

Purdue Agricultural Economics Newsletter

Keeping Track

May 2016

Calendar of Events:

May 2-7	Final Exams
May 10	Deadline for grades to be submitted vis Blackboard/Banner
May 13-15	Commencement
June 13	8 week Summer Module begins
July 30-August 2	AAEA Conference – Boston, MA
August 6	Commencement

Photo of the Month: Office Flocking Winners from Food Finders Event

**Jill Hufford/Kim Mullen
Michael Wetzstein**





Congratulations

Jacob Gilbert-Ricker promotion to Associate Professor.

Wally Tyner will be a member of a National Academy of Sciences committee reviewing the U.S. Renewable Fuel Standard in May.

Thought you would like to know:

Adriela Fernandez participated at the 2016 Brazilian Association for International Education - FAUBAI – 2016 Conference on Social Responsibility in the Internationalization of Higher Education, that took place in Fortaleza, Brazil, April 16-20, with the paper entitled Building an Interdisciplinary, Technology Intensive, and Collaborative Model For International Education, which she co-authored with Renee Valentina Lopez, of ITESM, Mexico. 150 universities from the Americas and Europe were represented at that event.



Adriela Fernandez participated in the Salvador phase of the 2016 EducationUSA, Brazil, meeting students, parents and college counselors at the Pan American School of Bahia (PASB). This is a private, co-educational pre-school through 12th grade institution offering a college preparatory program based upon American curriculum standards and teaching methods. The primary language of instruction is English. PASB awards the American High School Diploma, the Brazilian Diploma, and the International Baccalaureate Diploma.



Adriela Fernandez with students at the Pan American School of Bahia

She then met with last year college students interested in graduate school, either one year or a masters or PhD complete degree in the US, and high school seniors of other private schools in Fortaleza, in an event sponsored by the cultural attaché of the American consulate in Rio de Janeiro, Ms. Beata Angelica, in the photo below:



Dr. Fernandez with the USA cultural attaché for the region

News from AGEC Graduate Students

Poster Competition at the Snyder Lecture:

People's choice: **Ayoung Kim and Yanbing Wang;**

Third place: **Jingyu Song;**

Second place: **Xin Zhao;**

First place: **Yanbing Wang**.

Ariana Torres' paper "The Economic Implications of Social Capital on Hispanic Entrepreneurship" was selected as Outstanding Paper by the Mid-Continent Regional Science Association. Her paper will be published in the Journal of Regional Analysis & Policy and Ariana will be presenting it at the association conference in June 2016.

Ariana Torres received the Bilisland Dissertation Fellowship after being selected by the College of Agriculture Graduate Council.

Anna Josephson has been selected as a \$1000 award recipient of the D. Woods Thomas Memorial Fund Award to Support International Activities. Anna is currently working in Zimbabwe.

This past weekend (23rd and 24th) student from SHaPE present at the 9th Midwest Graduate Student Summit in Applied Economics, Urban and Regional Studies (AERUS) at University of Illinois at Urbana – Champaign .

Hyungkwan M Kim presented Generation and Transmition Expansion Planning with Large-Scale Renewable Energy Integration

Elizabeth Dobis presented Population Growth in American Cities between 1990 and 2010: Hierarchy and Spatial Contagion

Tim Smith presented Childhood poverty exposure and income mobility: a Generalized Propensity Score approach

Huan Li presented Does the Regional Factors Matter on the Intergenerational Elasticity of Poverty

Eleni Bardaka (Civil Engineering) *presented* Causal Identification of Gentrification and Socioeconomic Impacts of Urban Rail

Stanton Hudja (Economics) *presented* Gift Exchange and On The Job Competition: Theory and Evidence

Youzhi Wang *presented* Family Business Sustainability

Ayoung Kim presented A Quasi-experimental Approach to Measuring Industrial Agglomeration and Regional Productivity in U.S. Manufacturing, 2012

Francisco Scott presented Dynamic agglomeration economies, start-ups and relocation of manufacturing and business services establishments

Jeffrey S. Young presented A Follow-Up to 'Land Price Volatility in a Geographically Dispersed Market': Updates to Data and Methodology

Suprabha Baniya (Economics) *presented* Effects of Time Cost on the Trade Pattern

Luis M Pena Levano presented Climate change interactions with agriculture, forestry sequestration, and food security

Yong Jee Kim presented The Change in Income of Rural Households as a Result of Seasonal Migration

News from AGEC Undergraduates

See the success stories of our undergraduates at:

<https://ag.purdue.edu/agecon/Pages/Undergraduate-Success-Stories.aspx>

News from GTAP

News from the Center for Food and Agricultural Business

The Center for Food and Agricultural Business recently launched a new publication called the Purdue Food and Agribusiness Quarterly Review. In the review, faculty take existing business research and insights and tailor them specifically to the unique worlds of food and agricultural business. **Scott Downey** is the managing editor. Read more: <http://agribusiness.purdue.edu/quarterly-review>.

