



Iowa State University Department of Economics

Friday, September 3, 2021 (Next newsletter, September 17)

Announcements

Weekly COVID-19 updates now online

Iowa State University now provides weekly updates on campus COVID-19 testing results as well as county- and state-level data provided by the Iowa Department of Public Health (IDPH) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Updates are published on Wednesdays.

Distinguished Lecture: Michael I. Jordan, UC Berkeley

The Decision-Making Side of Machine Learning: Computational, Inferential and Economic Perspectives
Wednesday, Sept. 8, 4:25 to 5:25 pm

Location: <https://iastate.zoom.us/j/91346303582> or in-person stream at 1230 Communications

Department Highlights

New report by Plastina

Alejandro Plastina, associate professor, has a new report, “Egg Processing, Cartoning and Transportation Costs: 2020 Update,” in collaboration with the Egg Industry Center at ISU.

Bartalotti: Low-income housing often clustered together

Otavio Bartalotti, associate professor, was interviewed for an Aug. 30 *Quad-City Times* story, “What’s going up? Davenport’s rental prices. And if you are a low-wage earner, you might not be able to keep up.”

Media contacts: Dave Swenson

David Swenson, research scientist, has had recent media contacts:

Upcoming Events

CALS annual BBQ

Saturday, September 4, 2021

11:30 am

Jeff and Deb Hansen Agriculture Student Learning Center

Inclusive Classroom Workshop

Tuesday, September 7, 2021

12:00 pm to 1:30 pm

Kyubin Yim (ISU)

Virtual Labor-Public Economics Workshop/Department Seminar

Thursday, September 9, 2021

3:40 pm to 5:00 pm

Katherine Harris-Lagoudakis (ISU)
Labor-Public Economics Workshop
Thursday, September 16, 2021
3:40 pm to 5:00 pm
368A Heady Hall

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