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## EDUCATION

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Kansas State University  
Ph.D. – Economics | Agricultural Economics Emphasis

Manhattan, KS  
GPA: 4.0/4.0 May 2012

Michigan State University  
M.S. – Agricultural Economics | Agribusiness Specialization

East Lansing, MI  
GPA: 3.8/4.0 August 2008

University of Wisconsin-River Falls  
B.S. – Agricultural Business | Animal Science Minor

River Falls, WI  
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## EMPLOYMENT

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Professor (July 2024 – Present) Extension 65% | Research 24% | Teaching 6% | Service 5%  
Associate Professor (July 2018 – June 2024) Iowa State University  
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Kansas State University  
Department of Agricultural Economics

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## BIOGRAPHY

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Lee Schulz is a Professor in the Department of Economics at Iowa State University and serves as the statewide extension specialist on livestock economics and markets. Lee grew up on a diversified crop and livestock farm in central Wisconsin. He has a B.S. in Agricultural Business from the University of Wisconsin-River Falls, a M.S. in Agricultural Economics from Michigan State University, and a Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics from Kansas State University. His integrated extension, research, and teaching program provides leadership in the study of, and educational programming for, critical problems facing the livestock industry. His areas of focus are in marketing, price analysis, and risk management for the beef cattle and pork industries. Lee regularly collaborates with Farm Management Extension, the Iowa Beef Center and Iowa Pork Industry Center, the Center for Agricultural and Rural Development, and industry and government. He publishes regularly in professional journals, extension publications, and the popular press and has spoken at numerous professional and agricultural conferences. Lee has been recognized for early achievement in extension and for significant contributions to improving the welfare of the people of Iowa through applied research.

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## **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH TRADE AND POPULAR PRESS ARTICLES**

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62. Sep 2024: Help Available to Determine Value of Beef-On-Dairy Crossbreds
61. Aug 2024: Pencil Out Profits on Calf Marketing Alternatives
60. Jul 2024: Adopt a Blackjack Strategy to Feeding Cattle
59. Jul 2024: What Data Frequency to Hog Inventory Reports is Ideal?
58. Jun 2024: Retailers Work Hard to Boost Beef Sales
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47. Oct 2023: Pork Industry Structural Changes Possible
46. Sep 2023: Reliable High-Speed Internet and Input Into Farming
45. Aug 2023: Beef Cow Herd Keeps Shrinking Cyclically
44. Jul 2023: Hogs and Pigs Report Advanced Statistics
43. Jun 2023: Watching “Smart Money” Commodity Trading Could Pay
42. May 2023: Profits Entice Cattle Producers to Expand to Capture More Profits
41. Apr 2023: Outside Forces Cloud Investment Decision Making for Pork Producers
40. Mar 2023: There’s a New Library in Town
39. Feb 2023: Beef Cow Herd to Shrink for Years to Come
38. Jan 2023: Will Swine Breeding Herd Increases Continue?
37. Dec 2022: Position in Cattle Cycle Impacts Replacement Prices
36. Nov 2022: Incentives Matter for Conservation Practice Adoption
35. Oct 2022: Big Inventory Swings in Some Hog States
34. Sep 2022: Disentangling Input/Output Price Relationships
33. Sep 2022: Farmland Values, Cash Rents Surge in 2022
32. Aug 2022: Strong Beef Demand Boosts Cull Bull Market
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30. Jun 2022: Many Factors Could Support, Derail Cattle Inventory Trends
29. May 2022: Detailing the Supply Curve for Beef
28. Apr 2022: Hogs and Pigs Inventory Contraction Continues

27. Apr 2022: Consumers Respond to Meat Price Differences
26. Mar 2022: Some Quirks but Typical Beef Market Trends Expected
25. Feb 2022: Iowa's Beef Cow Herd is Off and Running
24. Jan 2022: Sorting Out Hog Production Shocks
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22. Nov 2021: How Long will Strong Beef Demand Continue?
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6. Mar 2014: Net Present Value of Beef Replacement Females – New Decision Tool Now Available on Ag Decision Maker
5. Feb 2014: USDA Cattle Report Summary
4. Feb 2014: [with P.J. Gunn] Raising Versus Buying Heifers for Beef Cow Replacement – New Decision Tool Now Available on Ag Decision Maker
3. Jun 2013: Pasture and Range Conditions are Concerning for the Cattle Industry
2. Feb 2013: Traceability Rule Takes Effect March 11
1. Feb 2013: Cattle Herd Trends and Changes Underway

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33. Jun 2024: [with C.E. Hart] The Ag Outlook for 2024/2025
32. Nov 2023: [with C.E. Hart] Agricultural Projections Going into 2024
31. Jul 2023: [with C.C. Pudenz] Multi-plant Coordination in the Beef Packing Industry: Why it Matters, and What Questions Remain?
30. Mar 2023: [with C.E. Hart] USDA's Outlook for 2023
29. Oct 2022: [with C.E. Hart] Ag Projections into 2023
28. Jul 2022: [with C.C. Pudenz] Challenges and Opportunities for a Manure Market in Iowa
27. Jul 2022: [with C.E. Hart] Fresh Projections for the Next Marketing Year
26. Oct 2021: [with C.E. Hart] Projections going into Harvest
25. Jun 2021: [with C.E. Hart] Iowa's Role in US Agriculture
24. Mar 2021: [with C.E. Hart] USDA Outlook for 2021 Shows Healthy Recovery
23. Oct 2020: [with C.E. Hart] Is the U.S. Agricultural Sector Recovering from COVID-19?
22. Jul 2020: [with C.E. Hart] Agriculture under the Specter of COVID-19

21. Feb 2020: [with C.E. Hart] The Phase One Trade Deal: Projections and Implications
20. Nov 2019: [with C.E. Hart] Production Projections and Trade Adjustments
19. Jul 2019: [with C.E. Hart] Volatile Prices and Profit Margins
19. Apr 2019: [with C.E. Hart] The Yin and Yang of Agricultural Trade
18. Dec 2018: [with C.E. Hart] The Blessing and Curse of Productivity
17. May 2018: [with C.E. Hart] Current Situation for Iowa's Major Ag Commodities
16. Mar 2018: [with C.E. Hart] USDA Projections for 2018
15. Nov 2017: [with C.E. Hart] The Ebbs and Flows of International Trade
14. Nov 2017: [with G.M. Wynne, G.M. Artz, and C.J. Rademacher] How do Swine Producers and Veterinarians Expect the VFD to Affect their Business?
13. Jun 2017: [with C.T. Chen and J.M. Crespi] U.S. Export Beef Competitiveness: Do Cattle Inventories Matter?
12. Jun 2017: [with C.E. Hart] Ag Trade and Trade Agreements
11. Apr 2017: [with C.E. Hart] International Trade Has Been Major Source for Strengthening Prices
10. Nov 2016: [with G.M. Artz and P.J. Gunn] Succession Planning, Perceived Obstacles, and Attractions for Future Generations Entering Beef Cattle Production
9. Nov 2016: [with C.E. Hart] For Ag, It's Mostly Good News on the Demand Front
8. Feb 2016: [with S. Pouliot] Measuring Price Spreads in Red Meat
7. Nov 2015: [with C.E. Hart] China's Importance to U.S. Ag Markets
6. Jul 2015: [with C.E. Hart] Searching for Profitable Margins
5. Feb 2014: [with C.E. Hart] Ag Supplies for 2015
4. Dec 2014: [with C.E. Hart] Strong Demand, but Inconsistent Profitability
3. Jun 2014: [with C.E. Hart] Another Strong Quarter for Agricultural Demands
2. Feb 2014: [with C.E. Hart] Retail Meat and Crop Demand Continue to Grow
1. Nov 2013: [with C.E. Hart] Demand for Iowa's Agricultural Products

#### **OTHER TRADE AND POPULAR PRESS ARTICLES**

18. Apr 2023: [with C. Pudenz] Multi-Plant Coordination Among All Company-Owned Plants Boosts Packer Leverage in Price Discovery, ISU Research Shows *Drovers* ([LINK](#))
17. Apr 2023: [with C. Pudenz] Why Multi-plant Coordination Matters *Progressive Cattle* ([LINK](#))
16. Mar 2023: [with E. Lundy-Woolfolk] Dealing with Open Cows in Today's Markets *Progressive Cattle*
15. Jan 2023: Position in Cattle Cycle Impacts Replacement Prices. *Progressive Cattle*
14. Dec 2022: Beef Packing Capacity Update. *Progressive Cattle*
13. Mar 2020: Large Beef Supply Rising as COVID-19 Dings Demand. *Progressive Cattle* ([LINK](#))
12. Feb 2020: [with J. Eggers] 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Frequently Asked Questions. *Iowa Pork Producers Association*

11. Jan 2018: New Survey Shines Light on Pork Industry's Biosecurity Investment. *National Hog Farmer* ([LINK](#))
10. May 2017: 2016 Hog Production, Disposition, and Income. *Iowa Pork Industry Center Hot Topics*
9. Feb 2017: Hog Market Adjustments and Opportunities. *Iowa Pork Industry Center Hot Topics*
8. Dec 2016: Hog Market Update. *Iowa Pork Industry Center Hot Topics*
7. Nov 2016: United States Cattle and Beef Market Situation and Outlook. *U.S. Meat Export Federation*
6. Mar 2016: [with P.J. Gunn] Updated Tools for Calculating Net Present Value of Beef Replacement Females. *Ag Decision Maker Newsletter* ([LINK](#))
5. Jul 2015: Calf Markets at Mid-Year: Implications for Management and Marketing. *K-State Research and Extension Beef Tips* ([LINK](#))
4. Feb 2015: United States Cattle and Beef Market Situation and Outlook. *U.S. Meat Export Federation*
3. Mar 2014: USDA's 10-year Beef and Pork Trade Projections. *International Trade Office of the Iowa Economic Development Authority eNewsletter*
2. Nov 2013: Grain and Meat Market Situation and Outlook in the United States. *U.S. Meat Export Federation*
1. Aug 2008: [with G.T. Tonsor] ID Feedback. *BEEF Magazine* ([LINK](#))

#### **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH INVITED PRESENTATIONS (+/- ATTENDANCE)**

214. Hog Market: Economic Update. California Swine Information Day. Davis, CA. September 24, 2024. (60)
213. Economic Forces Affecting the Beef Industry and Beef Markets. 85th Minnesota Nutrition Conference. Mankato, MN. September 19, 2024. (50)
212. [with D. Thomson] Where's the Cattle Market Headed? Husker Harvest Days 2024. Grand Island, NE. September 11, 2024. (40)
211. [with D. Thomson] Cattle Industry Outlook: Opportunities and Trends. Husker Harvest Days 2024. Grand Island, NE. September 11, 2024. (50)
210. Beef Outlook & Mastering Cattle Market Trends. Mercer Landmark 3rd Annual AGrow Expo. Paulding, OH. September 6, 2024. (200)
209. How Are Swine and Pork Reports Being Used? USDA-AMS Livestock Mandatory Reporting Swine & Pork Stakeholder Meeting. Des Moines, IA. August 21, 2024. (60)
208. Current Issues and Challenges in the Pork Industry. USDA-AMS Livestock Mandatory Reporting Swine & Pork Stakeholder Meeting. Des Moines, IA. August 21, 2024. (60)
207. Pork & Pork Market Outlook. Midwest Extension Outlook Conference and Farm Management Committee Meeting. West Lafayette, IN. August 14, 2024. (50)
206. Current Economical Situation in U.S. Animal Production. U.S. Soybean Export Council 2024 Livestock Production & Management Study Tour. Ames, IA. August 27, 2024. (30)



205. What We Know, What We Don't Know, What We Wish We Knew—Handicapping How This Cattle Cycle Will Play Out. 2024 Form-A-Feed Beef Conference. Larchwood, IA. June 27, 2024. (100)
204. Livestock Market Outlook. USDA Agricultural Marketing Service Packers and Stockyards Division Staff Training. Des Moines, IA. June 4, 2024. (25)
203. Protein Production Outlook. Iowa Area Development Group Team Edge Meeting. Ames, IA. May 16, 2024. (25)
202. State of the Pork Industry. FCS Financial Missouri Swine Seminar Group Meeting. Columbia, MO. May 9, 2024. (55)
201. Pork Market Outlook. Merck Swine Technical Service Team Meeting. Ames, IA. May 2, 2024. (25)
200. Where are we at in the cow cycle? How can we help producers rebuild? Purina Animal Nutrition, Cow/Calf PBST Training. West Des Moines, IA. May 1, 2024. (80)
199. Livestock Market Situation & Outlook. Luana Savings Bank 2024 Ag Ready Symposium. Luana, IA. February 14, 2024. (50)
198. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Young Professionals in Agriculture Meeting. Urbandale, IA. January 29, 2024. (40)
197. Beef Market Outlook. 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Driftless Region Beef Conference. Dubuque, IA. January 6, 2024. (100)
196. Tools to Evaluate Market Conditions, Identify Trends and Inform Business Decisions. 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Driftless Region Beef Conference. Dubuque, IA. January 6, 2024. (30)
195. Is this a Defining Moment for the Pork Industry? Iowa Pork Congress Ever.Ag VIP Reception. Des Moines, IA. January 23, 2024. (50)
194. Livestock Market Situation & Outlook. Poweshiek County Crop & Livestock Outlook Meeting. Grinnell, IA. December 12, 2023. (30)
193. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Kirkwood Community College Agriculture Science/Business Guest Lecture. Cedar Rapids, IA. December 1, 2023. (50)
192. Livestock Prices and Profitability Outlook. ISUEO Farm Owners & Operators Meeting. Mt. Pleasant, IA. November 30, 2023. (25)
191. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives 2023 Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 21, 2023. (65)
190. Key Performance Indicators in Pork Production: An International Comparison. The 12<sup>th</sup> Leman China Swine Conference: Cost Control Breakout. Xi'an, China. October 21, 2023. (200)
189. Key Performance Indicators in Pork Production: An International Comparison. The 12<sup>th</sup> Leman China Swine Conference: Main Forum. Xi'an, China. October 21, 2023. (5,000)
188. The Economics of Mortality – With a Look at Decision Tools to Help Improve It. The 12<sup>th</sup> Leman China Swine Conference: Pre-conference. Xi'an, China. October 20, 2023. (500)

