

Iowa State University Department of Economics

Friday, March 15, 2019 (Next newsletter will be March 29.)

Department Highlights

New publication for Tesfatsion

Leigh Tesfatsion, research professor, had a paper published in a recent issue of the journal *Applied Energy*.

Hart: Farmers an important piece of Trump's base

Chad Hart, associate professor, was interviewed for the story "No breakthroughs, but Iowa farmers hear end to tariffs is near," in the *Lake Mills Graphic* March 13, 2019.

Keiser study cited in article

The paper, "Consequences of the Clean Water Act and the Demand for Water Quality," by David Keiser, assistant professor, and Joseph Shapiro, University of California Berkeley, was cited in the *Plains Gazette* March 13, 2019.

Zhang on land value survey results

Wendong Zhang, assistant professor, was interviewed for a story in the March 14, 2019, *Ames Tribune*, "Land Trends and Values Survey shows decrease in cropland prices in Iowa."

Swenson on ethanol, retail closings, confinement operations

David Swenson, associate scientist, had several recent media contacts:

Upcoming Events

Faculty forum for Workday and ISD

Tuesday, March 26, 2019 10 am and 1 pm Sun Room, Memorial Union

Faculty Workshop: Effectively managing disruptive classroom behavior

Tuesday, March 26, 2019 3:10 pm to 4:00 pm

Pioneer Policy Lecture: Petra Moser (NYU)

Wednesday, March 27, 2019 3:40 pm to 5:00 pm 368A Heady Hall

Iowa State Research Day

Thursday, March 28, 2019 10:00 am to 3:30 pm Memorial Union

Economics Teaching Workshop

Saturday, April 13, 2019 8:00 am to 2:30 pm The University of Kentucky in Lexington, KY Registration deadline: **March 29**

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