CONGRATULATIONS!
A huge congratulations to Tade Okediji, recipient of the Outstanding Professor Award from the CFANS Undergraduate Student Board Awards, Gary Cooper, recipient of the Outstanding Professional Advisor Award and Shulio Zhao, recipient of the Alumni Society Scholarship. A round of applause for all of our exceptional winners!

Undergraduate Commencement Reception
As you may have heard, the department is hosting a commencement reception for our ApEc and AFBM graduates on Friday, May 11 prior to CFANS commencement. This will take place in Waite Library from 11:00-12:30 p.m. We have invited students and their families to join us in, so please try and attend to help us congratulate our wonderful grads!

International Dinner RSVP
Just a reminder to RSVP online for the International Dinner. The Grad Club has made it easy to pay ahead of time and secure your spot by setting up a PayPal account. Simply use the apecclub@umn.edu email to send money through PayPal. As a reminder, faculty/staff are $20; grad students are $15. children are $10 and babies are free!

Jobs

Lecturer/Assistant Professor
Applications are invited for a permanent Lecturer/Assistant Professor post in Environmental Policy at University College Dublin, Ireland. Applicants must have a PhD in environmental economics and policy or a related area, a strong, demonstrable commitment to research and international publication in environmental policy design and behavioural science, an ability to teach at University level, a capacity for graduate student supervision, a strong quantitative research and teaching ability, a commitment to translating the fruits of research into policy innovation, excellent interpersonal skills, and a capacity and enthusiasm for working in an interdisciplinary context within the School, the UCD Earth Institute, UCD Geary Institute and the wider academic community. Quantitative methodological research interests and an ability to teach environmental economics, behavioural economics, policy analysis and environmental policy design are mandatory requirements. Read more and apply online.

Departmental Seminars

Agricultural and Applied Economics
"Aging out of WIC and Child Nutrition: Evidence from a Regression Discontinuity Design"
Travis Smith, Assistant Professor, University of Georgia
Wednesday, May 2
12:00 p.m., 119 Ruttan

Environmental and Resource Economics
"Changes in the Perceptions of Risk in the Japanese Housing Market following the Great..."
Tohoku Earthquake & Tsunami
Haseeb Ali, PhD program, ApEc
Monday, April 30
12:00 p.m., 230 Ruttan

Trade and Development
"TBA"
Eric Verhoogen, Professor, Columbia University
Friday, May 4
10:30 a.m., 119 Ruttan Hall

Seminars in Other Departments

MPC Seminar
"Better Together? Couples' Time Use and Well-Being in Encore Adulthood"
Sarah Flood and Phyllis Moen, UMN
Monday, April 30
12:15 p.m., 50 Willey Hall

Minnesota Economics
"Marriage, Labor Supply and the Dynamics of the Social Safety Net"
Alessandra Voena, Chicago
Thursday, May 3
12:00 p.m., CSOM L114

Federal Bag Lunch
"A Neoclassical Theory of Liquidity Trap"
Sebastian Di Tella, Stanford
Monday April 30
12:00 p.m., Research Conference Room

"Optimal Need-Based Financial Aid"
Sebastian Findeisen, University of Mannheim
Tuesday, May 1
12:00 p.m., Research Conference Room

**NOTE: If you wish to attend a seminar or bag lunch at the Federal Reserve Bank you must call 612-204-6455 a MINIMUM of 24 hours in advance to get your name on a visitor list. Be prepared to give your affiliation. If you are not on an approved list, you will not be allowed to attend bag lunches or seminars.

Departmental Publications