187. 2023 Leman Leadership Summit. The 12<sup>th</sup> Leman China Swine Conference: Pre-conference. Xi'an, China. October 20, 2023. (250)
186. Overview on U.S. Meat Industry and Trade. Iowa Economic Development Authority LATAM Protein Buyers Mission to Iowa. West Des Moines, IA. September 25, 2023. (30)
185. Livestock Market Outlook. Marel Sales Team Meeting. Des Moines, IA. September 7, 2023. (20)
184. Pork Market Outlook. Iowa Pork Producers Association Iowa Pork Alliance Meeting. Ames, IA. August 30, 2023. (30)
183. Pork Market Outlook. Midwest Extension Outlook Conference and Farm Management Committee Meeting. Kansas City, MO. August 14, 2023. (50)
182. Beef Market Outlook. 2023 Form-A-Feed Professional Beef Conference. Larchwood, IA. June 28, 2023. (100)
181. Iowa Cattle Numbers in the Year Ahead and 3-5 Year Projections. Iowa Beef Industry Council Board Meeting. Ames, IA. June 15, 2023. (25)
180. [with S. Meyer] Porkonomics: An Economic Outlook for the Pork Industry. Pork Academy at World Pork Expo by the National Pork Producers Council. Des Moines, IA. June 7, 2023. (100)
179. National Country Presentation USA. InterPIG/agribenchmark Pig Conference 2023. Ames, IA. June 5, 2023. (40)
178. What in the World is Going on and How Does it Affect me? Hubbard Feeds Swine Production Seminar. Cedar Rapids, IA. April 5, 2023. (40)
177. Livestock Market Outlook. Poweshiek County Crop & Livestock Outlook Meeting. Grinnell, IA. February 22, 2023. (30)
176. Cattle Market Outlook. Upper Iowa Beef Cattle Supplier Meeting. New Hampton, IA. February 21, 2023. (200)
175. Livestock Market Outlook. Luana Savings Bank Meeting. Luana, IA. February 15, 2023. (50)
174. Cattle Market Outlook. Iowa Cattlemen's Association Guthrie County Cattle Producer Forum. Guthrie Center, IA. February 7, 2023. (50)
173. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Young Professionals in Agriculture Meeting. Urbandale, IA. January 25, 2023. (40)
172. Cattle Market Outlook. Iowa Cattlemen's Association Cerro Cordo County Cattle Producer Forum. Ventura, IA. January 23, 2023. (60)
171. Pork and Feed Market Outlook and Insights. Purina Elite Swine Producer Summit. Ames, IA. December 14, 2022. (30)
170. Livestock Prices and Profitability Outlook. ISUEO Farm Owners & Operators Meeting. Mount Pleasant, IA. December 5, 2022. (25)
169. Pork Market Situation & Outlook. 2022 American Bankers Association Agricultural Bankers Conference. Omaha, NE. November 8, 2022. (40)

168. [with C.E. Hart] The Ag Outlook for 2023 and Beyond: The Good, The Bad, and The Mildly Amusing. Think Tank on Animal Agriculture. Ames, IA. October 24, 2022. (30)
167. Global Protein Outlook. Iowa Economic Development Authority LATAM Protein Buyers Mission to Iowa. West Des Moines, IA. September 26, 2022. (25)
166. Beef Market Outlook. ISU Armstrong Research Farm Beef Field Day. Lewis, IA. September 16, 2022. (30)
165. Pork Market Outlook. Midwest Extension Outlook Conference and Farm Management Committee Meeting. Columbia, MO. August 15, 2022. (60)
164. [with R. Euken] Decision tools for improving mortality. ISUEO Iowa Swine Day. Ames, IA. June 30, 2022. (40)
163. Beef Demand is Critical to Understand, Appreciate, and Regularly Assess. Iowa Cattlemen's Association SE Region BeefMeet. Albia, IA. June 16, 2022. (60)
162. Cattle Market Update. Purina Animal Nutrition LLC PBST Cow Calf Meeting. West Des Moines, IA. April 27, 2022. (150)
161. Economic Considerations for the Dairy Beef Market. I-29 Moo University Dairy Beef Short Course. Sioux Falls, SD. March 29, 2022. (105)
160. Livestock Update: Production, Prices and Forecasts. 2022 Iowa Bankers Association Annual Agricultural Conference. Ames, IA. March 21, 2022. (220)
159. Evaluating Opportunities in the Livestock Industry. ISUEO Beginning Farmer Center Farm Transition Conference. Ames, IA. February 10, 2022. (75)
158. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Young Professionals in Agriculture Meeting. Urbandale, IA. January 20, 2022. (40)
157. Beef Cattle Market Situation & Outlook. Feedlot Forum 2022. Sioux Center, IA. January 18, 2022. (150)
156. How Resilient is the Meat Supply Chain? 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Western Wisconsin Ag Lenders Conference. Eau Claire, WI. January 6, 2022. (115)
155. Cattle Marketing 101: The Ins and Outs of Marketing Feeder Cattle and Fed Cattle Today. 2021 Minnesota Cattle Industry Convention. Hinckley, MN. December 3, 2021. (150)
154. Economic Outlook for the Livestock Industry. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives 2021 Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 23, 2021. (75)
153. Hog-Pork Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa State University Chapter of the American Association of Swine Veterinarians. Ames, IA. November 17, 2021. (30)
152. Livestock Situation and Outlook: Hogs. Midwest & Great Plains/Western Extension Summer Outlook / North Central Farm Management Conference. Fargo, ND. August 16, 2021. (30)
151. Market Planning and Risk Management Strategies. Iowa Beef Center Feedlot Short Course. Ames, IA. August 5, 2021. (40)
150. Cattle Market Outlook: National and Iowa Perspectives. Feedlot Forum 2021. Sioux Center, IA. June 29, 2021. (150)

149. Economic Impact of COVID-19. Iowa Pork Producers Association Committee Day. Ankeny, IA. July 31, 2020. (50)
148. Grain & Livestock Markets. 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Terra Products Winter Meeting. Riverside, IA. February 6, 2020. (90)
147. Raising vs Buying Replacement Heifers. Driftless Region Beef Conference. Dubuque, IA. January 31, 2020. (150)
146. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Young Professionals in Agriculture Meeting. Johnston, IA. January 15, 2020. (50)
145. Beef Cattle Market Situation and Outlook. Beef Nutrition Research Showcase. ISUEO Iowa Beef Center. Ames, IA. December 4, 2019. (40)
144. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 26, 2019. (25)
143. Demographics of the Iowa Cow/Calf Sector. Iowa Hereford Breeders Association Board Meeting. Ames, IA. November 24, 2019. (10)
142. Agricultural Trade in a Time of Uncertainty: Impacts of the Current Trade Environment on Hog-Pork Markets. 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Farmer Cooperative Conference. University of Wisconsin Center for Cooperatives. St. Paul, MN. November 7, 2019. (150)
141. U.S. Livestock-Meat Market Situation and Outlook. Meet the Mexican Meat Buyers in Iowa. Iowa Economic Development Authority International Trade Office. West Des Moines, IA. September 23, 2019. (20)
140. Livestock Outlook. Iowa Farm Bureau's Economic Summit 2019—Managing Through Challenging Times. Des Moines, IA. June 28, 2019. (40)
139. Status of the Industry Update. National Pork Board Domestic Marketing Committee. Des Moines, IA. June 25, 2019. (50)
138. African Swine Fever Update. 2019 Iowa Institute of Cooperatives Summer Director/Management Workshop. Huxley, IA. June 18, 2019. (110)
137. Trade in Uncertain Times. 2019 Livestock Marketing Information Center Technical Advisory Committee Meeting. Centennial, CO. May 22, 2019. (40)
136. Cattle-Beef Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa Cattle Marketing Cooperative Annual Meeting. Riceville, IA. March 25, 2019. (60)
135. Livestock Update: 2019 Livestock Production, Prices and Forecasts. 2019 Iowa Bankers Association Annual Agricultural Conference. Ames, IA. March 18, 2019. (200)
134. International Trade and Market Outlook. Kansas State University 2019 Swine Profitability Conference. Manhattan, KS. February 5, 2019. (165)
133. Cattle Market Update. Marion County Cattlemen Annual Banquet. Knoxville, IA. February 1, 2019. (100)
132. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Young Professionals in Agriculture Meeting. Johnston, IA. January 9, 2019. (45)

131. Economic Outlook: Livestock and Meat Market. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 20, 2018. (50)
130. U.S. Grain and Livestock Supply and Demand Situation and Outlook. U.S. Meat Export Federation Seminar. Seoul, South Korea. November 15, 2018. (400)
129. Growth, Potential, Trade: Issues and Prospects for the American Pork Industry. Quebec Hog Breeders Annual Assembly. Quebec City, Quebec. November 8, 2018. (250)
128. Pork Tariffs: Impacts on Iowa. Iowa State Sustainable Agriculture Colloquium. Ames, IA. October 17, 2018. (30)
127. Marketing Agricultural Products. Big Data for (Sm)all Farmers Conference. Ames, IA. February 27, 2018. (35)
126. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Bank of Iowa Marketing Meeting. Waucoma, IA. January 23, 2018. (100)
125. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Key Cooperative Market Outlook Meeting. Gilbert, IA. January 17, 2018. (50)
124. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Key Cooperative Market Outlook Meeting. Newton, IA. January 17, 2018. (25)
123. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Young Professionals in Agriculture Meeting. Ankeny, IA. January 9, 2018. (35)
122. [with D.D. Loy] Economic Importance of the Beef Industry in Iowa & Future Opportunities for Growth. 2nd Annual Iowa Cattle Industry Leadership Summit & Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. December 7, 2017. (300)
121. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 21, 2017. (75)
120. Pork and Other Livestock. 2017 National Agricultural Bankers Conference. Milwaukee, WI. November 14, 2017. (55)
119. Beef Cattle Outlook & Price Risk Management Perspectives. Great American Insurance Group Beef Cattle Risk Management Workshop. Chariton, IA. November 8, 2017. (15)
118. U.S. Livestock-Meat Market Situation and Outlook. Mexican Meat Trade Mission. Iowa Economic Development Authority International Trade Office. Sioux City, IA. September 20, 2017. (20)
117. Price Formation and Price Risk Management in the U.S. Swine Industry. 6<sup>th</sup> U.S.-China Swine Industry Symposium. Beijing, China. September 15, 2017. (250)
116. Hog Outlook. 2017 Midwest & Great Plains-Western Extension Summer Outlook Conference. Indianapolis, IN. August 14, 2017. (40)
115. Economic Outlook for 2017. Vita Plus Swine Summit. Morton, MN. March 29, 2017. (100)
114. Beef Cattle Market Situation and Outlook. Carroll County Cattlemen's Meeting. Carroll, IA. March 28, 2017. (45)
113. Hog-Pork Market Situation and Outlook. Hubbard Feeds Swine Production Seminar. Cedar Rapids, IA. March 22, 2017. (30)

112. Domestic and Export Demand: Where Will Pork be Sold. 2017 DNA Swine Genetics Producer Conference. Des Moines, IA. March 8, 2017. (75)
111. What We Know, What We Don't Know, What We Wish We Knew: Handicapping the Economic Prospects for Pork Production. 2017 Pig-Group Ski Seminar. Copper Mountain, CO. February 9, 2017. (65)
110. Agricultural Marketing, Risk Management, and Livestock Economics. Heritage Bank and Heritage Financial Services Farmer Meeting. Holstein, IA. February 1, 2017. (55)
109. Beef-Cattle Market Situation and Outlook: 2017 and Beyond. Driftless Region Beef Conference. Dubuque, IA. January 27, 2017. (150)
108. Farmland and Commodity Market Situation and Outlook. Fun & Sun Motorsports Ag Outlook Meeting. Iowa City, IA. January 18, 2017. (9)
107. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 22, 2016. (75)
106. [P.J. Gunn] Buying vs. Raising Replacements. 2016 Angus Convention. Indianapolis, IN. November 6, 2016 (50)
105. Livestock-Meat Market Situation & Outlook. Think Tank on Animal Agriculture. Ames, IA. October 31, 2016. (20)
104. The Good, The Bad, The Political Climate: Handicapping the Economic Prospects for Beef Production. Genex Cooperative, Inc. Large Herd Beef Summit. New Orleans, LA. October 6, 2016. (60)
103. Hog-Pork Production Information. Wright County Iowa Board of Supervisors Meeting. Clarion, IA. July 25, 2016. (75)
102. [with D.J. Hayes] National Country Presentation: USA. 2016 InterPIG Meeting. Mataró, Spain. June, 28, 2016. (30)
101. Economics of Livestock Production. 2016 Agricultural Credit School. ISUEO & Iowa Bankers Association. Ames, IA. June 14, 2016. (65)
100. Hog/Pork Situation and Outlook. Mason City Meeting. Mason City, IA. June 2, 2016. (75)
99. Pork Outlook. Industry Outlook Conference. West Des Moines, IA. April 14, 2016. (80)
98. Livestock Update. 2016 Iowa Bankers Association Ag Bankers Conference. Ames, IA. March 21, 2016. (100)
97. Livestock Markets. Iowa State University Beginning Farmers Network Conference. Ames, IA. February 6, 2016. (25)
96. 2015-16 Economic Situation for Pork Producers. USDA NASS ARMS III Training Workshop. Johnston, IA. February 3, 2016. (45)
95. Cattle-Beef Market Situation & Outlook. Story County Cattlemen's Annual Banquet. Maxwell, IA. January 23, 2016. (55)
94. Livestock Markets. Annual Terra Products Winter Meeting. Riverside, IA. January 20, 2016. (40)

93. Status of the Iowa Feedlot Industry. Feedlot Forum 2016. Sioux Center, IA. January 19, 2016. (200)
92. Crop and Livestock Situation and Outlook. ISUEO 2016 Agriculture Outlook Meeting. Cresco, IA. January 12, 2016. (75)
91. Livestock-Meat Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 24, 2015. (100)
90. Demonstrating Decision Support Tools and Increasing Understanding of Underlying Economic Drivers of Profitability and Risk to Livestock Producers. FAO sponsored Ukraine Livestock Association. Ames, IA. November 13, 2015. (11)
89. Hog-Pork Market Update and the Economic Impact of PEDV. North Japan Feed Association. Ames, IA. November 4, 2015. (15)
88. Hog and Pork Situation and Outlook. Industry Outlook Conference. Chicago, IL. October 29, 2015. (110)
87. Cowherd Expansion – Pace and Implications. Purina Animal Nutrition LLC PBST Meeting. Cedar Rapids, IA. October 20, 2015. (80)
84. Cattle-Beef Market Situation and Outlook. The 2015 Beef Nutrition Research Showcase. ISUEO. Ames, IA. October 2, 2015. (30)
85. U.S. Livestock-Meat Situation and Outlook. Mexican Meat Trade Mission. Iowa Economic Development Authority International Trade Office. Johnston, IA. September 21, 2015. (20)
84. Cattle-Beef Market Situation and Outlook. 2015 Young Cattlemen’s Leadership Program. Iowa Cattlemen’s Association. Ames, IA. August 27, 2015. (20)
83. Grain and Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Macquarie Group Crop Tour 2015. Ames, IA. August 12, 2015. (25)
82. Pork and Hogs Outlook. 2015 Leading Edge Conference. Pro Farmer. West Des Moines, IA. July 14, 2015. (200)
81. Beef-Cattle Market Situation and Outlook. Hubbard Feeds Eastern Iowa Beef Conference. Cedar Rapids, IA. June 30, 2015. (50)
80. [with P.J. Gunn] How Do Current Market Incentives Affect Genetic Selection Decisions? 2015 Beef Improvement Federation Annual Convention. Biloxi, MS. June 10, 2015. (400)
79. [with P.J. Gunn] Financial Impacts of Fertility and Infertility in the Current Cattle Market. Purina Animal Nutrition LLC PBST Meeting. Des Moines, IA. June 9, 2015. (100)
78. Economics of Livestock Production. 2015 Agricultural Credit School. ISUEO & Iowa Bankers Association. Ames, IA. June 2, 2015. (60)
77. Overview of Surveys – Methods and Results: Key observations in Farm Transition and Marketing. ISUEO Iowa Beef Industry Think Tank. Ames, IA. May 26, 2015. (30)
76. Economics Update of the Pork Industry. 2015 Spring Allied Industry Council (Alliance) Meeting. National Pork Producers Council. Des Moines, IA. April 22, 2015. (100)
75. [with P.J. Gunn] Farm Business and Rural Economic Situation: Livestock Outlook. ISUEO ANR Professional Development. Ames, IA. April 2, 2015. (50)

