

# Iowa State University Department of Economics

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## Announcement

LAS Seed Grants for Social Science - Call for Proposals LAS Seed Grants for Social Science program Proposals should be submitted electronically to Julie Palmer at jmpalmer@iastate.edu by Feb. 1, 2019.

# **Department Highlights**

#### Winters receives Georgescu-Roegen Prize

John V. Winters, associate professor, was awarded the Georgescu-Roegen Prize in Economics 2018 Runner-Up.

## Grad students win Prescott awards

On Dec. 3, 2018, Jeri Prescott presented the James R. Prescott Scholarship in Economics to graduate students at a reception in Heady Hall.

#### Fall 2018 Ag Policy Review now available

The Fall 2018 edition of the Center for Agricultural and Rural Development's (CARD) Agricultural Policy Review is now available.

**Zwiefel, Smith new council officers** Ag Business was well represented Nov. 28 at the CALS Student Council's last meeting of the year.

#### Ag Bus senior wins honor

Ag Bus senior Gary Wynne was elected to the Cardinal Court for Iowa State's 2018 Homecoming.

#### Hayes media contacts

Dermot Hayes, professor, was quoted in several media outlets this week:

#### Hart in the news

Chad Hart, associate professor, had interviews with multiple media outlets this week:

#### Plastina interviewed on net returns calculator

Alejandro Plastina, assistant professor, was interviewed on RFD-TV about the Cover Crops Net Returns Calculator.

#### Media contacts, Swenson

David Swenson, associate scientist, has been interviewed by several media outlets this week:

Job Opportunities Iowa Farm Bureau Senior Economist West Des Moines, Iowa

#### Central Bank of the Republic of China (Taiwan)

Research Staff (2 or 3 positions) Application deadline: **Jan. 4, 2019** 

## Upcoming Events

Econ 693 Presentation: Jiang Thursday, December 13, 2018 3:40 pm to 5:00 pm 368A Heady Hall

#### **CALS Graduation Convocation**

Friday, December 14, 2018 10:00 am Hilton Coliseum

#### ISU Fall Undergraduate Commencement

Saturday, December 15, 2018 1:30 pm Hilton Coliseum

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