichia coli isolated from recreational waters in northwestern Wyoming display multidrug resistance."

New Grad Students

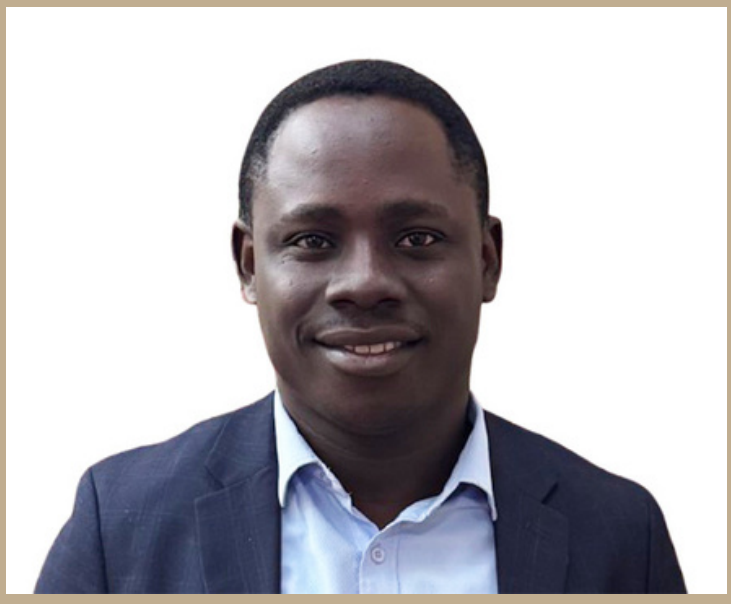


Bailey Lamb

- Graduate Research Assistant under Dr. Whit Stewart

Oluwatobi Ogunsola (Tobi)

- Graduate Research Assistant under Dr. Dana Dittoe



Meat Judging Team





The team earned a sixth-place finish at the Eastern National Contest in Wyalusing, PA, followed by a fourth-place finish at the American Royal Contest. They wrapped up their season with another impressive fourth-place finish at their final contest!

They hosted their first-ever Wyoming Youth Meat Judging Camp and it was incredible to have 54 campers join them in Laramie!
Campers from Wyoming, Nebraska, Colorado, Idaho, and Texas spent a day and a half with us learning about and practicing pork, beef, and lamb evaluation, and retail cut ID & beef grading.



Clubs/Organizations



WCCA toured JBS in Greeley, CO.



They also participated in the homecoming parade!



Safe Treat



Miller Feed Yard tour



The Ranch Horse Team competed in Elbert, CO for their first show of the semester.



Their Halloween practice >>





They hosted a 3 Man Brand as well as an Open horse show!



Our UWYO Cowboy Joe Handlers!



The Equestrian Team at their home show >>



Equestrian Team media day!

Pre-Vet club hosted a free pet wash!





Pre-Vet club at Safe Treat.

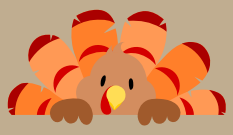
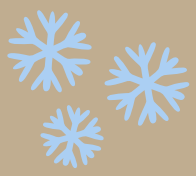
Collegiate Farm Bureau hosted a “speed dating” with WY Farm Bureau staff.





Collegiate Farm Bureau attended the WY Farm Bureau Annual Meeting!

Upcoming Events

Nov. 20-22	Ranch Horse Team Show in Sterling, CO
Nov. 25-29	Thanksgiving Break 
Dec. 2	Aniket Sharma, PhD student, seminar
Dec. 5-6	Equestrian Team show @ CU
Dec. 7	McKensie Phillips defends her PhD
Dec. 9	Saige Ward, MS student, seminar
Dec. 19 - Jan. 18	Winter Break 

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