Jennifer Stewart-Burton graduated from the Indiana AgrInstitute's Agricultural Leadership Program on April 9, alongside 25 classmates representing a vast array of Indiana's agriculture and rural development sectors. Other Purdue staff graduates are Tamara Benjamin, assistant program leader for diversified food and farming systems for Purdue Extension, and Amanda Mosiman, agriculture and natural resources educator for Purdue Extension-Warrick County.

Presented papers, seminars and travel

Hertel, T.W., based on work with **U.L.C. Baldos**, "Food and Environmental Security in an Era of Globalization", seminar presented at the IRI-THYS Center, Humboldt University, Berlin, March 17, 2016.

Publications

John M. Connor. Oceanic Disparities in Cartel-Recidivism Attitudes and Penalties. *Cartel & Joint Conduct Review, American Bar Association*. (Spring 2016): 1-9. [preprint available at <http://ssrn.com/abstract=2757784>].

John M. Connor. Artel Fines Are Too Lenient. *GCR Live, "Cartels" Conference*. Organized by the Global Competition Review. Washington, DC (April 5, 2016).

Sun, S., Delgado, M., Sesmero, J. "Dynamic Adjustment in Agricultural Practices to Economic Incentives Aiming to Decrease Fertilizer Application", *Journal of Environmental Management* (in press).

Peters, J. C. and T. W. Hertel. (2016) "The Database-Modelling Nexus in Integrated Assessment Modeling of Electric Power Generation", *Energy Economics* 56:107-116.

Sesmero, J. and Fulginiti, L. "Sustainable Consumption with an Essential Exhaustible Resource Re-examined". Accepted by *Theoretical Economics Letters*.

Career and Job Sites on the Internet:

Purdue Extension Service: see website listed below

Career and Job Sites on the Internet

Purdue	http://www.purdue.edu/jobs
AAEA Job posting	http://www.aaea.org/employment.html
Academic Employment Network	http://www.academploy.com/
Agriculture Career Connection	http://www.ag-biz.com
Ag Careers	http://www.agcareers.com
Academic Position Network	http://www.apnjobs.com/
Academic Keys	http://www.academickeys.com
Community Colleges, misc	http://www.aacc.nche.edu/
ConAgra	(http://jobs.conagrafoods.com/
Chronicle of Higher Education	http://chronicle.merit.edu/jobs/
Education Jobs Page	http://www.nationajob.com/education
Employment/Resume posting	http://galaxy.einet.net/GJ/employment.html
EPA	http://jobs.quickhire.com/scripts/epa.exe
Foreign Ag Service	http://www.fao.org/VA/vac_en.htm
Government Career	http://www.jobsearch.usajobs.opm.gov/
National Job Bank	http://www.jobs.joe.org
USDA, Ag Research Service	http://ars.usda.gov

U.S. International Trade Commission <http://www.ams.usda.gov/lsg/hr/lajobs.htm>
<http://usitc.gov>

<http://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/323686300>

http://www.federalreserve.gov/careers/intern_research.htm

<http://www.fsdinternational.org/intlopps/programs/internships1>

<http://www.fcni.org/young/intern.htm>

<http://www.uschamber.com/careers/internships/default>

<http://www.unausa.org/site/pp.asp?c=fvKRI8MPJpF&b=317257>

<http://web.worldbank.org/WBSITE/EXTERNAL/EXTHRJOBS/0,,contentMDK:20515785~menuPK:1477648~pagePK:64262408~piPK:64262191~theSitePK:1058433,00.html>

For further information, see the Job Posting File in Room 651
Contact Lou Ann Baugh concerning information to be included in future issues of KT

Word to the wise: Stop trying to make everyone happy, you are not chocolate.