74. Markets and Marketing Discussion. Swine Vet Center & Elanco Animal Health 2015 Swine Producer Symposium. Bloomington, MN. March 28, 2015. (80)
73. Livestock-Meat Market Situation & Outlook. 2015 Ag Bankers Conference. Iowa Bankers Association. Ames, IA. March 23, 2015. (150)
72. Beef-Cattle Market Outlook: 2015 and Beyond. Wisconsin Cattlemen's Association 2015 Winter Conference. Wisconsin Dells, WI. February 20, 2015. (150)
71. Is it Profitable to Feed to Heavier Weights with \$3/bu Corn? 2015 Great Lakes Professional Cattle Feeding and Marketing Short Course. Lamberton Cattlemen's Association. Wyoming, Ontario Canada. February 12, 2015. (45)
70. Should I Be Forward Contracting My Cattle Sales? 2015 Great Lakes Professional Cattle Feeding and Marketing Short Course. Lamberton Cattlemen's Association. Wyoming, Ontario Canada. February 12, 2015. (45)
69. Is it Profitable to Feed to Heavier Weights with \$3/bu Corn? 2015 Great Lakes Professional Cattle Feeding and Marketing Short Course. Ohio State University Extension. Bowling Green, OH. February 11, 2015. (35)
68. Should I Be Forward Contracting My Cattle Sales? 2015 Great Lakes Professional Cattle Feeding and Marketing Short Course. Ohio State University Extension. Bowling Green, OH. February 11, 2015. (35)
67. Is it Profitable to Feed to Heavier Weights with \$3/bu Corn? 2015 Great Lakes Professional Cattle Feeding and Marketing Short Course. Michigan State University Extension. East Lansing, MI. February 10, 2015. (40)
66. Should I Be Forward Contracting My Cattle Sales? 2015 Great Lakes Professional Cattle Feeding and Marketing Short Course. Michigan State University Extension. East Lansing, MI. February 10, 2015. (40)
65. Livestock Market Outlook. Iowa State University Beginning Farmers Network Conference. Ames, IA. February 7, 2015. (75)
64. Implications of Lower Grain Prices to Ethanol and Livestock Production. Iowa Chapter, American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. February 5, 2015. (140)
63. Reinvesting Profits from the Beef Operation. Driftless Region Beef Conference. Dubuque, IA. January 22, 2015. (180)
62. Demonstrating Decision Support Tools and Increasing Understanding of Underlying Economic Drivers of Profitability and Risk to Beef Cattle Producers. Driftless Region Beef Conference. Dubuque, IA. January 22, 2015. (180)
61. Beef Demand: Clarifying Concepts, Summarizing Status, and Discussing Future Opportunities. 2014 Iowa Cattle Industry Convention. Iowa Cattlemen's Association. Des Moines, IA. December 9, 2014. (50)
60. Beef Cattle and Hog Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 25, 2014. (100)



59. Hog and Pork Market Situation and Outlook: How is PEDv Impacting Hog Markets? 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Swine Disease Conference for Swine Practitioners. Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine. Ames, IA. November 14, 2014. (100)
58. Cattle and Hog Outlook and Crush Margin Protections. Michigan Agricultural Credit Conference. Michigan State University Department of Agricultural, Food, and Resource Economics. East Lansing, MI. October 29, 2014. (115)
57. Economics Update of the Pork Industry. 2014 Fall Allied Industry Council (Alliance) Meeting. National Pork Producers Council. Des Moines, IA. October 21, 2014. (100)
56. Hog and Pork Market Situation and Outlook. Iowa Pork Industry Center In-Service. ISUEO. Ames, IA. September 19, 2014. (15)
55. U.S. Beef and Pork Market Situation and Outlook. U.S. Meat Export Federation Reception & Dinner. Ames, IA. September 17, 2014. (30)
54. Beef Market Update and Risk Management. Beef Carcass Cut-Out Lab and Value Seminar. US Feeds. Ames, IA. August 21, 2014. (30)
53. Trends and Changes in Livestock Production and Implications for Iowa, National, and Global Agriculture. Iowa Corn Growers Association & Iowa Corn Promotion Board Joint Board Meeting. Johnston, IA. August 19, 2014. (50)
52. Hog and Pork Situation and Outlook. 2014 Midwest & Great Plains- Western Extension Summer Outlook Conference. St. Louis, MO. August 13, 2014. (50)
51. Beef Cattle Situation and Outlook. Midwest Heritage Bank South Central Iowa Agriculture Outlook Conference. Chariton, IA. July 16, 2014. (55)
50. [with D.J. Hayes] National Country Presentation: USA. 2014 InterPIG Meeting. Bruges, Belgium. June, 26, 2014. (30)
49. Managing Price Risk in Feedlot Operations. Iowa State University Feedlot School 2014. ISUEO. Lewis, IA. June 12, 2014. (30)
48. Economics of Livestock Production. 2014 Agricultural Credit School. ISUEO & Iowa Bankers Association. Ames, IA. June 3, 2014. (46)
47. Livestock: Trends & Changes in Iowa Livestock Production and their Implications to Iowa Agriculture and Iowa Farmland. ISUEO 87<sup>th</sup> Annual Soil and Land Valuation Conference. Ames, IA. May 21, 2014. (270)
46. Hog and Pork Situation and Outlook. Industry Outlook Conference. West Des Moines, IA. April 22, 2014. (140)
45. Livestock Situation and Outlook. ISUEO ANR Professional Development. Ames, IA. March 31, 2014. (140)
44. Managing Price Risk in Livestock Operations. Iowa Beginning and Young Livestock Producers Network – North Central Iowa Group. ISUEO. Garner, IA. March 27, 2014. (8)
43. Cattle Market Outlook: 2014 and Beyond. Driftless Region Beef Conference. ISUEO. Dubuque, IA. January 31, 2014. (180)

42. [with P.J. Gunn] Considerations for Managing Beef Cows in Confinement. Driftless Region Beef Conference. ISUEO. Dubuque, IA. January 31, 2014. (120)
41. Managing the Margin: Economic Outlook. Iowa Pork Congress. Iowa Pork Producers Association. Des Moines, IA. January 22, 2014. (100)
40. Hog and Pork Situation and Outlook. 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Customer Appreciation Breakfast. Precision Structures Incorporated. Wellman, IA. January 8, 2014. (125)
39. Hog and Pork Situation and Outlook. Mobley Seminar. Ames, IA. December 17, 2013. (10)
38. Impact of Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus on Hog Markets. Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea (PED) Virus Seminar. Nebraska Pork Producers Association & Nebraska Soybean Board. Columbus, NE. December 16, 2013. (120)
37. Livestock Situation and Outlook. Omaha Ag Outlook Conference. UNL-Extension & ISUEO. Omaha, NE. December 6, 2013. (40)
36. Livestock Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 26, 2013. (100)
35. Beef Outlook – What Will Forage Needs Be? 2013 Iowa Forage & Grassland Council Conference. Des Moines, IA. November 26, 2013. (50)
34. Grain and Meat Market Situation and Outlook in the United States. U.S. Corn & Meat Seminar. U.S. Meat Export Federation. Pusan, South Korea. November 15, 2013. (100)
33. Grain and Meat Market Situation and Outlook in the United States. U.S. Corn & Meat Seminar. U.S. Meat Export Federation. Seoul, South Korea. November 13, 2013. (200)
32. Livestock Marketing and Risk Management Update. ISUEO 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Tri-State Agricultural Lender’s Seminar. Dubuque, IA. October 30, 2013. (130)
31. Livestock Situation and Outlook. ISUEO Farm Management In-Service. Ames, IA. October 3, 2013. (20)
30. Current Status of Beef and Pork Markets. Mexican Meat Trade Mission. Iowa Economic Development Authority International Trade Office. Johnston, IA. September 11, 2013. (25)
29. Iowa Cattle Inventory Outlook. Iowa Beef Industry Council. Ames, IA. July 24, 2013. (25)
28. Trends and Projections that will Influence and Drive Pork Production in the Future. ISU 2013 Iowa Swine Day. Ames, Iowa. June 27, 2013. (100)
27. Marketing Strategies: Stocker Value of Gain. Iowa Forage and Grasslands Council & ISUEO Seminar. Creston, IA. June 26, 2013. (20)
26. Beef Cattle Inventory Trends and Market Outlook. Iowa Forage and Grasslands & ISUEO Seminar. Creston, IA. June 26, 2013. (20)
25. Marketing Strategies: Stocker Value of Gain. Iowa Forage and Grasslands Council Pre-Conference Seminar. Ames, IA. June 24, 2013. (20)
24. Developing and Understanding Marketing for Beginning Business. U.S. Grains Council: China Swine Management Team. Ames, IA. June 13, 2013. (25)

23. Iowa's Position to Grow its Beef Cattle Business. 2013 Iowa Cattlemen's Association Carcass Challenge. Ames, IA. June 11, 2013. (100)
22. Cattle and Hog Market Short Run Outlook and Long Term Prospective. 2013 Agricultural Credit School. ISUEO & Iowa Bankers Association. Ames, IA. June 4, 2013. (50)
21. Livestock Situation and Outlook. ISUEO Farm Management In-Service. Nashua, IA. May 20, 2013. (20)
20. Cattle Price Outlook and Iowa Beef Cow Inventory Trends. ISUEO Update for Veterinarians. Chariton, IA. May 15, 2013. (25)
19. Livestock Situation & Outlook. 2013 Iowa Bankers Association Annual Agricultural Conference. Iowa Bankers Association. Ames, IA. March 18, 2013. (200)
18. 2013 Beef Cattle Market Outlook. IBC Beef and Basketball: New Technologies & Information for the Cattle Business. Ames, IA. February 23, 2013. (50)
17. 2013 Livestock Market Outlook. Iowa State University Beginning Farmers Conference. Ames, IA. February 2, 2013. (20).
16. Livestock Situation and Outlook. ISUEO Hamilton County Ag Lunch and Learn Series. Webster City, IA. February 1, 2013. (9)
15. Livestock Outlook and Marketing. Iowa Farm Bureau Young Farmers Conference. Des Moines, IA. January 26, 2013. (90)
14. [with G.T. Tonsor] A Look into the Future of the Cattle Industry. Cornbelt Cow-Calf Conference. Ottumwa, IA. January 19, 2013. (170)
13. Swine and Pork Situation and Outlook: What are the Risks in the Market? ISUEO Strategic Swine Workshop. Sheldon, IA. December 10, 2012. (9)
12. Livestock Situation and Outlook. Iowa Institute for Cooperatives Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. November 20, 2012. (100)
11. Hog and Pork Market Outlook. Iowa Pork Industry Center Professional Development. Ames, IA. November 1, 2012. (15)
10. Cattle/Beef Situation & Outlook. ISUEO Farm Management & Beef Specialist Professional Development. Ames, IA. October 3, 2012. (30)
9. Hog and Pork Market Outlook. Iowa Pork Producers Association Board of Directors Meeting. Clive, IA. June 19, 2012. (25)
8. Cow-Calf Economics. Land O Lakes Purina Feed PBST Cow Calf Meeting. Carroll, IA. June 13, 2012. (100)
7. [with S. Ellis] Marketing Workshop - Packer/Feeder Game. US Feeds Quarterly Training #8. Ames, IA. June 6, 2012. (50)
6. Economic Impact of Regional PRRS Elimination Project in Stevens County. PRRS Elimination Project Regional Meeting. Morris, MN. January 9, 2012. (50)
5. Factors Affecting Feeder Cattle Prices in Kansas and Missouri. Iowa State University Department of Economics Extension Seminar. Ames, Iowa. September 27, 2010. (30)

4. [with K.D. Dhuyvetter, and G.T. Tonsor] A New Live Animal Traceability System Regime: What Individual States Should Know, Current Overview, and Implementation. KSU Risk & Profit Conference. Manhattan, KS. August 20, 2010. (40)
3. K-State Feeder Cattle Price Analyzer Excel Tool. KSU-Extension Annual Conference. Manhattan, KS. October 21, 2009. (25)
2. [with K.W. Harborth] Management Strategies Affecting Calf Marketability. KSU Beef Conference. Manhattan, KS. August 13, 2009. (150)
1. [with K.C. Dhuyvetter] Management Strategies Affecting Calf Marketability. K-State Risk & Profit Conference. Manhattan, KS. August 20-21, 2009. (40)

### **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH PRESENTATION SERIES (+/- ATTENDANCE)**

#### Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Seminars—Livestock Market Situation and Outlook Presentations

- 2019: Waterloo (40), Carroll (20), Altoona (55), Cresco (30), Greenfield (25), Shenandoah (10), Cedar Rapids (75), Iowa City (45), Mt. Pleasant (25), Bloomfield (15)
- 2018: Altoona (50), Cresco (50), Greenfield (35), Cedar Rapids (85), Iowa City (45), Mt. Pleasant (25), Bloomfield (20), Sheldon (20), Storm Lake (25)
- 2017: Waterloo (24), Altoona (40), Carroll (20), Le Mars (22), Spencer (18), Greenfield (32), Cedar Rapids (60), Iowa City (40), Decorah (35), Chariton (10)
- 2016: Spencer (28), LeMars (40), Altoona (45), Waterloo (38), Carroll (13), Eddyville (30), Greenfield (36), Cedar Rapids (60), Iowa City (40), Mt. Pleasant (55), Decorah (50), Clarinda (45)
- 2015: Cedar Rapids (27), Iowa City (35), Altoona (75), Waterloo (70), Mason City (15), Clarinda (50), Decorah (30), Greenfield (40), Mt. Pleasant (40), Eddyville (10)
- 2014: Tipton (15), Cedar Rapids (80), Iowa City (35), Cedar Falls (55), Mason City (30), Fort Dodge (30), Altoona (45), Greenfield (35)
- 2013: Mt. Pleasant (42), Williamsburg (128), Monticello (16), Tipton (9), LeMars (42), Spencer (26), Greenfield (22)
- 2012: Sheldon (20), Cherokee (15), LeMars (40), Spencer (20), Fort Dodge (30), Greenfield (50), Harlan (12), Altoona (34), Mt. Pleasant (44), Williamsburg (46), Waterloo (65), Mason City (32), Ida Grove (17), Carroll (23)

#### Iowa Pork Regional Conferences—Swine Market Situation and Outlook Presentations

- 2024: Orange City (20), Webster City (20), Nashua (20), Washington (20)
- 2023: Orange City (20), Webster City (15), Washington (25)
- 2022: Orange City (20), Osceola (10), Nashua (15), Washington (15)
- 2021: Orange City (40), Osceola (20), Waverly (30), Washington (35)
- 2020: Sheldon (50), Audubon (10), Ames (20), Washington (50), Nashua (25)
- 2019: Sheldon (50), Audubon (30), Ames (25), Washington (25), Nashua (25)
- 2018: Nashua (30), Le Mars (35), Washington (30)
- 2017: Orange City (45), Carroll (35), Washington (25)
- 2014: Sheldon (55), Carroll (35), Nashua (40), Iowa City (30)
- 2013: Carroll (20), Sheldon (40), Nashua (15), Iowa City (15)

2024 Outlook for Cow-Calf: Feed Quality, Herd Health & Market Prices—Economic Decisions for the Calf Crop and Cow Herd Presentations

2023: Holstein (10), Spencer (25)

Beef Marketing and Economic Update Meetings—Market Situation and Outlook, Farm to Retail Pricing of Beef, Proposals for Competitive and Transparent Markets, New USDA Price Reports Presentations

2022: Holstein (15), Lewis (5)

Iowa Cattlemen’s Association Feedlot/Cow-Calf Forums—Market Outlook, Marketing, and Price Risk Management Presentations

2020: Carroll (50), Mt. Ayr (75)

2017: New Hampton (60), Dyersville (50), Welton (30)

