Calendar of Events:

November 2  Seminar: Dr. Barrett Kirwan, 3 PM KRAN 661
November 9  Seminar: Dr. Jeff Wooldridge  3:30 pm in KRAN 661
November 15  Deadline for pending incomplete grades to become failing grades
November 21-24  Thanksgiving Vacation
December 8  Classes End
December 10-15  Exam Schedule
December 16  Commencement 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.
January 7  Spring Semester classes begin
January 11  Last day for late registration
January 21  Martin Luther King Jr. Day (no classes)
January 22  Core Preliminary Exam for PhD students
March 10-12  Spring break
April 25, 2008  Seminar: Ron Mittelhammer 3:30 pm KRAN 661
April 26  Classes end
April 28  Exam schedule begins
May 3  Semester ends
May 9-11  Commencement exercises

Congratulations and Names in the News:

Janet Ayres was named “State Senior Faculty Continued Service Award” by Epsilon Sigma Phi, Lambda Chapter in recognition of continued leadership, initiative and excellence in Extension programming.

Thought You Would Like to Know:

Ayman Shelaby, visiting scholar from Nov 1, 07 to Jan 1, 08. He is working with Maria Marshall - joint research of small business development.

Cuiping Xu, visiting scholar, arriving Jan 1, 08 to Dec 31, 08, working with Holly Wang on risk evaluation issues.

Luciano Castro, visiting scholar, arriving Jan 10, 08 to July 10, 08, working with Jay Akridge to benchmark US firms' marketing channels in designing agrifood business models.

The 2007 National Conference for Agribusiness sponsored by the Center for Food and Agricultural Business will be held November 13-14, 2007. The program webpage is https://www.agecon.purdue.edu/cab/programs/nca/.

On 10/22/07 Connor was informed by the Social Science Network that his working paper on Forensic Economics made the "Top Ten List" out of 1153 papers in the Price Analysis category for the 60 days ending 10/22/07. To see the paper, go to http://ssrn.com/author=256849

Travel, Speeches, Presented Papers:
In mid-October, Otto Doering will be making a presentation to the water management Association of Ohio on water issues for biofuel production and will be visiting the Department of Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics at Ohio State to give a seminar and visit with graduate students.


Dr. Wally Tyner:
November 8 – 10 he will be the Keynote speaker for Bio-fuels Conference in Bozeman, Montana
November 12 – 13 he will be a speaker at the Soya and Oilseed summit in Chicago, IL
November 15 he will be a speaker at the Energy Economics and Biofuels presentation to Energy Research Group at Research Triangle, Raleigh-Durham, NC.
November 16 he will be a Keynote speaker on biofuels for the Bankers Agricultural Credit Conference at Texas Tech in Lubbock, TX.

Publications:


Job Announcements:

University of Tennessee: Assist Prof – Agricultural Marketing and Logistics
University of Illinois: Assoc/Assist Prof – Agricultural Marketing
University of Illinois: Assist/Assoc Prof – International Agribusiness Management
University of Illinois: Assist/Assoc Prof – Agribusiness Management
Michigan State University: Assist/Assoc Prof – economics of bio-energy and energy markets
Purdue Extension: various openings -
University of Wisconsin-Madison: Assist/Assoc Prof – Agricultural Policy Analysis
Michigan Technological University: 10 faculty hires in the area of sustainability
University of Arkansas: Prof and Head, Dept of Ag Econ and Agribusiness
IVY Tech Community College Columbus: Program Chair; Assist/Assoc Prof of Agriculture
Mississippi State University: Extension position
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
- Community Colleges, misc http://www.aacc.nche.edu/
- Chronicle of Higher Education http://chronicle.merit.edu/jobs/
- Congressional Budget Office http://www.cbo.gov
- 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
- http://www.ams.usda.gov/lsg/hr/lsjobs.htm

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