



Iowa State University Department of Economics

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Announcements

COVID-19 Research Networking event

The Office of the Vice President for Research is facilitating a virtual networking event to explore collaborative interdisciplinary research opportunities addressing the COVID-19 pandemic via Zoom at 2 p.m. on April 28. Faculty need to register by noon on April 23.

New FAQ on work from home guidelines

The ISU Division of Operations and Finance this week posted new FAQ guidance on home office and remote work costs. It's emphasized that supervisors should strive for flexibility and accommodation with employees whenever practical.

New COVID-19-related funding opportunities

NIFA recently added a program area to its main Agricultural and Food Research Initiative RFA: Rapid Response to Novel Coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) Impacts Across Food and Agricultural Systems.

Department Highlights

Gamma Sigma Delta honor society announces awardees

The Iowa Chapter of Gamma Sigma Delta, the Honor Society of Agriculture, has announced the winners of annual awards presented to Iowa State University College of Agriculture and Life Sciences faculty, students and alumni.

COVID-19 impact on pork industry: Schulz

Lee Schulz, associate professor, was interviewed on Iowa Public Radio, April 21.

CARD ethanol study cited

The recent CARD analysis, "The Impact of COVID-19 on Iowa's Corn, Soybean, Ethanol, Pork, and Beef Sectors," was the subject of an April 22 *Ethanol Producer Magazine* story, "ISU study projects dramatic losses for ethanol industry."

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