Beginning & Young Livestock Producer Network | Start-to-Farm Peer Group—Livestock Market Situation and Outlook Presentations

2023: Washington (5)

2018: Donnellson (10)

2017: Washington (20)

2016: Dysart (8), Washington (24)

2013: La Porte City (40)

Sharpening Your Cattle Management Skills Meetings—Beef Market Outlook, Opportunities & Risk Management Presentations

2016: Humboldt (20), Iowa Falls (55)

Beef Feedlot Facilities Workshop—Financial Risk Management Presentations

2015: Toledo (25), Ames (40), Dewitt (20), Manchester (20), Nashua (15)

Beef Cow Facilities and Management Update Meetings—Feeder Calf Market Outlook & Cow-Calf Business Prospects Presentations

2013: Oskaloosa (31), Anita (65), Corydon (30)

Iowa Pork Swine Health Management Conferences—Hog and Pork Market Situation and Outlook Presentations

2013: Washington (14), New Hampton (15), Carroll (32), Sheldon (36)

Dairy Beef for Profit Seminars—Cattle Cycle, Calf Numbers & Market Outlook Presentations

2013: Cresco (75), Monticello (92)

Swine Risk Management Update—Hog and Pork Situation and Outlook Presentations

2012: Sheldon (10), Emmetsburg (6)

## **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH WEBINARS, PODCASTS, AND TUTORIALS**

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67. Several Options Exist to Market 2024 Calf Crop. University of Nebraska Lincoln BeefWatch Podcast. August 26, 2024.
66. Economic Outlook. Iowa Beef Industry Council Board of Directors Meeting. June 13, 2024.
65. Beef Cattle Market Outlook and Managing Price Risk. Iowa Beef Center February Feedlot Webinar Series. February 15, 2024. ([LINK](#))
64. Is this a Defining Moment for the Pork Industry? Iowa Pork Producers Association and Iowa Pork Industry Center Webinar. November 20, 2023. ([LINK](#))
63. Livestock Outlook and Profit Potential for Beef, Pork and Other Iowa Animal Ag Industries. ISU Extension and Outreach Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Webinar. November 16, 2023.
62. A Look at Returns to Pork Production and Market Challenges on the Horizon. National Hog Farmer 2023 Global Hog Industry Virtual Conference. September 27, 2023.
61. What's Next for the Pork Market. Iowa Pork Industry Center Monthly Webinar Series. July 27, 2023.
60. Economic Situation in the Cattle Market. *RumiNation* Podcast Presented by Jefe Nutrition. July 11, 2023. ([LINK](#))
59. Mastering Cattle Market Trends: Maximizing Profitability with Lee Schulz. Casual Cattle Conversations Podcast. July 3, 2023. ([LINK](#))
58. [with S. Hays and J. Trenary] How Will Proposition 12 Change the Pork Industry? Farm Journal's Farm Country Update. June 1, 2023. ([LINK](#))
57. Multiplant Coordination. The R-CALF USA Round Up Podcast. May 29, 2023. ([LINK](#))
56. [with S. Brown and M. Makens] 2023 Weather and Input Outlook. The Bottom Line on Brownfield Webinar brought to you by NCBA. April 17, 2023.
55. Livestock Industry Overview in Iowa. ISUEO Land Stewardship Leadership Academy Webinar. April 13, 2023.
54. Swine/Pork Market Seasonality and Trends. USDA-AMS Market Reporter Training. March 22, 2023.
53. Cattle on Feed Survey: Uses and Value of Data. USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service Instructional Video. January 24, 2023. ([LINK](#))
52. Protein Market Outlook. Iowa Economic Development Authority Global Crystal Ball: Fall Grain and Protein Insights Webinar. November 16, 2022.
51. Livestock Outlook and Profit Potential for Beef, Pork and Other Iowa Animal Ag Industries. ISU Extension and Outreach Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Webinar. November 8, 2022.
50. Who are the World's Best Pork Producers? MSD Animal Health Benchmarking the Profitability of Raising Pigs 2020. October 3, 2022.
49. How Can Competitiveness Best Be Measured? MSD Animal Health Benchmarking the Profitability of Raising Pigs 2020. October 3, 2022.

48. Economic Impacts of a Foreign Animal Disease: Recent Research on Impacts and Mitigation Efforts. National Hog Farmer 2022 Global Hog Industry Virtual Conference. May 25, 2022.
47. Livestock Industry Overview in Iowa. ISUEO Land Stewardship Leadership Academy Webinar. May 5, 2022.
46. Market Outlook, Price Risk Management, & ... a Casserole of Other Topics. ISUEO Iowa Beef Center Beef Marketing and Economic Update Webinar. February 25, 2022.
45. Livestock Market Outlook. Iowa Cattlemen's Association At the Gate Podcast. January 28, 2022.
44. Livestock Outlook and Profit Potential for Beef, Pork and Other Iowa Animal Ag Industries. ISU Extension and Outreach Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Webinar. November 5, 2021.
43. How to Use LMR Swine Reports for Risk Management and to Facilitate Marketing. U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service Fall 2021 Pork Industry Webinar Series: Part II: USDA LMR Live Swine Reports. October 19, 2021.
42. Beef Session: Market Outlook for the Beef Industry. American Association of Bovine Practitioners Annual Meeting. October 8, 2021.
41. Swine Industry Structure. USDA Economic Research Service Educational Seminar. Hosted by the Livestock Marketing Information Center. May 27, 2021.
40. [with D. Peel and S. Brown] Quarterly Market Outlook Webinar Series. Brownfield. April 7, 2021.
39. [with D.J. Holtkamp] Economic Impact on Mortality. PigX Podcast. March 1, 2021.
38. Iowa Protein Industry – Economic Outlook. Iowa Virtual Agricultural Trade Mission with Japan Protein Group. Iowa Economic Development Authority. February 24, 2021.
37. Hog and Pork Market. USDA's 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Agricultural Outlook Forum. TRACK: Managing Risk & Ensuring Sustainability Challenges to Livestock Market Transparency. February 18, 2021.
36. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Young Professionals in Agriculture Meeting. February 11, 2021.
35. Where Are We at in Iowa Crops and Livestock After a Pandemic Year and Where are we Looking Moving Forward? Iowa Farm Bureau 2021 Economic Summit Webinar Series. February 11, 2021.
34. Hog-Pork Market Situation & Outlook. Midwest Pork Group. January 13, 2021.
33. Livestock Outlook and Profit Potential. ISU Extension and Outreach Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Webinar. December 9, 2020.
32. Livestock Outlook and Profit Potential. ISU Extension and Outreach Ag Outlook Webinar for College Students. December 2, 2020.
31. Cattle Market Outlook. Iowa Cattlemen's Association Cattle Marketing Meeting. November 11, 2020.

30. Pork Market Situation and Outlook. 2020 ISU James D. McKean Swine Disease Conference. November 5, 2020.
29. Hog-Pork Market Situation and Outlook. October Pork Checkoff Webinar. October 27, 2020.
28. Hog Situation and Outlook. Industry Outlook Conference. October 15, 2020.
27. A Market Outlook During Turbulent Times. Iowa Pork Producers Association and Iowa Pork Industry Center Producer Recovery Webinar Series. September 2, 2020.
26. Hog Update. 2020 Virtual Midwest Extension Outlook and North Central Farm Management Meeting. August 17, 2020.
25. Cattle and Hog Markets Amid Disruptions. 2020 Missouri Farm Bureau Commodity Conference. Session 1: Marketing & Consolidation. August 6, 2020. ([LINK](#))
24. Livestock Market Outlook. Iowa Economic Development Authority Trade Talk Series: Global Ag Trade Webinar. July 1, 2020.
23. The Dollars You Can Expect & The Dollars You Could Gain: Cattle Markets. Premier CO-OP Cattle Market & Creep Feeding Webinar. June 23, 2020.
22. [with G.T. Tonsor and S. Brown] COVID-19's Impact on the Pork Industry. Brownfield COVID-19 Webinar. May 27, 2020. ([LINK](#))
21. Slaughter Backlog Numbers. Iowa Cattlemen's Association Podcast. May 21, 2020. ([LINK](#))
20. Impact of the Coronavirus Pandemic on Livestock Markets. Farmdoc Daily Live Webinar: Coronavirus and Ag. May 1, 2020. ([LINK](#))
19. [with G.T. Tonsor and S. Brown] COVID-19's Impact on the Pork Industry. Brownfield COVID-19 Webinar. April 29, 2020. ([LINK](#))
18. Livestock Markets Shaken by COVID-19. Webex session on livestock and grain markets for ISUEO ANR Field Specialists. March 20, 2020.
17. Market Trends. Iowa Beef Center Winter Cow Webinar. February 18, 2020.
16. Trade and Tariffs: How are current foreign tariffs impacting the swine market? 2019 Iowa Pork Regional Conference. February 21, 2019. ([LINK](#))
15. Swine Market Outlook. 2018 Iowa Pork Regional Conference. February 22, 2018. ([LINK](#))
14. Livestock Market Situation and Outlook. Commstock Investments. June 27, 2017.
13. Swine Market Outlook. 2017 Iowa Pork Regional Conference. March 22, 2017. ([LINK](#))
12. Hog-Pork Outlook. Pork Processing Plant Meeting. April 22, 2016.
11. Beef Cattle Market Situation and Outlook. Industry Extension Forage Advisory Council Fall 2015 Meeting. November 6, 2015.
10. Net Present Value of Beef Replacement Females. Iowa Beef Center & YouTube.com. November 19, 2014. ([LINK](#))
9. Raising Versus Buying Heifers for Beef Cow Replacement. Iowa Beef Center & YouTube.com. February 7, 2014. ([LINK](#))



8. [with P.J. Gunn] Beef Cattle Outlook for Initiating Herd Expansion. Iowa State University ANR at Noon. April 26, 2013.
7. Livestock Price Outlook/Strategy Ideas. Managing Through Stress: A Livestock Information Event. Iowa State University Extension & Outreach / Iowa Farm Bureau. February 4, 2013. (16 locations)
6. Cattle and Beef Situation and Outlook. Drought – A Game Changer for Beef Operations. Strategies to Move Forward. Iowa Beef Center. November 5, 2012. (24 locations 11/6 to 12/6)
5. [with D. Loy] Intro in Planning. Drought – A Game Changer for Beef Operations Strategies to Move Forward. Iowa Beef Center. October 31, 2012. (24 locations 11/6 to 12/6)
4. Livestock Situation & Outlook. Drought Webinar for Swine Producers. Iowa State University. August 29, 2012.
3. Livestock Situation & Outlook. Drought Webinar. Iowa State University. August 21, 2012.
2. Developing and Refining your Marketing Plan: How Does an Effective Marketing Plan Relate to the Market Outlook. Managing Margins: Risk Management for Producers. Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. January 31, 2012.
1. National Survey of Cow-Calf Producers’ Beliefs about Traceability. Ag Manager.info & YouTube.com. August 10, 2010. [\(LINK\)](#)

#### **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH REGULARLY SCHEDULED INFORMATION**

ISU Livestock Crush Margins – Weekly [\(LINK\)](#)

Swine: Wean to Finish

Cattle: Yearling to Finish

ISU Estimated Livestock Returns – Monthly [\(LINK\)](#)

Swine: Farrow to Finish, Farrow to Wean, Wean to Feeder, Feeder to Finish, Wean to Finish

Cattle: Finishing Yearling Steers, Finishing Steer Calves

CARD Hog Price and Volume Distribution Tool [\(LINK\)](#)

Cattle Net Price Distribution Tool [\(LINK\)](#)

K-State Radio Network–Agriculture Today, Cattle-Beef Market Outlook Interviews [\(LINK\)](#)

2024 (February 5, March 4, April 8, May 13, June 24, August 5, September 23)

2023 (January 9, February 13, March 6, April 3, April 24, May 30, June 26, July 24, August 21, October 2, November 6, December 11)

2022 (January 24, February 21, March 28, April 18, May 16, June 13, July 18, August 8, September 6, October 3, October 31)

2021 (January 18, February 15, March 15, April 12, May 21, June 14, July 12, August 2, August 30, September 27, October 25, November 22, December 20)

2020 (January 21, February 17, March 16, April 13, May 11, June 8, July 6, August 3, August 31, October 5, November 2, December 7)

2019 (January 14, February 11, March 25, April 8, May 6, June 3, July 1, July 29, August 26, September 23, October 21, November 18, December 16)  
 2018 (January 8, February 12, March 5, April 2, April 30, June 25, July 16, August 20, September 24, October 15, November 5, December 3)  
 2017 (January 23, February 17, March 20, April 17, May 15, June 12, July 17, July 31, September 5, October 9, November 6, November 27)  
 2016 (January 11, March 18, April 25, May 31, July 11, August 1, August 29, September 26, October 24, November 21, December 19)  
 2015 (January 12, March 2, March 23, April 27, June 1, July 6, August 10, September 14, October 26, December 7)  
 2014 (January 13, February 17, March 17, April 28, June 9, July 7, August 11, September 15, October 20, December 1)  
 2013 (April 15, May 20, June 24, August 12, September 3, October 21, November 25)

National Pork Board Media News Conference, USDA Hogs and Pigs Report Interviews ([LINK](#))  
 2024 (September 26), 2023 (December 22), 2022 (December 23), 2021 (June 24), 2020 (June 25), 2019 (June 27), 2018 (June 28), 2017 (June 29), 2016 (March 25), 2014 (December 23), 2013 (September 27)

University of Nebraska-Lincoln Market Journal, Livestock Outlook Interviews ([LINK](#))  
 2024 (April 4), 2023 (April 12), 2022 (April 6), 2021 (March 29, July 2, September 28, December 7), 2020 (March 31, December 8), 2019 (March 7, June 5, October 30), 2018 (March 28, July 6, August 29, November 28), 2017 (February 15, July 13, October 3, November 7), 2016 (January 7, March 30, July 7, October 4), 2015 (October 2)

## **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH INFORMATION FILES**

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28. Livestock Planning Prices *Ag Decision Maker B1-10*
27. Livestock Budgets for Iowa *Ag Decision Maker B1-21*
26. Monthly Swine Feeding Returns *Ag Decision Maker B1-31*
25. Monthly Cattle Feeding Returns *Ag Decision Maker B1-36*
24. Managed Haying or Grazing of CRP Acres *Ag Decision Maker B1-60*
23. Raising Versus Buying Heifers for Beef Cow Replacement *Ag Decision Maker B1-73*
22. Net Present Value of Beef Replacement Females *Ag Decision Maker B1-74*
21. Assessing Economic Opportunity of Improving Mortality Rate in Farrow-to-Wean Swine Production *Ag Decision Maker B1-79*
20. Assessing Economic Opportunity of Improving Mortality Rate in Wean-to-Finish Swine Production *Ag Decision Maker B1-78*
19. Historic Hog and Lamb Prices *Ag Decision Maker B2-10*
18. Historic Cattle Prices *Ag Decision Maker B2-12*
17. Seasonal Hog Price Patterns *Ag Decision Maker B2-14*
16. Hog Price Changes by Two-week Period *Ag Decision Maker B2-15*
15. Seasonal Cattle Price Patterns *Ag Decision Maker B2-19*
14. Cattle Price Changes by Two-week Period *Ag Decision Maker B2-20*
13. Cattle Marketing Decisions *Ag Decision Maker B2-35*
12. Lean Hog Basis *Ag Decision Maker B2-41*
11. Live Cattle Basis *Ag Decision Maker B2-42*

