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Announcements

TFIC Luncheon
The next Food Industry Center Luncheon will take place Monday, January 28th in room 202 of the St. Paul Student Center. Speaker Nicholas Dorsey, Blue Buffalo-source capability lead with General Mills Inc. will present "What do you need to do to get in." Nick has been with GMI for a year and a half after having graduated from CFANS with an Applied Economics degree. Nick is in his second role in the organization working as the Blue Buffalo capability lead for Sourcing. RSVP online.

Jobs

Director
World Resources Institute India (WRI India) is hiring a Director of Science & Research to foster a culture of research excellence and ensure high-quality research across WRI India's offices in Delhi, Mumbai, and Bengaluru. Working closely with our Global Science and Research (S&R) team, the Director will lead the peer review process for our knowledge products in India, as well as mentoring staff, developing and providing training, and ensuring that our strategies are evidence-based and contribute to achieving our goals. The position may be based in Delhi, Mumbai, or Bengaluru, with a preference for Delhi. Apply online.

Postdoctoral Researcher
The Grantham Research Institute on Climate Change and the Environment at LSE is seeking a postdoctoral researcher in Environmental/Behavioral Economics. The appointee will be expected to play an active intellectual role in the life of the Institute, including collaborating with other research programmes, such as the ESRC Centre for Climate Change Economics and Policy, and with staff at other universities. Apply online.

Departmental Seminars

Agricultural and Applied Economics
"How to Best Promote Healthy Food: Evaluating the Impact of Policy Mechanisms on Low Income Households"
Dominique Rolando, PhD Candidate, ApEc
Wednesday, December 12
12:00 p.m., 119 Ruttan

Trade and Development
"Indigenous Languages, Prejudice, and Learning in Peru"
Natalia Ordaz Reynoso, PhD Candidate, ApEc
Friday, December 14
10:30 a.m., 119 Ruttan

Seminars in other departments

Federal Reserve Bank Lunches
"Global Firms in Large Devaluations"
Joaquin Blaum, Brown
Tuesday, December 11
12:00 p.m., Research Conference Room
TBA
Abdoulaye Ndiaye, Chicago Fed
Wednesday, December 12
11:00 a.m., Research Conference Room**note time change

TBA
Larry Christiano, Northwestern
Thursday, December 13
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 visitor list, you will not be allowed to attend bag lunches or seminars at the Fed.

**Departmental Publications**


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