



Iowa State University Department of Economics

Friday, November 12, 2021

Announcements

Neil Harl passes

Emeritus Professor Neil Harl passed away Thursday, Nov. 4, 2021, at Mary Greeley Medical Center in Ames.

Washington Center for Equitable Growth - Call for Proposals

The Washington Center for Equitable Growth is pleased to announce the launch of its 2022 Request for Proposals.

Department Highlights

Ag Startup Engine awarded LWBJ Impact Award

The Ag Startup Engine was awarded the 2021 LWBJ Impact Award at the Technology Association of Iowa's annual Prometheus Award event Nov. 4 in Des Moines, IA.

Inflation impacted contract vote: Orazem

Peter Orazem, university professor, was interviewed for a Nov. 5 Marketplace story, "Deere union remains on strike, holding out for a better deal."

Hart on Iowa Press

Chad Hart, professor, appeared on the Nov. 5 Iowa PBS program Iowa Press to discuss the 2021 harvest and the agricultural economy, as well as climate, drought conditions and other extreme weather.

Hard to guess where urban growth will go: Zhang

Wendong Zhang, associate professor, was interviewed for a Nov. 9 *Des Moines Register* story, "Pressured by suburban growth, grain elevators will close in Altoona, Bondurant — 'beacon on the prairie' to vanish."

Deere can afford to settle strike: Swenson

David Swenson, research scientist, was interviewed for a Nov. 5 story in *WhatsNew2day.com*, "10,000 John Deere Workers Strike THREE WEEKS at Midwest Plants."

Faculty and grad students visit Pudenz farm

PhD student Chris Pudenz and his family hosted two dozen graduate students and several junior faculty on their Carroll, Iowa, farm on Nov. 7.

Upcoming Events

Webinar: Investing in Rural Prosperity

Federal Reserve Board and Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis

Tuesday, November 16, 2021

2:00 pm

Paul Gallagher Retirement Reception

Tuesday, November 16, 2021

2:30 pm to 4:00 pm

368A Heady Hall

CALS Alumni Conversation; Building Inclusive Communities Webinar Series

Wednesday, November 17, 2021

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Eseul Choi (ISU)

Labor-Public Economics Workshop

Wednesday, November 17, 2021

3:40 pm to 5:00 pm

368A Heady Hall

Eric Edwards (North Carolina State University)

Joint Labor-Public Economics Workshop/Economics Department Seminar

Thursday, November 18, 2021

3:40 pm to 5:00 pm

Virtual

Juan C. Cordoba (ISU)

Macro/Micro/Dev/Trade/Env Reading Group

Friday, November 19, 2021

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

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