10. Feeder Cattle Basis *Ag Decision Maker B2-43*
9. Feeder Steer-Heifer Price Spread *Ag Decision Maker B2-45*
8. Hedging of Livestock *Ag Decision Maker B2-50*
7. Livestock Options Market *Ag Decision Maker B2-52*
6. Frequency of Profitable Hedging Opportunities for Lean Hogs, 2005-2014 *Ag Decision Maker B2-53*
5. How Often Can Cattle Feeders Hedge a Profit with Futures? *Ag Decision Maker B2-54*
4. Live Cattle Futures – The Life of a Contract: Comparing Expiration to Weekly Futures Prices *Ag Decision Maker B2-63*
3. Feeder Cattle Futures – The Life of a Contract: Comparing Expiration to Weekly Futures Prices *Ag Decision Maker B2-64*
2. Lean Hog Futures Forecast Errors, 2000-2019 *Ag Decision Maker B2-67*
1. Suggested Closing Inventory Prices for Records *Ag Decision Maker C1-40*

#### ISU Livestock Crush Margins ([LINK](#))

Using the Crush Margin to Manage Profits Rather than Price: Wean to Finish  
Estimated Crush Margins for Hog Producers, 2006-2015

Using the Crush Margin to Manage Profits Rather than Price: Yearling to Finish  
Estimated Crush Margins for Feedlot Operators, 2006-2015

#### ISU Estimated Livestock Returns ([LINK](#))

Comparison of Estimated Returns – Current vs. Previous Procedures:

Farrow to Finish, Wean to Finish, Finishing Steer Calves, Finishing Yearling Steers

Procedure for Estimating Returns:

Farrow to Finish, Farrow to Wean, Wean to Feeder, Wean to Finish, Feeder to Finish, Finishing Steer Calves, Finishing Yearling Steers

### **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT**

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#### Livestock Price and Market Risk Management On-line Course ([LINK](#))

Videos: Overview of Price Risk Management Tools, Trading Concepts, Overview of Futures Contracts, Basis Forward Contracts, Short Futures Hedge, Short Futures Hedge Live Cattle Example, Buying a Put, Buying a Live Cattle Put, Livestock Risk Protection (LRP) Insurance, Livestock Gross Margin Insurance (LGM)

Decision Tools and Tutorials: Price Risk Tools Comparison Spreadsheet for Cattle,  
Price Risk Tools Comparison Spreadsheet for Hogs

### **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH DECISION TOOLS**

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15. Livestock Enterprise Budgets (12 Decision Tools) *Ag Decision Maker B1-21*
14. Managed Haying or Grazing of CRP Acres *Ag Decision Maker B1-60*
13. Buying Heifers for Beef Cow Replacement *Ag Decision Maker B1-73*
12. Raising Heifers for Beef Cow Replacement *Ag Decision Maker B1-73*
11. Net Present Value of Beef Replacement Females (group of replacements)  
*Ag Decision Maker B1-74*
10. Net Present Value of Beef Replacement Females (single replacement)  
*Ag Decision Maker B1-74*
9. Pig Survivability Project: Breed-to-Wean Mortality Economic Modeling  
*Ag Decision Maker B1-79*

8. Pig Survivability Project: Wean-to-Finish Mortality Economic Modeling  
*Ag Decision Maker B1-78*
7. Cow Sell Calculator *Ag Decision Maker B2-35*
6. Cow Repurchase Calculator *Ag Decision Maker B2-35*
5. Swine Marketing Decision *Ag Decision Maker B2-53*
4. Simple Hog Market Calculator *Ag Decision Maker B2-53*
3. Feedlot Facility Economic Assessment Calculator *Iowa Beef Center*
2. ISU Livestock Crush Margins App *Iowa State University Extension and Outreach*
1. K-State Feeder Cattle Price Analyzer *Ag Manager.info*

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47. **Schulz, L.L.** and T.C. Schroeder. Feasibility Assessment of Canadian Wholesale Beef Market Reporting. Research report prepared for Alberta Beef Producers. November 30, 2022. ([LINK](#))

46. **Schulz, L.L.** and E. Euken. Economics of Wean-to-Finish Mortality – Newly Developed Calculator. 2022 Allen D. Lemman Swine Conference Proceedings. September 2022. ([LINK](#))
45. **Schulz, L.L.** and E. Euken. Economics of Sow Mortality – Newly Developed Calculator. Lemman Swine Conference 2019 Research Abstracts. September 2022. ([LINK](#))
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27. Smith, J.M., G. Bucini, E. Clark, C.J. Koliba, S.C. Merrill, L.L. Schulz, D. Sellnow, T.L. Sellnow, G.T. Tonsor, and A. Zia. ADBCAP: A Human Approach to Improving Biosecurity. Scientia. November 2019. ([LINK](#))
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21. Mitchell, J.L., G.T. Tonsor, and **L.L. Schulz**. The Effects of Contracting on Biosecurity Effort by U.S. Swine Producers. Agricultural and Applied Economics Association selected paper submitted to AgEcon Search. June 2019. ([LINK](#))

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5. **Schulz, L.L.**, T.C. Schroeder, and T. Xia. Using Weak Separability and Generalized Composite Commodity Theorem in Modeling Ground Beef Demand. Agricultural and Applied Economics Association selected paper submitted to AgEcon Search. June 2011. ([LINK](#))
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1. **Schulz, L.L.** Cow-Calf Producer Preferences for Voluntary Traceability Systems and System Attributes. Thesis, Michigan State University. East Lansing. ProQuest-CSA, 2008. (Publication No. 072699) ([LINK](#))

## RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS

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52. **Schulz, L.L.** Factors Affecting Preconditioned Calf Price Premiums. 2023 IVMA Annual Meeting: Bovine Session. Ames, IA.
51. **Schulz, L.L.** Economics of Mortality - With a Look at Decision Tools to Help Improve it. Piglet Management Breakout Session at 2023 Banff Pork Seminar. Banff, Alberta Canada.
50. **Schulz, L.L.** and R. Euken. Economics of Wean-to-Finish Mortality - Newly Developed Calculator. Birth to Market Livability Track Session at 2022 Allen D. Lemman Swine Conference. St Paul, MN.
49. **Schulz, L.L.** and R. Euken. Economics of Sow Mortality - Newly Developed Calculator. Sow Livability Track Session at 2022 Allen D. Lemman Swine Conference. St Paul, MN.



48. **Schulz, L.L.** and J. Lee. In the Fight Against African Swine Fever, How Would Consumers View All Possible Prevention and Intervention Measures? Invited presentation for the Track Session—Animal Disease Prevention and Biosecurity in the U.S. at 2022 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Anaheim, CA.
47. Butcher, E., **L.L. Schulz**, and G.T. Tonsor. Structural Changes and the Evolving Composition of Wholesale Pork Demand. Selected paper presented at the 2022 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Santa Fe, NM.
46. Poddaturi, D.R., C.E. Hart, **L.L. Schulz**. A Dynamic Assessment of the Economic Impacts of a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Outbreak on the U.S. Beef Cattle Industry. Selected paper presented at the 2022 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Santa Fe, NM.
45. Coffey, B., **L.L. Schulz**, and T.C. Schroeder. Livestock Mandatory Reporting for Fed Cattle: Adapting to a Rapidly Changing Market. WAEA Organized Symposium at the 2022 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Santa Fe, NM.
44. **Schulz, L.L.** Plenary Session: Economics of Mortality. 2021 International Conference on Pig Survivability. Omaha, NE. October 27, 2021.
43. **Schulz, L.L.** Beef Session: Replacement Heifer Economics: Buy vs. Raise. American Association of Bovine Practitioners Annual Meeting. October 8, 2021.
42. Lee, J., **L.L. Schulz**, E. Hoffman, and G.T. Tonsor. The Effect of Misleading Headlines of African Swine Fever on Pork Consumers' Purchase Intentions. Selected paper presented at 2021 Midwest Economics Association Annual Virtual Meeting.
41. **Schulz, L.L.** Economic Impact of COVID-19 on Macro and Swine Economies. General Session: COVID-19 Lessons Learned. 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Association of Swine Veterinarians. March 2, 2021.
40. **Schulz, L.L.** Sensitivity Analysis of Net Returns to Mortality. Pre-Conference Seminar: Raising Pigs for Dummies (Keep them Alive). 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Association of Swine Veterinarians. February 28, 2021.
39. Lusk, J.L., G.T. Tonsor, **L.L. Schulz**. Beef and Pork Gross Marketing Margins during COVID19. The COVID-19 Pandemic: Insights from Agricultural Economists Paper Session. 2021 Allied Social Science Associations Annual Meeting. Virtual.
38. Pudenz, C.C., J.L. Mitchell, **L.L. Schulz**, and G.T. Tonsor. Adoption of Secure Beef Supply Plan Biosecurity by U.S. Cow-Calf and Feedlot Producers. Selected presentation at the 2020 International Society for Economics and Social Sciences of Animal Health (ISESSAH) Conference. Virtual.
37. Pudenz, C.C. and **L.L. Schulz**. Quantifying the U.S. Market Response to the African Swine Fever Outbreak in China. Selected paper presented at 2020 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Virtual Meeting.
36. Poddaturi, D.R., C.E. Hart, **L.L. Schulz**, and S. Pouliot. A Dynamic Model of U.S. Beef Cattle. Selected paper presented at 2020 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Virtual Meeting.

35. **Schulz, L.L.** Economic Perspectives on Biosecurity Decision-Making. Invited talk for the Animal Health Symposium: Biosecurity Through the Lenses of Multiple Disciplines at the 2020 ASAS-CSAS-WSASAS Virtual Annual Meeting and Trade Show.
34. **Schulz, L.L.** Handicapping the Economic Prospects for Pork Production and Marketing. Invited talk for the Growth, Development, Muscle Biology and Meat Science Symposium: A Market Assessment of the Pork Industry at the 2020 ASAS Midwestern Section / ADSA Midwestern Branch Annual Meeting. Omaha, NE.
33. Schroeder, T.C, **L.L. Schulz**, G.T. Tonsor. Feasibility Assessment of Reporting Negotiated Slaughter Cattle Purchases in Separate Delivery Window Categories. LMR Negotiated Cattle Market Reporting Study Stakeholder Meeting. U.S. Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service. Kansas City, MO. December 12, 2019.
32. **Schulz, L.L.** U.S. Swine Industry Biosecurity: An Economics Perspective. University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine Swine Seminar. St. Paul, MN. November 8, 2019.
31. **Schulz, L.L.** Understanding the Labor Market and Projections. Production/Public Health Interface—Hiring and Retaining Employees Track Session at 2019 Allen D. Lemman Swine Conference. St Paul, MN. ([LINK](#))
30. Mitchell, J.L., G.T. Tonsor, and **L.L. Schulz**. Economics of Biosecurity Effort by U.S. Swine and Cattle Producers. 9th Annual Global Agenda for Sustainable Livestock (GASL) Multi Stakeholder Partnership (MSP) meeting. Manhattan, KS.
29. **Schulz, L.L.** U.S. Pork Production and Marketing Trends and Patterns. COSBAE & EXT Track Session at 2019 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA.
28. Lee, J., **L.L. Schulz**, and G.T. Tonsor. Swine Producer Willingness to Pay for Tier 1 Disease Risk Mitigation Under Ambiguity. Selected paper presented at 2019 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA.
27. Tonsor, G.T., J.L. Mitchell, and **L.L. Schulz**. Comparing Willingness to Supply and Willingness to Pay for Cattle Traceability: A Novel Assessment of Both Supply and Demand Factors Driving Provision of Production Practice Information in Modern Food Systems. Selected paper presented at 2019 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA.
26. Mitchell, J.L., G.T. Tonsor, and **L.L. Schulz**. The Effects of Contracting on Biosecurity Effort by U.S. Swine Producers. Selected paper presented at 2019 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Atlanta, GA.
25. **Schulz, L.L.** A Deeper Look at Biosecurity. Keynote presentation at the 2019 International Society for Economics and Social Sciences of Animal Health (ISESSAH) Conference. Atlanta, GA.
24. Tonsor, G.T. and **L.L. Schulz**. Role of Packers & Processors in Livestock Biosecurity Effort. Invited presentation for the WAEA Organized Symposium— Multisectoral Livestock Biosecurity & Surveillance at the 2019 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Couer d’Alene, ID.

23. Ray, V., **L.L. Schulz**, S. Speer, V.L. Cooper, G.A. Dewell. Pilot Project to Determine Benefit of BVDV Testing Along with Iowa Green Tag Preconditioning Program. Selected paper presented at the 2018 Conference of Research Workers in Animal Diseases. Chicago, Illinois.
22. **Schulz, L.L.** VFD Implementation Impacted Pig Farmers, Their Veterinarians, and Feed Providers: Perspectives and Lessons Learned. A Workshop Organized by USDA's Economic Research Service in Collaboration with Farm Foundation—Challenges to Changing Antibiotic Use in Food Animal Production: Economics, Data & Policy. Washington, DC. September 6, 2018.
21. Pudenz, C.C. and **L.L. Schulz**. Market Dynamics and the Dairy-Beef Fed Cattle Price Spread. Selected paper presented at the 2018 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Anchorage, AK.
20. Tonsor, G.T. and **L.L. Schulz**. Impact of Indemnity Expectations on Producer Biosecurity Effort. Selected presentation at the 2018 International Society for Economics and Social Sciences of Animal Health (ISESSAH) Conference. Montpellier, France.
19. Zhang, W., C.E. Hart, **L.L. Schulz**, A. Plastina, W.M. Edwards, K.L. Jacobs, and K. Tidgren. How to Navigate the Waters of New Price Plateaus: Overview of Iowa State's Targeted Extension Efforts. EXT Section Track Session at 2017 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL.
18. McKendree, M.G.S, G.T. Tonsor, and **L.L. Schulz**. Feedlot Operators' Decision Making Regarding Price and Animal Health Risk. Selected paper presented at 2017 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL.
17. **Schulz, L.L.** On the Structural Change in Cattle Feeding Returns. Invited presentation for the Cattle Symposium—Issues in Today's Cattle Markets at the 2017 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Lake Tahoe, NV.
16. Crespi, J.M., **L.L. Schulz**, W.F. Hahn, and K. Jones. Assessing the Impacts of Global Shocks on United States Livestock Prices. Selected paper presented at 2017 Allied Social Sciences Associations Annual Meeting. Chicago, IL.
15. Tonsor, G.T. and **L.L. Schulz**. Assessment of the Economic Impacts of PEDv. Invited talk for the Swine Committee Meeting at the 2016 National Institute of Animal Agriculture Annual Conference. Kansas City, MO. [\(LINK\)](#)
14. Hadrich, J.C. and **L.L. Schulz**. Assessing the Effects of Managerial and Production Practices on Swine Production Profitability. AFM Section Track Session at 2015 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA.
13. **Schulz, L.L.** Providing Research-Based Information, Decision Support, and Increasing Understanding of Economic Drivers of Profitability and Risk to the Iowa Livestock Industry. Michigan State University Agricultural, Food, and Resource Economics Department Seminar. East Lansing, MI. October 2014.
12. **Schulz, L.L.** Factors Affecting Preconditioned Calf Price Differentials: How much do Market and Sale Conditions Matter. Selected paper presented at 2014 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN.

