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ASCB publishes original research in the fields of:
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Our members are everywhere, representing 65 countries including:
- Afghanistan • Argentina • Australia • Austria • Belgium • Brazil • Canada • Chile • China
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DIVERSE
Our members have wide-ranging research interests including:
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Why advertise with ASCB?

ASCB has been home to thousands of scientists across the globe, working in dozens of fields and areas of study. ASCB has housed an impressive and diverse array of members from graduate students and postdocs to 45 Lasker Awardees and 42 Nobel laureates—meaning you will always find the right audience for YOUR message. With over fifty years as an established scientific society, there is no better place to be seen than in our print and online publications, tried-and-true outlets that ensure your message reaches the right people.

ASCB—ahead of the curve

• ASCB is an international forum. With rapidly expanding initiatives in China, the Middle East, Europe, and many other countries, ASCB is making inroads into a global market — an opportunity for you to reach new and untapped markets.
• ASCB stays on top of member interests with specialized committees. Committees tackle current, relevant issues such as reproducibility, ensuring that ASCB’s voice is heard clearly in the scientific community. The ASCB also has an active presence on Capitol Hill where our efforts bring the fight for science funding to the highest levels of government.
• Exceptional editorial content, including work by Nobel laureates. ASCB’s high standard for publication ensures consistent relevance in today’s rapidly changing scientific landscape.
• Marketing and graphics support — we ensure your message looks good while providing quick turnaround when you have questions.

Grow with ASCB

Promotion through ASCB is a two-way street. When you advertise with ASCB, you strengthen and promote the scientific community, providing us with the resources to further the interests of our membership. ASCB is an inclusive, international community of biologists studying the cell, the fundamental unit of life. We are dedicated to advancing scientific discovery, advocating sound research policies, improving education, promoting professional development, and increasing diversity in the scientific workforce. We are committed to growing the community, and our growth expands your audience.
ASCORB offers several print and online publications, each catering to a different demographic of scientific interest. Increase your visibility and see a clear return on your investment with an advertisement in one of our publications today.

**access online**

**ASCORB Newsletter**

The ASCORB Newsletter offers six issues, each with a theme, beginning with the June issue. This printed publication, with a circulation of nearly 8,000 updates members on grant and award opportunities, public policy briefings, meeting announcements, news of interest to basic scientists, members in the news, and more.

**Annual Meeting Program**

Every scientist will see your ad as they use the program at the meeting to plan their schedule, during the meeting, and afterwards as a reference source.

Maximize your marketing with a full color ad! Circulation is ~6,000.

**Annual Meeting Poster Guide**

The ASCORB Poster Guide provides 6,000 attendees with an onsite reference to all poster sessions at the meeting. It lists the days, board numbers, titles and authors of all posters presented at the meeting.

*Online-only meetings will utilize alternate format

**Purchase a banner ad on one of our high-traffic journal websites.**

**Molecular Biology of the Cell (MBoC)**

Molecular Biology of the Cell (MBoC) is ASCORB’s premiere scientific journal. It is published twice per month online.

The website has an average of 500,000 pageviews per month.

**CBE—Life Sciences Education (LSE)**

CBE—Life Sciences Education (LSE) is a peer-reviewed journal of life science education research and evidence-based practice.

The website has an average of 155,116 pageviews per month.

**The ASCORB Post**

The ASCORB Post, ASCORB’s all-inclusive digital news source contains Science Policy, Career and Science News articles available to members and non-members.

**ASCORB Post Website—Interior Pages**

Your ad would be placed on the front page as well as all interior news pages for the month you purchase. About 6,000 users visit the news site per month.

**AI-curated ASCORB Newsbrief**

The ASCORB Newsbrief Email is sent out biweekly to members. As users click on content, the AI customizes future content based on interests.
Keep your finger on the pulse of the cell biology community. Spread your message with the ASCB Newsletter.

There’s no better way to reach ASCB members than to advertise in the ASCB Newsletter. The ASCB Newsletter provides you with the ability to target the entire membership with your message in a timely, precise manner. Articles cover a wide range of material, from write-ups of groundbreaking research, career advice, public policy updates, grant opportunities, and more. Additionally, the newsletter allows the membership a forum in which to discuss the latest ideas, news, and opportunities currently trending within the cell biology community.

Target your advertising with the ASCB Newsletter’s special issues or engage in blanket coverage with our special discounts for multiple month advertising packages.

2021 Editorial Calendar

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Advertise online with MBoC, the worldwide journal of researchers & scientists featuring the best in cell biology and biomedical research.

Published 24 times a year, MBoC is the journal of important research in all areas of cell biology and life sciences, from biophysics to genetics to neuroscience. 

All submissions are reviewed by working scientists, who make up our outstanding editorial board and represent the varied range of life science disciplines in MBoC.

MBoC is the journal of choice among the most respected scientists in the field. Just a few of the distinguished scientists who have published important work in MBoC are Liz Blackburn, David Botstein, Marilyn Farquhar, Bob Goldman, Dyche Mullins, James Nelson, Tom Pollard, John Pringle, James E. Rothman, Randy Schekman, Sandy Schmid, Roger Tsien, and Yixian Zheng.

