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TO: First Annual ASABE CA-NV Section Student Rally Participants

Re: Welcome!

Welcome to the first annual Student Rally for the California-Nevada Section of the ASABE! UC Davis is pleased to host this inaugural event and to welcome all who are participating. The Rally is intended to help you get to know, learn from, and share ideas with others from across the region, become familiar with ASABE and the society of professionals it represents, and to engage with industry and other professionals to help explore career and advanced education possibilities.

The Rally is a student-led event and joins a list of similar rallies in other parts of the country. Students and alumni from universities and colleges throughout California and Nevada that have biological and agricultural engineering related programs have worked in partnership with the national ASABE organization and its Foundation, faculty, and public and private sector sponsors in organizing the event. The Rally includes opportunities to meet and network, tour research laboratories and other facilities, and work together in establishing a formal governance structure.

Your active involvement with the Rally is encouraged and greatly appreciated. The Rally will rotate to different institutions in subsequent years, and your participation will help in developing future programs and building the sense of community among all those studying and working within the field.

Working together for more than a hundred years, UC Davis shares a rich history with ASABE and we are proud to join with all the other schools and sponsors in supporting the Rally. Thank you for attending, and may you find the experience enjoyable, enriching and rewarding.

Welcome!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bryan M. Jenkins", written over a large, stylized, teardrop-shaped graphic element.

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