11. **Schulz, L.L.** Feeding Practices and Input Cost Performance in U.S. Hog Operations: The Case of Split-Sex and Phase Feeding. Selected paper presented at 2014 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN.
10. **Schulz, L.L.** Hog and Pork Situation and Outlook. Extension Section Track Session at 2014 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Minneapolis, MN.
9. Tonsor, G.T. and **L.L. Schulz.** Economic Considerations Related to Rebuilding the Cowherd. Invited talk for the Beef Species Symposium at the 2014 ASAS/ADSA Joint Annual Meeting. Kansas City, MO.
8. **Schulz, L.L.** Maintaining Competitiveness with Increasingly Volatile Markets. Invited talk for the Ruminant Nutrition Symposium—Economical and Environmental Impact of Maximizing Feed Efficiency Whole Minimizing Risk in an Era of \$8 Corn at the 2013 ASAS Midwestern Section / ADSA Midwestern Branch Annual Meeting. Des Moines, IA
7. **Schulz, L.L.** Using Weak Separability and Generalized Composite Commodity Theorem in Modeling Ground Beef Demand. Selected paper presented at 2011 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Pittsburgh, PA.
6. **Schulz, L.L.** Trade-Related Policy and Canadian-U.S. Fed Cattle Transactions Basis. Iowa State University Economics Department Seminar. Ames, Iowa. September 2010.
5. **Schulz, L.L.** Value of Beef Steak Branding: Hedonic Analysis of Retail Scanner Data. Selected paper presented at 2010 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Denver, CO.
4. **Schulz, L.L.** A New Live Animal Traceability System Regime: What Individual States Should Know, Current Overview, and Implementation. Presented at 2010 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Graduate Student Extension Competition. Denver, CO.
3. **Schulz, L.L.** Management and Marketing Strategies Affecting Feeder Cattle and Calf Marketability. Presented at 2009 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Graduate Student Extension Competition. Milwaukee, WI.
2. **Schulz, L.L.** Impacts of Trade-Related Policy on Canadian-U.S. Basis for Fed Cattle Transactions. Selected paper presented at 2009 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Kauai, HI.
1. **Schulz, L.L.** Cow-Calf Producer Valuations of Traceability System Attributes. Selected paper presented at 2008 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Big Sky, MT.

## **RESEARCH POSTERS**

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16. Lee, J. and **L.L. Schulz.** Consumer Willingness to Pay for Secure Pork Supply Plan Certification. Selected poster presented at the 2021 Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Austin, TX. ([LINK](#))
15. Poddaturi, D.R., C.E. Hart, and **L.L. Schulz.** Implementing a National Animal Identification and Traceability Program: Economic Assessment using a Dynamic Model of U.S. Beef Cattle. Selected poster presented at the 2021 Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Austin, TX. ([LINK](#))

14. Bina, J.D., G.T. Tonsor, **L.L. Schulz**, and W.F. Hahn. Balancing Beef Processing Efficiency and Resiliency Post-COVID-19. Selected poster presented at the 2021 Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Austin, TX. ([LINK](#))
13. Robb, J., K. MuCulloch, **L.L. Schulz**, S. Brown, and G.T. Tonsor. It Started in the West: Cooperative Effort Addressing Livestock Marketing Outreach and Applied Research. Selected poster presented at the 2019 Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Couer d'Alene, ID.
12. Merrill, S., T. Sellnow, G.T. Tonsor, C. Koliba, A. Zia, G. Bucini, **L.L. Schulz**, L. Trinity, C.C. Pudenz, E. Clark, S. Moegenburg, and Julia M. Smith. Modeling Risk Perception and Biosecurity Adoption in the Swine Industry. Selected poster presented at the 2018 Conference of Research Workers in Animal Diseases. Chicago, IL.
11. Pudenz, C.C., **L.L. Schulz**, and G.T. Tonsor. Adoption of Secure Pork Supply Plan Biosecurity by U.S. Swine Producers. Selected poster presented at the 2018 International Society for Economics and Social Sciences of Animal Health (ISESSAH) Conference. Montpellier, France.
10. Mitchell, J., G.T. Tonsor, and **L.L. Schulz**. Policy Expectations and Biosecurity Investment by Livestock Producers. Selected poster presented at the 2018 International Society for Economics and Social Sciences of Animal Health (ISESSAH) Conference. Montpellier, France.
9. Stokes, B.T., J.R. Russell, P.J. Gunn, and **L.L. Schulz**. Impact of Stockpiling Initiation Method on the Biomass and Nutritional Quality of Winter Forage from Cool-Season Grass Pastures in the Midwest. Poster presented at the Iowa State University CALS Sustainability Symposium. April 13, 2017.
8. Stokes, B.T., J.R. Russell, P.J. Gunn, and **L.L. Schulz**. Effects of Winter Grazing Stockpiled Cool-Season Grass Pastures and Method of Initiating Stockpiling on Fall-Calving Cow Production Costs in Comparison to Winter Drylot Hay Feeding Systems. Selected poster presented at the 2017 ASAS Midwestern Section and ADSA Midwest Branch Annual Meeting. Omaha, NE.
7. **Schulz, L.L.** and B.L. Boetel. Factors Price-Weight Relationships for Feeder Cattle: A Dairy Beef Assessment. Selected poster presented at the 2017 Southern Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting. Mobile, AL.
6. Andersen, C.E., P.J. Gunn, and **L.L. Schulz**. Factors Affecting Timing and Intensity of Calving Season of Beef Cow-Calf Producers in the Midwest. Selected poster presented at the 2016 ASAS-ADSA-CSAS-WSASAS Joint Annual Meeting. Salt Lake City, UT.
5. **Schulz, L.L.**, P.J. Gunn, G.M. Artz. Succession Planning and Perceived Obstacles and Attractions for Future Generations Entering Beef Cattle Production. Selected poster presented at the 2015 Agricultural & Applied Economics Association and Western Agricultural Economics Association Joint Annual Meeting. San Francisco, CA. ([LINK](#))
4. Njoka, J.G., M.P. Hoffman, P.J. Berger, and **L.L. Schulz**. Effects of Diet, Housing, and Season Systems on Feedlot Cattle Finishing Programs. Selected poster presented at the 2015 ASAS Midwestern Section and ADSA Midwest Branch Annual Meeting. Des Moines, IA.

3. Holtkamp, D., **L.L. Schulz**, T.C. Schroeder, G.T. Tonsor, J. Kliebenstein, R. Morrison, and R. Rowland. Bio-economics: The Impact of PRRS & PRRS Control - What is the value of regional projects? Presented at the 2011 International Porcine Reproductive and Respiratory Syndrome Symposium. Chicago, IL.
2. **Schulz, L.L.**, J.R. Mintert, K.C. Dhuyvetter, T.C. Schroeder, K.W. Harborth, and J.W. Waggoner. Improving the Value of Feeder Cattle and Calves: The Factors Affecting Auction Prices. Selected poster presented at the 2009 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting. Milwaukee, WI.
1. **Schulz, L.L.** and B.L. Boetel. Effectiveness of Price Risk Management Tools for Wisconsin Fat Cattle Producers. Selected poster presented at the 2006 National Conference on Undergraduate Research. Asheville, NC.

## **GRANTS AND CONTRACTS – FUNDED**

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### **External Funding**

*Title:* Assessing the Value of Individual Animal Weights. *Amount:* \$150,000. *Source:* Merck & Company Inc. *Date:* December 2022 – December 2024. *Investigators:* L.L. Greiner (PI), J.C.M. Dekkers, **L.L. Schulz**, J. Steibel (Co-PIs)

*Title:* A Systems-Approach to Understanding the Nutrient Cycle Across the Pork Ecosystem. *Amount:* \$1,000,000. *Source:* National Pork Board. *Date:* December 2022 – November 2026. *Investigators:* L.L. Greiner (PI), D. Anderson, E. Cortus, G. Dahlke, J. DeRouchey, J.C.M. Dekkers, R. Euken, E. Lain, S. Matchan, L.B. Moody, B.C. Ramirez, **L.L. Schulz**, M. Sharara, J. Sheehan, M. Tokach, N.H. Williams (Co-PIs)

*Title:* Early Life Impacts on Beef × Dairy Performance and Assessment of Challenges for Beef × Dairy in Iowa. *Amount:* \$157,203. *Source:* Iowa Beef Industry Council State Beef Checkoff Program. *Date:* October 2022 – April 2025. *Investigators:* Schwab, D. (PI), G. Carpenter (Co-PI), G. Dahlke, B. Doran, M. Hindman, C. Hartz, J. Peak, **L.L. Schulz**, D. Thomson (Collaborators)

*Title:* Agricultural Supply Chain Disruptions, Costs, and Mitigation Strategies to Enhance Resiliency of the U.S. Food Supply. *Amount:* \$458,000. *Source:* USDA-NIFA Rapid Response to Novel Coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) Impacts Across Food and Agricultural Systems. *Date:* August 2020 – July 2022. *Investigators:* K.L. Jacobs (PI), J. Crespi, C.E. Hart, D.J. Hayes, B.J. Martens, **L.L. Schulz** (Co-PIs)

*Title:* Assessing Packing Plant and Wholesale Pork COVID-19 Impacts in the Pork-Hog Industry. *Amount:* \$50,000. *Source:* USDA-ERS Cooperative Research Agreement. *Date:* October 2020 – September 2022. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz** (PI)

*Title:* Risk Management Strategies for Iowa's Beginning and Women Farmers in Uncertain Times. *Amount:* \$100,000. *Source:* Extension Risk Management Education North Central Center. *Date:* June 2020 – November 2021. *Investigators:* M. Schultz, T. Christensen, R. Drollette (Co-PI), D. Baker, C. Brown, P. Hattig, A. Johanns, S. Johnson, K. Leibold, M. O'Rourke, A. Plastina, L. Scarbrough, **L.L. Schulz**, G. Wright (Resources and Outreach Team Member)

*Title:* Meeting the Pork Industry's Need for Professionals Trained in Economics. *Amount:* \$60,000. *Source:* National Pork Board Professional Student Fellowship Program. *Date:* August 2020 – July 2022. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz** (PI)

*Title:* Basic and Applied Consequences of Heat Stress in Barrows and Gilts. *Amount:* \$1,000,000. *Source:* USDA-NIFA Inter-Disciplinary Engagement in Animal Systems Program. *Date:* July 2020 – June 2024. *Investigators:* J.T. Selsby (PI), L. Baumgard, B. Ramirez, R. Rhoads, R. Ross, J. Serao, **L.L. Schulz**, S. White (Co-PIs)

*Title:* A System Approach to Improving Pig Health, Well-being and Productivity. *Amount:* \$1,999,772. *Source:* National Pork Board. *Date:* October 2018 – September 2023. *Investigators:* J.W. Ross (PI), J. DeRouchey, M. Tokach, J. Woodworth, N. Gabler, A. Johnson, A. Keating, D. Linhares, S. Millman, J. Patience, C. Rademacher, S. Schmitz-Esser, **L.L. Schulz**, K. Schwartz, K. Stalder, K. Stewart, A. Chipman (Co-PIs)

*Title:* A Regional Dynamic Model of U.S. Beef Cattle and the Economic Impacts of Movement Restrictions in an Event of Foot and Mouth Disease. *Amount:* \$361,234. *Source:* USDA-NIFA. *Date:* May 2018 – April 2023. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz** (PI), C.E. Hart (Co-PI)

*Title:* Iowa Beef Economic Impact Study. *Amount:* \$15,000. *Source:* Iowa Beef Industry Council. *Date:* June 2017 – December 2017. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz**, D. Loy (PIs), D. Swenson, E. Lundy (Co-PIs)

*Title:* Price Risk and Marketing Education for Beef and Pork Producers. *Amount:* \$49,999. *Source:* Extension Risk Management Education North Central Center. *Date:* April 2017 – September 2018. *Investigators:* R. Euken (PI), **L.L. Schulz** (Co-PI), D. Loy, D. Schwab, J. Sellers, B. Doran, E. Lundy, S. Ellis, R. Drollette, M. Storlie, D. Poddaturi, E. Neitzke (Collaborators)

*Title:* Economic Impacts of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration Veterinary Feed Directive Rules on the U.S. Swine Industry. *Amount:* \$25,000. *Source:* USDA-ERS Cooperative Research Agreement. *Date:* August 2016 – September 2018. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz** (PI)

*Title:* Has the Industrialization of Livestock Marketing Shielded U.S. Livestock Prices from Global Shocks? *Amount:* \$25,000. *Source:* USDA-ERS Cooperative Research Agreement. *Date:* May 2016 – April 2017. *Investigators:* J.M. Crespi (PI), **L.L. Schulz** (Co-PI)

*Title:* Roads to Successful Farm Transition. *Amount:* \$671,393. *Source:* USDA-NIFA Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program. *Date:* September 2015 – August 2018.

*Investigators:* J.D. Lawrence (PI), P.J. Gunn (Co-PI), D. Baker, J. Baker, P. Havran, D.L. Loy, **L.L. Schulz** (Collaborators), M. Smith (Coordinator)

*Title:* Economic Importance of the Egg Industry in the Iowa Economy. *Amount:* \$5,000. *Source:* Iowa Egg Council. *Date:* April 2015 – June 2015. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz** (PI), D. Otto, M. Ibarbaru-Blanc (Collaborators)

*Title:* A Human Behavioral Approach to Reducing the Impact of Livestock Pest or Disease Incursions of Socio-Economic Importance. *Amount:* \$7,400,000 (\$650,269 ISU subcontract with University of Vermont). *Source:* USDA-NIFA Coordinated Agricultural Project (CAP). *Date:* April 2015 – March 2020. *Investigators:* J.M. Smith (PI), T.M. Bass, S.R. Kerr, C.L. Koliba, J. McDonald, S.C. Merrill, J. Parker, J. Rankin, **L.L. Schulz**, T.L. Sellnow, G.T. Tonsor, A. Zia (Co-PIs)

*Title:* Beef Feedlot Producer Risk Management Project. *Amount:* \$49,991. *Source:* Extension Risk Management Education North Central Center. *Date:* July 2014 – June 2016. *Investigators:* R. Euken (PI), D. Loy, **L.L. Schulz** (Co-PIs), D. Schwab, P. Wall, C. Clark, J. Sellers, B. Doran, S. Ellis, S. Shouse, G. Breneman (Collaborators)

*Title:* Methods to Improve Swine Production Records. *Amount:* \$18,809. *Source:* Niman Ranch. *Date:* May 2014 - August 2014. *Investigators:* D. Stender (PI), **L.L. Schulz**, M. Swantek (Co-PIs)

*Title:* Economic Importance of the Egg Industry in the Iowa Economy. *Amount:* \$5,000. *Source:* Iowa Egg Council. *Date:* August 2012 - March 2013. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz** (PI), D. Otto, M. Ibarbaru-Blanc (Collaborators)

*Title:* Value of Pre-Harvest Food Safety and Animal Welfare Certification for Cattle Producers. *Amount:* \$113,700. *Source:* USDA – Federal State Marketing Improvement Program. *Date:* September 2011 - August 2013. *Investigators:* T.C. Schroeder (PI), C. Reinhardt, **L.L. Schulz**, D. Thomson, G.T. Tonsor (Co-PIs)

### **Internal Funding**

*Title:* Sustainability in the Swine Industry for the State of Iowa. *Amount:* \$197,000. *Source:* Iowa State University Extension & Outreach. *Date:* July 2024 – December 2025. *Investigators:* L. Greiner, C. Rademacher, R. Euken, **L.L. Schulz**, D. Anderson, A. Powell, B. Ramirez, O. Hanlon, L. Schulte-Moore, P. Hatting, A. Miller (Collaborators)

*Title:* Swine and Beef Price Risk and Marketing Management—Online Course and App Development. *Amount:* \$6,000. *Source:* Iowa Pork Industry Center. *Date:* August 2017 – July 2018. *Investigators:* R. Euken (PI), **L.L. Schulz** (Co-PI)