MBoC’s high visibility benefits both authors and advertisers. All 9,000 ASCB members subscribe, and more than 12,000 people receive the e-mailed table of contents for each issue.

Put your message online with LSE, the open-access journal for excellence in biology education research and evidence-based teaching

CBE—Life Sciences Education (LSE) is the premier, peer-reviewed biology education journal of the American Society for Cell Biology, in editorial partnership with the Genetics Society of America.

LSE publishes original articles and essays on biology education for the K–12, undergraduate, and graduate levels. LSE also publishes research aimed at understanding learning in the life sciences.

Publish for free. LSE is an open access journal. Its goal is to have the best in teaching innovations open and available for all educators.

“Leaders of biology education value LSE’s high standards and ability to reach the ‘grassroots’—people who teach biology. Our approach is both thoughtful and developmental and leads to exemplary biology education studies.”

– Erin Dolan, Editor-in-Chief, Executive Director, Texas Center for Science Discovery, UT-Austin
Advertise in the annual meeting program, poster guide and mobile app

The indispensible guides to Cell Bio 2021–An ASCB|EMBO Meeting, the largest conference of cell biologists in the world.

The Meeting Program and Poster Guide are provided to every attendee upon check-in at our Annual Meeting, ensuring that thousands of eyes will be on your message.

Drive traffic to your booth with targeted ads in the Poster Guide. Be sure to ask about what we can do for you to increase visibility!

Over 60% of all ASCB|EMBO meeting attendees use the free annual meeting mobile app! Target your audience with a strategically timed alert banner, or bundle an ad in the Annual Meeting Program with an Annual Meeting App sponsorship banner and see the returns for yourself.

Tailor your app message with a variety of different advertising options:

*Premium Support • Upgraded Exhibitor Listing • Mobile App Banner Ad

Ask us about our digital offerings!

*App and banner view subject to change
High-Impact Digital Advertising

Highlighted Events Page Banner Ad
$2500
Ensure your message is seen on the ASCB Meetings & Events page! Place your clickable banner ad on this highly-trafficked web page, which details all upcoming ASCB meetings and webinars.

Retargeting Ads
$3,700 (Choose social or web or both)
Advertising retargeting campaigns let you get your message in front of highly qualified ASCB website visitors with ads across the web.

How it Works
Submit your custom ad graphics with a redirecting URL, and we'll do the rest! Cookied ASCB website visitors enter our targeted database, enabling your message to be viewed on their frequently-visited websites. Your ads can show on nearly any website that our audience visits!

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Ads can run for any desired period. A maximum of 8 ads will run on both MBoC and LSE (respectively) any time. A maximum of 4 ads will rotate in each ASCB Post Website position at any one time.

### Discounts and Special Issues

- **Newsletter Discounts**
  - 15% Agency discount
  - 15-20% discount for 6 placements/ calendar year

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Reflecting its deep concern about the widespread misuse of journal impact factors to evaluate the outputs of scientific research, ASCB will not permit advertisement of journal impact factors in any of its publications, nor will it distribute on behalf of exhibitors at the ASCB Annual Meeting promotional materials that mention a journal’s impact factor (except in the case of a complete issue of a journal that happens to contain such mention in interior pages).
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Please submit ads as hi-res pdf with fonts embedded, or JPEG file, CMYK format, 300 dpi or higher. Online ads must be under 200k in file size. Images that are PNG, JPG, GIFs (animated or otherwise) in the specified dimensions are fine to be submitted for ads. SWF (flash based ads) must be hosted on their server with the appropriate script code given to us.

**ASCB Newsletter Sizes**
- Full Page (Trim Area): 8.25 in x 10.75 in
- Full Page (Full Bleed): 8.5 in x 11.125 in
- Half Page Horizontal: 7.625 in x 5 in
- Quarter Page: 3.75 in x 5 in

**ASCB Blog (The ASCB Post) Website Banner Sizes**
- Square banner: 250w x 250h
- Horizontal Banner (Appears below articles): 468w x 90h

**AI-curated ASCB Newsbrief**
- Horizontal Banner (Top): 550w x 150h
- Square banner: 250w x 250h

**Program and Poster Guide Sizes**
- Full Page (Trim Area): 8.375 in x 10.875 in
- Full Page (Full Bleed): 8.875 in x 11.375 in
- Half Page Horizontal: 7.5 in x 5 in
- Half Page Vertical: 3.75 in x 10 in
- Quarter Page: 3.75 in x 5 in

**MBoC Sizes**
- Full Page (Trim Area): 8.125 in x 10.875 in
- Full Page (Full Bleed): 8.375 in x 11.125 in
- Half Page Horizontal: 7.5 in x 5 in

**MBoC/LSE Leaderboard Size**
- 468w x 90h

**Mobile App Session Banner**
Please provide a click-through URL (mobile optimized landing page recommended)
Image file in .png format at 640w x 160h at 72dpi. Text must be readable at a 320w x 80h resolution. If most of your users have tablets, sponsors can increase the width up to 768w. Image background color in web hex code (e.g. 5c5cef)

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Our leaderboard ads are a great way to spread your message in a prominent, visible location on the Molecular Biology of the Cell (MBoC) and CBE–Life Sciences Education (LSE) websites.
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