SEMINARS AND EVENTS

AFRE Graduate Student Orientation for incoming Fall 2014 students will be held on Aug. 25 (9:00am – 2:30pm) and Aug. 26 (8:30am – 12:00 noon) in 75 Morrill Hall of Agriculture.

MSU/UM Energy & Environmental Economics Day. Monday, August 25, from 8:50am-4:30pm, Koo Room of Marshall-Adams Hall (Econ Department) at MSU. For agenda, including talks by Leah Harris Palm-Forster, Carson Reeling, and Joe Herriges, see http://www.afre.msu.edu/events/msu_um_energy_environmental_economics_day.

Catie Hausman, U. of Michigan Ford School of Public Policy, “The Value of Transmission in Electricity Markets.” Aug. 29, 1:30-3:00 pm., Marshall-Adams Hall, Koo Room.

PUBLICATIONS


CALL FOR PAPERS

International Association of Agricultural Economists will hold its next triennial meeting, the International Conference of Agricultural Economists (ICAE) 2015, in Milan, Italy August 9-14, 2015. Submissions may include Contributed Papers, Organized Symposia, Innovative Proposals, and Pre and Post-Conference Workshops. Deadline for all submissions is November 5, 2014. Details at http://www.icae2015.org.
**U.S. Borlaug Fellows Graduate Research Grant**  The U.S. Borlaug Fellows in Global Food Security graduate research grant supports exceptional graduate students who are interested in developing a component of their graduate research in a developing country setting and in collaboration with a mentor from an International Agricultural Research Center (IARC) or a qualifying National Agricultural Research System (NARS) unit. **U.S. citizenship is required**, and applicants must be enrolled in an accredited U.S. graduate program at the time of application.  Application Deadline: **November 10, 2014**

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Southern Illinois University, Department of Agribusiness Economics is seeking an Assistant Professor in Agribusiness finance and Management to develop an effective instructional and research program targeting the unique financial and business management needs of individuals working in the food, agribusiness and related sectors. Research, teaching and outreach assignments will align with the candidate’s interests and academic background and needs of the department.  Application deadline is: January 1, 2015.

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