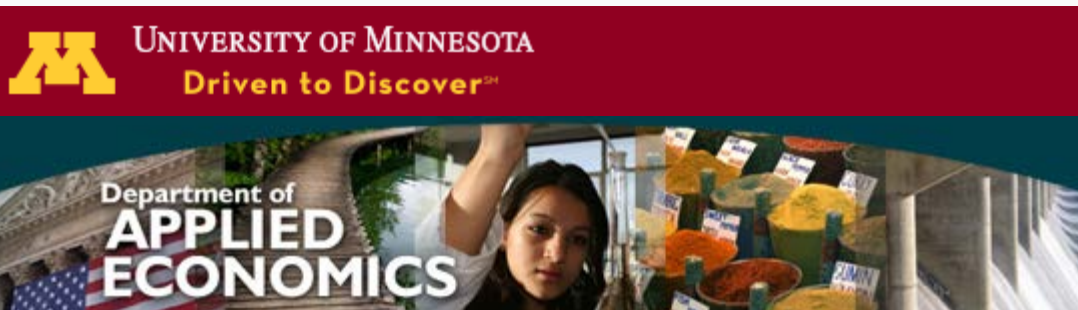


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Announcements

Award Reception and Seminar- RSVP

Applied Economics alum Klaus Deininger will be presenting the Trade and Development Seminar next Friday, September 23. It has been decided that we will host his award presentation and reception on that date as well, immediately following his presentation. If you are unable to attend the seminar, you are still welcome to join us for lunch. Please [RSVP](#) by September 16th for an accurate head count.

Dairy Academy and Farm Tour Experience

A One-Day Exploration of On-Farm Production and Processing
University of Minnesota students interested in food, health and/or agriculture-related careers have an opportunity to share in experiential learning alongside dairy farmers and industry professionals. Throughout the day, students will come to better understand the science behind how dairy products get from the farm to the plate. Together, science, technology and innovation are helping the dairy industry meet consumer needs for safe, nutritious, fresh foods- today and in the future. [RSVP online.](#)

Opportunities

Call for Papers

The SCC-76 "Economics and Management of Risks in Agriculture and Natural Resources" Group is soliciting submissions for the 2017 Annual Meeting, taking place March 30- April 1, 2017 in Pensacola Beach, FL. More information on [submitting a paper](#) and the [annual conference](#) is available online.

Jobs

Assistant Professor

The Food and Resource Economics Department at the University of Florida is seeking to fill a 12-month tenure-accruing position for an Assistant Professor with research and teaching interests in the Economics of International Development. The successful candidate will engage in scholarly activities related to instruction, advising and mentoring undergraduate and graduate students, participating in curriculum enhancement, seeking funding, as well as other related activities. More information and application requirements are [available online.](#)

Associate/Full Professor

The Food and Resource Economics Department of the University of Florida is seeking to fill a 12-month position with tenure at the Associate or Full Professor level, with emphasis on research and teaching in the Economics of International Development. This

appointment will be 60% research (Florida Agricultural Experiment Station) and 40% teaching (College of Agricultural and Life Sciences). Applicants should have a nationally and internationally recognized research program in international development and will be expected to secure external funding to support their program, provide program leadership to faculty in the areas of international development and publish in national and international journals. More information and application requirements are [available online](#).

Economist

The U.S. EPA is recruiting for an economist position located in Washington, D.C. The position is located in the Economics and Policy Analysis Branch (EPAB) of the EPA's Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT). EPAB is responsible for performing economic analyses for all OPPT activities including both regulatory programs under the Toxic Substances Control Act and non-regulatory programs. The Branch also provides economic analyses of markets, financial feasibility studies, and industry sector studies to inform Agency and private sector decision makers as well as provides economic analyses for strategic planning, priority setting, and the measurement of environmental results. This announcement is [available online](#).

Departmental Seminars

Trade and Development Seminar

"Electoral Reciprocity in Programmatic Redistribution: Experimental Evidence" [Paper Available](#)

Sebastian Galiani, Professor, Department of Economics, University of Maryland
Friday, September 16
10:30 a.m., 119 Ruttan Hall

TBD

Klaus Deininger, Lead Economist, Development Research Group, The World Bank - Recipient of the 2016 University of Minnesota Distinguished Leadership Award for Internationals.

Friday, September 23
10:00 a.m., 119 Ruttan Hall

*Seminar will be immediately followed by lunch and award presentation

Agricultural and Applied Economics Seminar

Timothy Richards, Marvin & June Morrison Chair of Agribusiness & Resource Management, W.P. Carey School of Business, Arizona State University
Wednesday, September 21
1:30 p.m., 119 Ruttan Hall

Environmental and Resource Economics Seminar

"Market Power and the Transition to Clean Energy"

Bixuan Sun, Ph.D. Student, Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota
Monday, October 10
12:00 p.m., 230 Ruttan Hall

Seminars in Other Departments

HCRC Brown Bag Seminar

"Early Childhood Interventions: Experimental and Observational Evidence"

Costas Meghir, Yale University
September 15, 2016
9:00 a.m., Humphrey School Room 205

"Inequalities in Access to Early Care and Education? Family-Centered Measures of the Cost-Quality Tradeoff"

Elizabeth Davis, Department of Applied Economics
September 20, 2016
1:00 p.m., Humphrey School Room 205

Minnesota Population Center

MPC Seminar

"Using mixedmetro.com to Study Residential Racial Segregation and Diversity"

Richard Wright, Dartmouth College

Monday, September 19

12:15 p.m., 50 Willey Hall

MPC Workshop

"Childrearing practices and son preference in political conflict settings: New findings from the Palestinian Family Study, 2010"

Allen Tate, Epidemiology and Community Health

Friday, September 16

12:15 p.m., MPC Seminar Room, Willey Hall

"Jobs beyond the academy: Career opportunities with the U.S. Census"

Rachelle Hill (MnRDC) and Sarah Heimel (U.S. Census)

Friday, September 23

12:15 p.m., MPC Seminar Room, Willey

EpiCH Seminar Series

"Beyond Obamacare: Life, Death, and Social Policy"

Jim House, Ph.D., University of Michigan

Friday, September 16

10:00 a.m., West Bank Office Building, Room 140

Healthy Food Summit 2016

Registration for the 2016 Healthy Food Summit, *Food, Microbes and Health*, October 27-28 is now open. Early bird pricing is available through September 23. [You can find more information and register online at the Healthy Food Healthy Lives website.](#)

Departmental Publications

Miller, S., and B. Nkuiya "Coalition formation in fisheries with potential regime shift." *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management* 79 (2016):189-207. [Available online.](#)

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