



Iowa State University

Department of Economics

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Announcements

New number for Otto

Donna Otto, secretary to the chair, has a new phone number and address effective Friday, July 12: **294-8835** and **266A Heady Hall**. Her email remains the same: dotto@iastate.edu.

Call for faculty to join Water Scholars Learning Community

We invite faculty from the arts and sciences at Iowa State University to join the Water Scholars Faculty Learning Community that will be held in the 2019-2020 academic year. Faculty will be assigned to small, subject-diverse groups that will meet once a month for professional development and group-work exercises to explore each other's disciplines.

Department Highlights

New publication for Huffman

Wallace Huffman, professor, with Ying Huang, has had the article, "Life cycle models of women's body mass index and probability of being obese: Evidence from panel data," accepted for publication in the journal *Agricultural Economics*.

New article for Pudenz and Schulz

Chris Pudenz, graduate student, Lee Schulz, associate professor, and CJ Rademacher, recently had an article published in the *Journal of Swine Health and Production*.

Schulz speaks at economic summit

Lee Schulz, associate professor, spoke at the Iowa Farm Bureau's 2019 Economic Summit June 28, 2019, in Des Moines.

Rosenbloom on NPR podcast

Joshua Rosenbloom, professor and department chair, was interviewed on the July 5th NPR podcast *The Indicator* for the segment on the American economy at the time of the American revolution.

Hart: Candidates must love ethanol

Chad Hart, associate professor, was quoted in a July 3 *Bloomberg* article about presidential candidates campaigning in Iowa.

Farm co-op consolidation: Jacobs

Co-op research by Keri Jacobs, associate professor, was cited in a July 10th story on Feedstuffs.com, "Farm co-op consolidation shifting to offensive."

Swenson helps with Marshalltown recovery

David Swenson, associate scientist, is part of the effort to aid the community's recovery from an EF-3 tornado in Marshalltown July, 2018.

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