



Iowa State University Department of Economics

Friday, August 31, 2018

Announcements

Labor Day is Sept. 3

The Economics administrative offices (and all university offices) will be closed and classes will not meet on Monday, Sept. 3, to observe the national Labor Day holiday.

CALS dean finalists forums to be held

Dean finalists: College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Open forums will be held from 3 to 4 p.m. in the Memorial Union. Candidates will be announced one business day prior to arriving on campus.

Department Highlights

Balistreri comment in *Nature*

Edward Balistreri, associate professor, recently had a Correspondence (short comment) published in *Nature*, 560, 553 (2018).

“Consumption rebound could undermine border carbon-adjustment charges”

Hayes, Hart on new U.S.-Mexico deal

Dermot Hayes, professor, and Chad Hart, associate professor, were interviewed for an Aug. 27th *Des Moines Register* article on the new trade agreement between Mexico and the United States.

Schulz article in *Wallaces Farmer*

Lee Schulz, associate professor, contributed an article on effects of beef prices on consumers in *Wallaces Farmer* Aug. 22, 2018.

Undergrad wins paper competition

Economics senior Skyler Schneekloth did very well at the AAEA annual meetings in Washington, DC in August, winning the Undergraduate Student Paper competition.

Upcoming Events

2018 CALS fall convocation

Tuesday, September 4, 2018

4:10 pm

Sun Room, Memorial Union

Tom Vilsack lecture

Tuesday, September 4, 2018

6:30 pm

Great Hall, Memorial Union

[Panel Discussion on Diversity & Inclusion in the Agriculture & Food System - Perspectives from CALS Leadership](#)

Thursday, September 6, 2018

3:40-5:00 pm

13 Curtiss Hall

[Labor-Public Economics Workshop: Peter Orazem \(ISU\)](#)

Thursday, September 6, 2018

3:40-5:00 pm

360 Heady Hall

[Daniel Kaffine \(University of Colorado Boulder\)](#)

Friday, September 7, 2018

3:40-5:00 pm

368A Heady Hall

[EGSA fall picnic](#)

Friday, September 7, 2018

5:00-8:00 pm

Brookside Park, Maple Shelter, 1325 6th St., Ames

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