Announcements

Save the date!
Congratulations to all of our outstanding recipients: Pat Duncanson, Nancy Morgan and Scott Swinton. Please join us to honor them on Friday, October 4, beginning with a forum discussion entitled “Perspectives on Sustainability in Agriculture” at 2:30 p.m. in the Cargill Building on the St. Paul Campus. Forum will feature Joleen Hadrich as moderator, along with panelists Pat Duncanson, Nancy Morgan, Scott Swinton and Distinguished Leadership Award for Internationals honoree Eugenie Maiga. The award ceremony will follow the forum and begin at 3:30 p.m., where we will also take time to announce and honor our scholarship and fellowship recipients and their generous donors. We encourage you to stay and attend a reception following the forum and awards ceremony.

RSVP online

Volunteer for the 2019 CFANS College Days!
As you know, every year we invite our new CFANS students to campus for College Day. College Day is a day to welcome these new students, provide them the opportunity to explore the St. Paul campus, and introduce them to a sliver of what life will be like as a part of CFANS. This year we will host two programs, one for Freshmen and one for Transfer students:

Freshmen College Day: Thursday, August 29, 11:30 a.m.-4 p.m.
Transfer College Day: Friday, August 30, 10:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Volunteer roles include setup, cleanup, check-in, lunch table hosts, ice cream scoopers, photographers and more. Please sign up for volunteer roles for one OR both days on this form. Contact Bre Berg with any questions.

Jobs

Research Agricultural Economist
The ERS is hiring a research agricultural economist, located at the ERS Market & Trade Economics Division International Trade and Development (ITD) Branch. Duties of this position include conducting policy-relevant research on the economic and policy factors in the United States and elsewhere that affect markets for agricultural products, defining new lines of
research in response to emerging policy issues, when appropriate formulating research plans, developing methodology, determining data needs, and defining resources needed to carry out complex economic research and analysis programs of great significance, difficulty, and national importance. Full description and application are available online.

Apply online

**Assistant Professor**

The Humphrey School seeks to hire a tenure-track advanced Assistant Professor, or Associate Professor eligible for tenure at the University of Minnesota whose research, scholarship, academic leadership and service focus broadly on global policy. The successful candidate must have strong, demonstrated applied research and teaching interests in comparative foreign policy, international relations, international economics and trade policy, and/or global environmental policy.

Apply online

**Research Analyst**

The Peterson Institute for International Economics, a leading think tank located at Dupont Circle, Washington, DC, seeks a full-time research analyst to work with Dr. Chad P. Bown on projects on international trade policy and trade agreements. Responsibilities include collecting and analyzing economic data, producing charts and graphs for publication and presentations, doing econometric analysis, reviewing policy texts, writing literature reviews, and summarizing results.

Apply online

**Economist**

The Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service provides technical assistance as an Economist for conservation planning and related training. Develops economic resource data for all Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) activities related to resource planning. This person will provide staff leadership for economic phases of natural resource planning activities, prepare economic tables and narrative for inclusion in the natural resources plans, collaborate with other agencies in collecting, assembling, and summarizing economic data obtained by interviews concerning damages and frequency of occurrence of damages.

Apply online
Senior Data Analyst

IPUMS is hiring a senior data analyst to join the team of researchers and technical staff developing their full-count historical U.S. census database. The person in this position will have a strong data-driven social science background, who enjoys the technical aspects of data work. The census data need to be cleaned, new data merged in, editing routines and techniques developed, and millions of strings of data coded into useful classifications. The data are far too large for manual inspection, requiring efficient data analysis with innovative, scalable approaches including machine learning processing. Apply using job ID 332286.

Apply online

Seminars in other departments

Heller-Hurwicz Economic Institute
"The Four Horsemen of the Economic Revolution"
Thursday, August 22, 2019
5:00 pm, Panel Discussion
6:30 pm, Reception
RSVP online

Federal Bag Lunch
"Growing Apart: Tradable Services and the Fragmentation of the U.S. Economy"
Fabian Eckert, Yale
Tuesday, August 20
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 (i.e., University of Minnesota graduate student, Department of Economics). 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