*Title:* Economic Importance of the ISU Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory. *Amount:* \$25,000. *Source:* Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine. *Date:* November 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz** (PI), D.J Hayes, D.J. Holtkamp, D. Swenson (Co-PIs)

*Title:* Sustainably Growing Iowa’s Beef Herds: Evaluating Systems That Provide Economic Opportunities While Protecting Soil and Water Resources. *Amount:* \$87,124. *Source:* Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture. *Date:* February 2015 – January 2018. *Investigators:* J. Sellers (PI), P.J. Gunn, **L.L. Schulz** (Co-PIs), D. Loy, C. Clark, R. Euken, D. Schwab, P. Wall, G. Dahlke, M. Carlton, A. Sauegling, S. Shouse, K. Arora (Collaborators)

*Title:* Elucidation of Factors that Determine Price of Replacement Heifers in an Auction Market. *Amount:* \$3,490. *Source:* Iowa Beef Center Mini Grant. *Date:* October 2014 - June 2015. *Investigators:* P.J. Gunn, **L.L. Schulz** (PIs)

*Title:* Bring Ag Decision Maker and Iowa Beef Center Web-Based Decision Support Resources for Cattle Producers Up-To-Date. *Amount:* \$3,489. *Source:* Iowa Beef Center Mini Grant. *Date:* October 2014 - June 2015. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz**, P.J. Gunn (PIs)

*Title:* Livestock Producer Costs Under Haying and Grazing Provisions in the Conservation Reserve Program. *Amount:* \$2,992. *Source:* Iowa Beef Center Mini Grant. *Date:* October 2012 - June 2013. *Investigators:* **L.L. Schulz**, K. Jacobs (PIs)

## **CONSULTING ACTIVITY**

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32. Analysis of the Economic Impact of the Pork Industry on Select States (National Pork Producers Council), April 2024 – June 2024
31. Evaluating the Economic Impact of Gestation Housing Regulations on U.S. Consumers (National Pork Board), December 15, 2023 – April 15, 2024
30. Reviewed Assessing the Cattle Contracts Library & Fed Cattle Market Transparency, a report prepared for USDA’s Agricultural Marketing Service (Agri-Food Analytics, LLC), November 2023
29. Review of the USDA Swine Contract Library: Usage, Application, and Future Direction (United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service), September 2023 – May 2024
28. Update of the Global Swine Benchmark Analysis (Merck Animal Health), September 2023 – April 2024
27. An Updated Economic Assessment of New Swine Gestation Facility Investment (National Pork Board), June 2023 – July 2023
26. Update of the Global Swine Benchmark Analysis (Merck Animal Health), September 2022 – April 2023
25. Economic Assessment of New Swine Gestation Facility Selection (National Pork Board), May 2022 – September 2022

24. Analysis of the Economic Impact of the Pork Industry on Select States (National Pork Producers Council), April 2022 – June 2022
23. Feasibility Assessment of Canadian Wholesale Beef Market Reporting (Alberta Beef Producers), March 2022 – November 2022
22. Update of the Global Swine Benchmark Analysis (Merck Animal Health), December 2021 – April 2022
21. Update of the Global Swine Benchmark Analysis (Merck Animal Health), December 2020 – April 2021
20. Defining the Percentage of Pigs Raised without Antibiotics for a Label Claim (National Pork Board), November 2020 – July 2021
19. Development of an Annual Benchmarking Report Summarizing Swine Production and Financial Information for Select Countries (Merck Animal Health), January 2020 – July 2020
18. Food Packaging Equipment Project Consultation (Apex Leaders), June 2019
17. Feasibility Assessment of Reporting Negotiated Slaughter Cattle Purchases in Separate Delivery Window Categories (United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service), June 2019 – November 2019
16. Economic Impact of the Wisconsin Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory (University of Wisconsin Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory), January 2019 – September 2019
15. Beef Packing Margin Study Consultation (D.E. Shaw & Co., L.P.), July 2018
14. Hog Production/Packing Study Consultation (PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP), May 2018
13. External Review of Meat Price Spreads Data Product (U.S. Department of Agriculture Economic Research Service), October 2017 – August 2018
12. Labor Issues and Trends in U.S. Pork Production (National Pork Producers Council), August 2017 – March 2018
11. An Analysis of the Economic Impact of the Pork Industry on Select States and Congressional Districts (National Pork Producers Council), April 2017 – August 2017
10. Here's the Premium Project (Certified Angus Beef LLC), January 2017
9. Livestock and Poultry Packing Margin Study Consultation (D.E. Shaw & Co., L.P.), November 2016
8. Swine Building Feasibility Study Consultation (L.E.K. Consulting), September 2016
7. Independent Pork Processing Industry Study Consultation (L.E.K. Consulting), November 2015
6. Farm Credit System Focus Group (Reputation Institute and Maslansky & Partners), February 2015
5. Here's the Premium Project (Certified Angus Beef LLC), January 2015
4. An Analysis of the Economic Impact of the Pork Industry on Select States and Congressional Districts (National Pork Producers Council), August 2014 – December 2014

3. Reviewed Development of Methodology for Calculating Estimated Net Price Information for Negotiated Barrows and Gilts, a report prepared for USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service (Value Ag LLC), February 2014
2. Swine Feed Mill Feasibility Study (Holden Farms), July 2011 – December 2011
1. Economic and Governmental Factors Affecting Canadian-United States Basis for Fed Cattle (CanFax Research Service), August 2009 – July 2010

### **INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL EXPERIENCE**

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9. *China*: October 2023 (9 days) – The 12<sup>th</sup> Leman China Swine Conference & The 12<sup>th</sup> World Swine Industry Expo in Xi'an, China. Presented on the economics of mortality, key performance indicators in pork production, and cost control in pig production. Met with swine companies and operations to discuss the swine industry situation and outlook in the U.S. and China and the microeconomic impacts of swine diseases.
8. *South Korea*: November 2018 (4 days) – Meat trade mission to Seoul, South Korea. Speaker at U.S. Meat Export Federal Seminar. Participation with U.S. Meat Export Federation, Iowa Pork Producers Association, Iowa Beef Industry Council, and Iowa Economic Development Authority International Trade Office.
7. *Canada*: November 2018 (2 days) – Quebec Hog Breeders Annual Assembly. Presented on hog/pork supply and demand, production and slaughter capacity, historical and estimated hog production costs and returns, and trade situation and impact on hog sector. Met with swine industry professionals and government officials.
6. *China*: September 2017 (6 days) – The 6<sup>th</sup> U.S.-China Swine Industry Symposium in Beijing, China. Presented on price formation and price risk management in the U.S. swine industry and served as a discussant for the industry price risk management strategies session. Met with swine companies and operations to discuss the swine industry situation and outlook in the U.S. and China and how operators respond to changes in hog prices.
5. *Spain*: June 2016 (6 days) – InterPig meeting in Mataró, Spain. Exchange of comparable farm level pig costs and production data and participation in a network of pig production experts for the sharing of expertise and information.
4. *Belgium*: June 2014 (4 days) – InterPig meeting in Bruges, Belgium. Exchange of comparable farm level pig costs and production data and participation in a network of pig production experts for the sharing of expertise and information.
3. *South Korea*: November 2013 (3 days) – Meat trade mission to Seoul and Pusan, South Korea. Speaker at U.S. Meat Seminars. Participation with U.S. Meat Export Federation, Iowa Pork Producers Association, Iowa Beef Industry Council, and Iowa Economic Development Authority International Trade Office.
2. *Japan*: November 2013 (3 days) – Meat trade mission to Tokyo, Japan. Participation with U.S. Meat Export Federation, Iowa Pork Producers Association, Iowa Beef Industry Council, and Iowa Economic Development Authority International Trade Office.
1. *Canada*: June 2011 (5 days) – Research work in Alberta, Canada. Collaboration with Canfax Research Services in examining of how changing local market fundamentals in Canada and the U.S. affect cash market fed cattle trade.

## ON-CAMPUS INSTRUCTION

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Economics 437, Commodity Marketing & Risk Management Spring 2017	Iowa State University
Economics 337, Agricultural Marketing Spring 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 2023, 2024 Spring 2018	Iowa State University Co-taught with Dr. Chad Hart  Solely-taught
Economics 466, Agricultural Finance Fall 2014	Iowa State University
Economics 490, Independent Study Fall 2013, Spring 2016, 2017	Iowa State University
Agricultural Economics 513, Agricultural Finance Fall 2010	Kansas State University
Mathematics Review for Graduate Students Fall 2009, Spring 2010	Kansas State University
Recurring Guest Lectures at Iowa State University (+/- attendance)	
Animal Science 426, Beef Feedlot Systems Management Factors Affecting Feeder Cattle Prices – Lab Spring 2016 (40), Spring 2017 (40), Spring 2018 (42), Spring 2019 (60) Spring 2020 (60) Managing Price Risk in Feedlot Operations – Lab Spring 2017 (40), Spring 2018 (42), Spring 2019 (60), Spring 2020 (60)	
Animal Science 426, Beef Cattle Systems Management Factors Affecting Feeder Cattle Prices – Lab Fall 2013 (30), Spring 2014 (40), Fall 2014 (30), Spring 2015 (40), Fall 2015 (30) Managing Price Risk in Feedlot Operations – Lab Fall 2013 (30), Spring 2014 (40), Fall 2014 (30), Fall 2015 (30), Fall 2020 (40), Spring 2021 (50), Fall 2021 (40), Spring 2022 (80), Fall 2022 (15), Spring 2023 (40), Fall 2023 (30), Spring 2024 (40), Fall 2024 (30)	
Guest Lectures at Iowa State University (+/- attendance)	
Economics 460, Agricultural, Food, and Trade Policy Country of Origin Labelling (60)	Fall 2020
Economics 495, Economics Travel Course The Alternative Protein Market Situation and Outlook (12)	Spring 2020
Economics 330, Advanced Farm Management Financing Livestock Production (20)	Fall 2019
Animal Science 426, Beef Cattle Systems Management Managing Price Risk in Feedlot Operations – Lab Factors Affecting Feeder Cattle Prices – Lab (60)	Spring 2019

VDPAM 478C, Swine Emerging Diseases Diagnosis and Management Biosecurity and Health Management by U.S. Pork Producers (8)	Spring 2018
Animal Science 235, Dairy Cattle Science How Milk is Priced (100)	Fall 2017
Economics 330, Advanced Farm Business Management Decision Support Tools and Economic Drivers (35)	Fall 2017
Economics 337, Agricultural Marketing Margin Calls and Market Participants Livestock Marketing Decisions (47)	Spring 2017
Economics 235, Introduction to Agricultural Markets Livestock Market Situation and Outlook (100)	Fall 2015
Economics 235, Introduction to Agricultural Markets Livestock Production and Marketing (80)	Spring 2013
Animal Science 211, Issues Facing Animal Science Animal Science 411, Issues Animal Science Current Issues in Agriculture (250)	Spring 2013
Animal Science 426, Beef Cattle Systems Management Beef Cattle Marketing and Decision Aide Lab (30)	Spring 2013
Animal Science 426, Beef Cattle Systems Management Price Risk Management for Cattle Producers (20)	Fall 2012
Economics 235, Introduction to Agricultural Markets Livestock Marketing Decisions (100)	Fall 2012
Economics 235, Introduction to Agricultural Markets Livestock Marketing Decisions (75)	Fall 2012

## **MEDIA INTERVIEWS**

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2024: Iowa Farmer Today (9), Missouri Farmer Today (4), AgDay TV, U.S. Farm Report, Red (61) River Farm Network, Des Moines Register (3), AgriTalk (2), Iowa PBS Market to Market (2), Trader PhD, WQAD 8 ABC, KICD FM 107.7, KICD AM 1240, Successful Farming Magazine, swineweb.com, Storm Lake Times Pilot, DTN/The Progressive Farmer, Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman, Iowa Public Radio (4), The Wallstreet Journal, American Farmland Owner, Scripps News, Business Record, Illinois AgriNews, Indiana AgriNews, The N'West Iowa Review, The Daily Iowan, Marketplace, Illinois Farmer Today, Farm Journal's PORK (4), National Hog Farmer, Newsweek, CBS News (2), WHO News Radio 1040, Storm Lake Times Pilot, Associated Press, Missouri Ruralist, KCUR, UC Davis CLEAR Center

2023: Des Moines Register, Iowa Public Radio (2), Hereford World Magazine (2), The N'West (77) Iowa Review, WHO News Radio 1040 (3), The Wall Street Journal, Iowa Farmer Today (12), Missouri Farmer Today, Tri-State Neighbor, WNAX Radio (2), AgriTalk (5), Progressive Cattle, DTN/The Progressive Farmer, AgDay TV, U.S. Farm Report (2), Farm News, The N'West Iowa Review, The Washington Times, Reuters, Lee Enterprises,

Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman, National Association of Farm Broadcasters, Radio Iowa, Farm Journal's PORK (9), Agri-Pulse (2), The Wall Street Journal (2), Brownfield Ag News (2), The Storm Lake Times, Star Tribune, KCUR.ORG 89.3 FM, Axios Des Moines, Broadhead, Trader PhD, Bloomberg News, Meatingplace (2), CNBC, KCCI-TV, AgDay, Stateline, Ambrook Research, Southeast Iowa Union, KICD FM 107.7, KICD AM 1240, Quartz

2022: Iowa Farmer Today (6), E&E News, WHO News Radio 1040 (2), WRDN AM 1430, (73) WRDN FM 107.3, Missouri Farmer Today (2), Nebraska Farmer, Dakota Farmer, KICD FM 107.7 (3), KICD AM 1240 (3), AM 950 KOEL, The Wall Street Journal (4), AgriTalk (3), Marketplace, Trader PhD LLC (2), National Association of Farm Broadcasters (2), Des Moines Register (3), Wallaces Farmer (2), Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (4), St. Louis Public Radio, CBS News, McClatchy Washington Bureau (2), The Economist, The N'West Iowa Review, Capital Press, Associated Press, U.S. Farm Report (2), Illinois Farmer Today, Farm World, WNAX Radio, Reuters, La Libre Belgique, Le Vif, Successful Farming Magazine, Farm Journal's PORK (4), ISU ANR Communications, Forum Communications, Radio Iowa, Southeast Iowa Union (2), KMTV 3 News Now, Red River Farm Network, Stable Price, Iowa Soybean Association's e-weekly Newsletter

2021: Iowa Farmer Today (10), Linder Farm Network, Trader PhD LLC, Successful Farming (56) Magazine, Associated Press, Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (3), Agri-Pulse (2), Bloomberg News, Iowa Public Radio (3), Des Moines Register (4), AgriTalk (2), DTN/The Progressive Farmer, Pork Checkoff, Iowa Corn Roots Magazine, Pocahontas Record-Democrat, Farm Journal's PORK (2), CNBC, The Capital Forum, The Wall Street Journal, Eater Chicago, Omaha World-Herald, E&E News, U.S. Farm Report, AgDay, KCCI 8 News (3), WHO News Radio 1040, NBC News, Allrecipes.com, KCIM 1300 AM Radio, KICK 106.7 FM Radio, KKRL 93.7 FM Radio, Flatwater Free Press, Dubuque Biz Times, Axios Local, New York Times

