Department Highlights

Tesfatsion recent working paper

Jacobs speaks at two outreach events
On Thurs., Feb. 16, Keri Jacobs, Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Economics Professor and extension economist, moderated a session at the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives Annual Meeting in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Dove named 2017 AAEA Fellow
Alumna Damona Doye, Oklahoma State University, is one of five outstanding AAEA members to be selected by the AAEA Fellows Selection Committee to be honored as the 2017 AAEA Fellows.

Alum wins NCC Cotton Service Award
Dr. Mark Lange, who served as president and chief executive officer for the
National Cotton Council from 2003 until his retirement in 2015, is the recipient of the 2016 Harry S. Baker Distinguished Service Award.

Department Media Contacts

Herman Quirmbach, associate professor, commented on a proposed bill pending before the State Senate's Education Committee that would force Iowa’s public universities to base faculty-hiring decisions on applicants’ political-party affiliations.

Chad Hart, associate professor, was interviewed by Paul Davidson for a story in the Wisconsin State Farmer, part of the USA Today network, about how a Mexican retaliation to Trump’s proposed border tax could hurt Iowa and other Midwest corn farmers.

Job Opportunities

Economic Research Service
Student Trainee (Economics)- Pathways Intern
Closing date: March 3, 2017

Simpson College
Assistant/Associate Professor, Economics
Tenure-track
Emphasis in macroeconomics, international economics, finance, and econometrics
Indianola, IA
Start date: Aug. 20 2017
University of Wyoming
Post Doctoral Research Associate
Laramie, WY
Application deadline: March 22, 2017

University of Tennessee
Assistant/Associate/Full Professor of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Extension
Knoxville, TN
Application deadline: March 15, 2015
Position available June 1, 2017

Upcoming Events
Greg Kaplan (University of Chicago)
"Micro Heterogeneity and Aggregate Consumption Dynamics"
Monday, February 27, 2017
3:40pm to 5:00pm
368A Heady Hall

Finding Foundation Funding and What to do Once You’ve Found a Match
Thursday, March 2, 2017
3:00pm to 4:30pm
Kildee Hall, Ensminger Room