



Iowa State University Department of Economics

Friday, September 21, 2018

Announcements

Dean's High Impact Awards for Undergraduate Research

Applications for Spring, 2019 Dean's High Impact Awards for Undergraduate Research will be accepted until Oct. 18, 2018.

Mid-America Alliance for African Studies Conference 2018 - Call for abstracts

Please submit a 250-word abstract or panel description by Sept. 10, 2018 and register for the MAAAS 2018 Conference at the MAAAS website:

Department Highlights

New publications for Zhang

Wendong Zhang, assistant professor, just published two articles:

1. Do farmers adopt fewer conservation practices on rented land? Evidence from straw retention in China Land Use Policy <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0264837717310761>

Liu presents two papers at meeting

Fange Liu, job market candidate, presented two papers at the AAEA Meetings in Washington, D.C., Aug. 6, 2018:

Grad students make selected presentations at AAEA

Fourth year grad student Wendiam Sawadgo, made a selected presentation, discussant test session, at the AAEA Meetings in Washington, D.C. Aug. 5-7, 2018:

Hayes quoted in *Agweb* story

Dermot Hayes, professor, was quoted in stories in three September 19, 2018 media stories:

Recent Hart media contacts

Chad Hart, associate professor, had several media interviews recently, including:

Zhang presentation, article on Chinese ag

Wendong Zhang, assistant professor, gave a presentation at the Mid America CropLife Association annual meeting, which was used in a @croplifemag article about agriculture in China and the US.

Swenson media interviews

David Swenson, associate scientist, gave several recent interviews with media:

Amy Mayer, Iowa Public Radio, about farm labor in Iowa and the potential of growth in farm labor helping to stabilize declining communities.

Upcoming Events

English skills with Dr. Wendong Zhang

Monday, September 24, 2018

1:10 pm to 2:30 pm

360 Heady Hall

Pioneer Policy Lecture: Alberto Galasso (University of Toronto)

Monday, September 24, 2018

3:40 pm to 5:00 pm

368A Heady Hall

John Winters (ISU)

Thursday, September 27, 2018

3:40 pm to 5:00 pm

360 Heady Hall

CALS Diversity Programs Cultural Competency Series: Unconscious Bias Workshop

Friday, September 28, 2018

1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Location TBD

Iowa Secretary of Agriculture Candidate Debate

Wednesday, October 3, 2018

3:10 pm to 5:00 pm

Gallery, Memorial Union

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