2020: The Storm Lake Times (3), RFD-TV, KCIM 1300 AM Radio, KICK 106.7 FM Radio, (127) KKRL 93.7 FM Radio, Farmweld Newsletter, Pork, National Hog Farmer (2), Pork Report, Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (7), Iowa Farmer Today (12), Associated Press (6), Iowa Public Radio (5), Des Moines Register (4), WQAD News 8 (2), Los Angeles Times, Harvest Public Media (2), Star Tribune (3), KICD AM 1240/FM 107.7 Radio, KLEM AM 1410 (2), KLEM FM 96.9 Radio (2), KCAU ABC 9 News (2), KCCI 8 News (4), We Are Iowa Local 5 News (2), BBC News, Farm Journal's PORK (2), Missouri Farmer Today (2), LandbrugsAvisen (Danish Farmers Weekly), The N'West Iowa REVIEW, The South O'Brien Sun, The Sheldon Mail-Sun, South Dakota Public Broadcasting, WHO-HD Channel 13, The Waterloo Courier (2), Argus Leader, Bloomberg News, The World and Everything In it, Osceola Sentinel Tribune, National Public Radio (2), U.S. Farm Report (2), AgDay, ThePrepared.com, Southeast Iowa Union, Denison Bulletin and Review, Food Business News, Yahoo News, CNN Business, Globo Rural Magazine, It's Your Business Show/KELO AM (3), Food Quality & Safety Magazine, USA Today, CBS News, Business Insider TV, CNBC, AgriTalk (3), Bellevue Herald-Leader, Maquoketa Sentinel-Press, HuffPost, Cleveland.com, Plain Dealer, Brownfield Ag News, Michigan Ag Today, Telegraph Herald, The National Provisioner (2), Pork Checkoff Newsletter,

ISU Extension and Outreach Agricultural and Natural Resources News, KCII Radio, ISU CALS STORIES Magazine, Iowa Pork Producer Association News for Producers, National Association of Farm Broadcasting News Service, KWWL News, Tri State Livestock News, AGDAILY

- 2019: Brownfield Ag News (2), Iowa Farmer Today (6), ISU News Service, Reuters News, (39) WHO News Radio 1040 (2), Iowa Public Radio (2), Minnesota Farm Guide, Meatingplace, K-State Radio Network–Agriculture Today, Farm Journal’s PORK, Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman, Farm News (2), Pocahontas Record-Democrat, NOVA on PBS, RFD Radio Network, Denison Bulletin and Review, Iowa Farm and Ranch, KLEM AM 1410, KLEM FM 96.9 Radio, KCAU ABC 9 News, Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (4), We Are Iowa Local 5 News, Missouri Farmer Today, Xinhua News Agency, AgriTalk, U.S. Farm Report, Feedstuffs
- 2018: Radio 570 WNAX, Feed Navigator, The Wall Street Journal (2), WHO News Radio 1040 (60) (2), KICD AM 1240/FM 107.7 Radio, Iowa Select Farms Facebook Live, Wallaces Farmer, ISU News Service, Iowa Farmer Today (9), KTIC 840 Rural Radio, 107.9 Bull Radio, Iowa Agribusiness Radio Network (2), Iowa Cattleman, The Gazette, Iowa Pork Producer Association News for Producers, Bloomberg News, National Association of Farm Broadcasting, KCIM 1300 AM Radio, KICK 106.7 FM Radio, KKRL 93.7 FM Radio, Politico, CBS News.com, Reuters News (3), Farm News (2), Storm Lake Times, The Washington Evening Journal (2), National Public Radio, The Daily Nonpareil, China Business News, Scientific American Magazine, KUNC--Community Radio for Northern Colorado, Western Livestock Journal, Des Moines Register, The Guardian, Quad-City Times, Waterloo Courier, Sioux City Journal, Muscatine Journal, Mason City Globe Gazette, KCCI 8 News, AgriTalk, The Pig Site, Successful Farming Magazine, Adair County Free Press, Storm Lake Pilot Tribune, Iowa Public Radio
- 2017: Successful Farming Magazine (2), Successful Farming at Agriculture.com, (65) DTN/The Progressive Farmer Magazine (3), Omaha World-Herald, Iowa Farmer Today (10), Certified Angus Beef, Minnesota Farm Guide, Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (4), KCIM 1300 AM Radio (3), KICK 106.7 FM Radio (3), KKRL 93.7 FM Radio (3), Drovers, Feedlot Magazine, KFMC 106.5 Radio, KSUM 1370 AM Radio, ISU E-Dairy News and Views, Denison Bulletin and Review (3), Iowa Farm and Ranch (3), The Cedar Rapids Gazette (2), Missouri Farmer Today, WHO News Radio 1040 (2), Des Moines Register (2), Eldora Herald-Ledger, Iowa Cattleman, Farm News, KLEM AM 1410, KLEM FM 96.9 Radio, KCAU ABC 9 News, The Wall Street Journal, Iowa Public Radio, Pro Farmer Market Rally, Storm Lake Times, Spencer Daily Reporter, KTIC 840 Rural Radio, 107.9 Bull Radio, Homegrown Iowa, KICD AM 1240/FM 107.7 Radio, Bloomberg News
- 2016: Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (6), Iowa Food & Family Project e-newsletter, (63) Denison Bulletin and Review (2), Iowa Farm and Ranch (2), Reuters News (5), IowaWatch.org, KICD AM 1240/FM 107.7 Radio, Iowa Farmer Today (8), Chicago Tribune, KJAN Radio, WyoFile, Progressive Farmer Magazine, Des Moines Register, Iowa Public Radio (3), KLEM AM 1410/FM 96.9 Radio (2), KCAU ABC 9 News, Pro

Farmer Market Rally, Mason City Globe Gazette, Iowa Cattleman, WHO News Radio 1040 (3), Fremont Tribune, Agri News, Performance Livestock Analytics (2), Bloomberg News, Successful Farming Magazine (1), Wallaces Farmer, Agri-Pulse Communications, Mt. Pleasant News, USC Annenberg Media, Iowa Pork Producer Association News for Producers (2), Red River Farm Network, KICD AM 1240/FM 107.7 Radio, DTN/The Progressive Farmer Magazine, Angus Talk, KCIM 1300 AM Radio, KICK 106.7 FM Radio, KKRL 93.7 FM Radio, ISU ANR Communications

- 2015: Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (9), Denison Bulletin and Review (2), (76) Iowa Farm and Ranch (2), Pro Farmer Market Rally (2), KCIM 1300 AM Radio (2), KICK 106.7 FM Radio (2), KKRL 93.7 FM Radio (2), Sauk Valley Times, DTN/The Progressive Farmer, Progressive Cattleman, Telegraph Herald, Iowa Farmer Today (5), Iowa Soybean Review, Farm Report, Des Moines Register (2), WHO News Radio 1040 (4), Certified Angus Beef (2), Angus Journal (2), WHO TV 13, Iowa Pork Producer Association News for Producers (2), The Economist, Iowa Public Radio, N'West Iowa REVIEW, AgDay, U.S. Farm Report TV, Marketplace, Quad-City Times, Waterloo Courier, Sioux City Journal, Muscatine Journal, Mason City Globe Gazette, Bloomberg News (2), Angus Talk, The Storm Lake Times, Iowa Farm and Ranch, Reuters News (6), AgWeb, Missouri Farmer Today, Tri State Livestock News, Feed Navigator, KICD AM 1240/FM 107.7 Radio, Progressive Forage Grower, Brownfield Ag News, Angus Beef Bulletin EXTRA, KIWA News
- 2014: Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (9), WHO TV 13 (3), Bloomberg News (2), (72) KTIC 840 Rural Radio, 107.9 Bull Radio, Reuters News, Iowa Farmer Today (6), KWWL News, The Daily Iowan (2), OSU Master Cattleman, KCIM 1300 AM Radio (2), KICK 106.7 FM Radio (2), KKRL 93.7 FM Radio (2), Wallaces Farmer, Des Moines Register (4), Iowa Public Radio (2), Iowa City Press-Citizen, Farm News, Iowa State Daily (2), TH Media, BEEF Vet Magazine, CBS Radio News, Gazette Communications, Politico, Associated Press (2), Top Producer Magazine, Denison Bulletin and Review, Iowa Farm and Ranch, Feedstuffs (2), Al Jazeera English, Quad-City Times, KCCI 8 News, National Public Radio WEKU-FM Central Kentucky, Pig International, The Chariton Newspapers, Nutrition Business Journal, Time Magazine, Globo Rural, Pro Farmer Market Rally, KCBS AM & FM Radio San Francisco, WHO News Radio 1040, Beef Producer, KMIT 3 News, N'West Iowa REVIEW, Minnesota Farm Guide
- 2013: Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesman (8), Iowa State University News Service (3), (68) Iowa Farmer Today (4), The Ames Tribune, KCCI 8 News, KCRG 9 News, Ottumwa Courier, CME Group, Associated Press, WHO News Radio 1040 (2), Feed-Lot Magazine, The Daily Iowan (2), Iowa State Daily, KTIV 4 News (2), Wallaces Farmer, Iowa Public Radio (2), Muscatine Journal, Denison Bulletin and Review (3), Iowa Farm and Ranch, AgriNews Publications (3), Bloomberg News (2), Feedstuffs, Angus Journal, NBC News, Des Moines Register (3), Marketplace (2), Progressive Farmer, 5m Publishing, KICD AM 1240/FM 107.7 Radio (2), WHO TV 13 (2), Newton Daily News, KCUR.ORG 89.3 FM Radio, KCIM 1300 AM Radio, KICK 106.7 FM Radio, KKRL 93.7 FM Radio, Successful Farming, QueenB Media, Brownfield Ag News, Spencer Daily Reporter, KLEM Radio, KZEN Radio, NET Radio



2012: Iowa State University News Service, Feed-Lot Magazine, Clinton Iowa Herald,  
(21) KCID AM 1240/FM 107.7 (2), Pork Profit Edge, Iowa Farm Bureau Spokesmen (4), Pork Magazine, NBC News, WHO News Radio 1040, N'West Iowa REVIEW, Iowa Farmer Today (2), Agriculture.com, Wallaces Farmer, The Western Producer, Waterloo-Cedar Falls Courier, National Public Radio

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

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ISU CALS Dean Lee R. Kolmer Award for Excellence in Applied Research, 2023  
LMIC Award for Superior Service, 2021  
ISUEO COVID-19 Exemplary Team or Unit Effort Award (Iowa Beef Center), 2021  
IPPA President's Award (Iowa Pork Industry Center), 2020  
AAEA Bruce Gardner Memorial Prize for Applied Policy Analysis Award, 2019  
ISU Award for Early Achievement in Extension or Professional Practice, 2018  
AAEA Distinguished Extension/Outreach Program, Individual: Less than 10 Years Award, 2018  
AAEA Extension Section Premier Crop Prices Forecaster Award, 2017  
ISU CALS Early Achievement in Extension and Outreach Award, 2016  
ISUEO Excellence in Research-Based Programming Award (Iowa Beef Center), 2015  
AAEA Extension Section Premier Livestock Production and Prices Forecaster Award, 2014  
KSU Graduate Student Council Travel Scholarship, 2011  
AAEA Young Professional and Graduate Student Travel Grant, 2011  
KSU Department of Agricultural Economics Emeritus Faculty and Friends Scholarship, 2010  
AAEA Graduate Student Extension Competition Second Place, 2010  
AAEA Graduate Student Extension Competition Finalist, 2010  
KSU President's Travel Scholarship, 2010  
WAEA Travel Scholarship, 2010  
AAEA Graduate Student Extension Competition Finalist, 2009  
AAEA Young Professional and Graduate Student Travel Grant, 2009  
WAEA Travel Scholarship, 2009  
KSU Graduate Student Council Travel Scholarship, 2009  
MSU Graduate School Travel Scholarship, 2008  
MSU Henry and Annabel Larzelere Fellowship, 2006, 2007, 2008  
R.J.O'Brien & Associates Brokerage Training Internship, 2005

## **INSTITUTIONAL, PROFESSIONAL, AND INDUSTRY SERVICE**

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### Club Advising

Agricultural Marketing and Management Organization Co-Advisor, 2013-present

### Department Service

AAEA AEM-GSS Case Study Competition Coach, 2023  
Graduate Programs and Policies Committee, 2021-2022, 2022-2023  
Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2019-2020, 2022-2023  
Agricultural/Environmental and Resource Economics Recruiting Committee, 2018-2019  
Food Economics and Policy Recruiting Committee, 2018-2019  
Staff Planning Committee, 2017-2018  
Budget Advisory Committee, 2017-2018  
Graduate Admissions and Recruiting Committee, 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2019-2020, 2022-2023

International Agriculture Recruiting Committee, 2016-2017  
Farm Management Recruiting Committee, 2014-2015  
AAEA Awards Committee, 2014-2015, 2018-2019

#### College Service

Iowa Pork Industry Center Director Recruiting Committee, 2014-2015  
Animal Agriculture Initiative Committee, 2013-2014  
Michigan Animal I.D. Workgroup Committee, 2007-2008

#### Extension Service

Northwest Farm Management Specialist Recruiting Committee (Chair), 2015-2016  
Extension Faculty Retreat Planning Committee, 2014  
East Central Farm Management Specialist Search Committee, 2012-2013

#### University Service

Fiscal Year End Livestock Inventory Valuation, 2013-present

#### Professional and Industry Service

Iowa Beef Industry Council Research Committee, 2022-2023  
NPB Real Pork Research Advisory Council, 2022  
NPB Labor Needs Working Group, 2019-2020  
National Academy of Science Livestock Workshop Planning Committee, 2018-2019  
USDA-AMS LMR Stakeholder Swine and Pork Committee (LMIC representative), 2018-present  
NPB Livestock Marketing Fellowship Program Committee, 2018-2019  
LMIC Technical Advisory Committee, 2012-present  
LMIC Technical Advisory Executive Committee, 2016-2020  
LMIC Future Staffing Task Force, 2016  
LMIC Future Funding Task Force, 2016  
AAEA Selected Paper Reviewer, 2014, 2015, 2023  
WAEA Session Moderator, 2009, 2010  
WAEA Selected Paper Reviewer, 2009

#### Graduate Student Major/Co-Major Advisor [First Post-Graduate Job]

6. Butcher, Ezra. Ph.D., Economics. Expected May 2025.
5. Poddaturi, Dinesh. Ph.D., Economics. May 2023. “A Dynamic Model of U.S. Beef Cattle.” [Economist, Digonex – Emmis Dynamic Pricing LLC]
4. Pudenz, Christopher. Ph.D., Economics. May 2023. “U.S. Beef Packer Procurement Practices and Cattle Producer Returns: Theory and Empirics.” [Economics and Research Manager – Economist, Iowa Farm Bureau Federation]
  - Center for Agricultural & Rural Development (CARD) Award for Best Ph.D. Dissertation in Agricultural, Environmental, and Energy Economics and Policy, 2023
3. Peters, Samuel. M.S., Agricultural Economics. “Resiliency Evaluation of the Cow and Bull Processing Industry During COVID-19.” May 2023. [Investment Analyst, Summit Agricultural Group]

2. Lee, Jiwon. Ph.D., Economics. “Stated Preferences on Foreign Animal Disease Outbreaks and Prevention Measures.” August 2022. [Economist, Bank of Korea]
  - Center for Agricultural & Rural Development (CARD) Award for Best Ph.D. Dissertation in Agricultural, Environmental, and Energy Economics and Policy, 2022
1. Wu, Qianrong. Ph.D., Economics. “Three Essays on Applied Human Behavioral Economics and Individual Choices.” August 2017. [Data Scientist, eBay/StubHub]

#### Graduate Student Advisory Committees

9. Basha, Albulena. Ph.D., Economics. Expected May 2026.
8. Hagen, Chloe. M.S., Animal Science. “An Evaluation of the Effects of Floor Space and Lysine Deficient Diets on the Growth Rate of Finishing Pigs and an Analysis of Post-Restriction Compensatory Gain.” May 2022.
7. