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Thank You to Our Members for Another Great Year

2023 has seen continued growth in GSG program participation and an even stronger commitment by the biotech seed industry to good stewardship. Next year will be an exciting one for GSG and its members, as we introduce genome editing and academic programs. This expansion will position us to address the challenges and embrace the opportunities presented by advances in the industry.

Happy Holidays, and thank you for your commitment to stewardship in 2023. We look forward to continuing our partnership in 2024!



The Expert Chronicles

This month's Expert Chronicles is in the form of the Global Stewardship Group's latest webinar: Preparing for the Regulation of GM and PBI. John McMurdy of CropLife International and Jennifer Hubert of CropLife Canada provide great insight into the global landscape surrounding the introduction of genome editing. It is available, along with the GSG webinar archive, through the Media section under Member Resources on the ETS website.

Be on the lookout for information on our next webinar in the first quarter of 2024.

[View the Webinar](#)

Submissions for Expert Chronicles

Expert Chronicles submissions can be in many formats besides original written articles. Existing presentations, videos, and articles that have not yet reached the full GSG member audience are perfect offerings for Expert Chronicles. Please keep this in mind as you create new content. **You might already have a finished product for submission!**

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Spotlight on ETS Member Resources

One of the most important resources available to ETS members is the document on Internal Audit Training. It provides valuable information on the audit process, audit preparation, and the audit itself. In addition, there are examples of scenarios that you could be asked to address during an audit.

This is can be found on the "Prepare for Your Audit" page in the Member Resources section of the ETS website.

[Internal Audit Training](#)



Have you Submitted your Audit Plan?

Remember, at the beginning of every Audit Cycle, you must submit an Audit Plan.

The Audit Plan is a draft road map of your planned audits. It is a working document that can be updated at any time by contacting the

Global Stewardship Group staff.

To submit your Audit Plan, click the **Send My Audit Plan button.

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