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Welcome



The intent of this newsletter is to provide a summary of recent accomplishments of the School of Economic Sciences Faculty. The newsletter is issued three times per year, and contains publications, presentations, and other noteworthy information.

Journal Articles Accepted or Published

Crude Oil and Libyan Economic Performance. Etelawi, A.M., K.A. Blatner, and **J.J. McCluskey**. International Journal of Economics and Finance.

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Exporting Spatial Externalities. **Cassey, A.**, K. Schmeiser, and A. Waldkirch. Open Economics Review. 2016, 27(4), 697-720.

Food Labels, Information, and Trade in GMOs. Huffman, W.A., and **J.J. McCluskey**. Journal of Agricultural and Food Industrial Organization. 2017.

Impacts of Terrain Attributes on Economics and the Environment: Costs of Reducing Potential Nitrogen Pollution in Wheat Production. Walters, C.G., **C.R. Shumway**, D.R. Huggins. Agricultural Economics. March 2017, 48(2), 143-52.

Products with Multiple Certifications: Insights from the U.S. Wine Market. Waldrop, M., **J.J. McCluskey**, and **R.C. Mittelhammer**. European Review of Agricultural economics.

State Export Promotion and Firm-Level Employment. **Cassey, A.** and S. Cohen. Public Finance Review.

Honors and Awards

Bidisha Mandal – Community Health Impact Fellowship from the Pullman Regional Hospital Center for Learning & Innovation

Tom Marsh – GPSA Award of Excellence for contributions as an Academic Advisor

Ana Espinola- Arredondo, 2017-2018 Fulbright U.S. Scholar grant for studies in Chile

Rebecca Liao-Cance – WSU Student Choice Awards 3rd Best Advisor

Ben Cowan - Faculty Research Fellow in the NBER's program on Health Economics

Jill McCluskey – Elected to the Washington State Academy of Sciences

Ken Casavant – Appointed by the Governor to the Community Economic Revitalization Board (CERB)

Journal Articles Accepted or Published (continued)

Sustainability and Depletion Accounting for Non-Renewable Resources: A Case study of Oil in Libya. Etelawi, A.M., K.A. Blatner, and **J.J. McCluskey**. Journal of Management and Sustainability. 2017, 7(1), 34-44. <http://dx.doi.org/10.5539/enrr.v7n1p34>.

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U.S. Growers' Willingness to Pay for Improvement in Rosaceous Fruit Traits. Yue, C., S. Zhao, **R.K. Gallardo, V. McCracken**, J.L. Luby, J. McFerson. Agricultural and Resource Economics Review. March 2017.

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Extension Bulletin

Cassey, Andrew. and Jeremy Sage. 2016. "Export Trends in Washington State, Vol. 8" Washington State University Extension fact sheet FS204E, Mar., <http://cru.cahe.wsu.edu/CEPublications/FS204E/FS204E.pdf>.

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McCluskey, J.J., M.P. Squicciarini, and J. Swinnen, 2017. "Information, Communication and Agricultural and Food Policies in an Age of Commercial Mass and Social Media, *Handbook of International Food and Agricultural Policies*, D.Blandford, ed., Oxford University Press.

Grants

Gaolach, Bradley (PI), Mark Beattie, **Andrew J. Cassey**, Season Hoard, Christina Sanders, and John Snyder. "Measuring Changes in the Restaurant Industry: Adapting to Municipal Minimum Wages" Washington Restaurant Association.

New Service Positions/ Responsibilities Outside of SES

Cassey, Andrew J. Program chair. 2017 Pacific Northwest Regional Economics Conference “Regions in Transition”, Bend OR May 24–26, 2017.

Cassey, Andrew J. Program Reviewer. American Agricultural Economics Association 2017 Annual Meeting, International Trade Section.

Cassey, Andrew J. Inaugural Affiliate faculty, Metropolitan Center for Applied Research and Extension

Cassey, Andrew J. *Journal of African Business*. Editorial Board Member

Professional Presentations

Jinhui Bai. “The Welfare and Distributional Effects of Fiscal Volatility: a Quantitative Evaluations.” Korea University, Perking University, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics.

McCluskey, J.J. Overview, Welcome, and Moderator, Agricultural and Applied Economics Research Priorities Rollout, *April 6th 2017*, National Press Club, Washington DC.

Waldrop, M., **J.J. McCluskey**, and R.C. Mittelhammer, “Effects of Sustainable Production Standards on Product Prices: Insights for the U.S. Wine Market,” Keynote the GlobalFood Symposium on 28-29 April 2017 in Göttingen, Germany.

Waldrop, M. and **J.J. McCluskey**, “Impact of Organic, Sustainable, and Biodynamic Wine Making Practices on Wine Prices,” fourth International Conference Series on Wine Active Compounds (WAC2017) on March 29-31, 2017, Beaune, France.

Miscellaneous News

DATA SHARING AGREEMENTS:

Gaolach, Bradley (PI), **Andrew J. Cassey**, Season Hoard, Christina Sanders, and John Snyder. “Interagency Agreement Between Washington State Employment Security Department and Washington State University” 5/4/2017–5/4/2020.

Popular Press

Jinhui Bai. “Fiscal Transition and Monetary Policy in the United States” *Tsinghua Financial Review*, 2017, March Issue, pp 36-39.