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# NDSU distinguished professor named 2024 AAAS Fellow

Kalpana Katti, NDSU University Distinguished Professor of civil and environmental engineering, will be recognized as a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the world's largest general scientific society and publisher of the Science family of journals.



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## NDSU looks to strengthen support of industry partnerships

NDSU has begun a multi-year initiative to obtain an Innovation and Economic Prosperity designation. Earning this designation demonstrates a university's commitment to innovation and economic impact.



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## NDSU receives award for best dining facility

The prestigious honor recognizes the unwavering commitment NDSU has for providing safe, top-quality dining experiences for all students, including those with food allergies and dietary restrictions.

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## Former World Bank president to speak at NDSU

Robert Zoellick will speak at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, April 8 in the Oceti Sakowin Ballroom at the NDSU Memorial Union. Zoellick is regarded as a leading expert in global economics and international relations.

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## NDSU professor's study aims to help restore soil health after wildfires

Eglantina Lopez Echartea, NDSU assistant professor of microbiological sciences, is looking further into possible soil contamination and other aftereffects of wildfires. One outcome of the research is to provide data for the state's farmers and ranchers to help restore soil health.



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## NDSU student project is Ag Tech Expo grand champion

NDSU student Joanna Daniella Fajardo was named the grand champion during the 77th annual Agricultural Technology Exposition. Her novel project identifies pest and disease damage in crops.



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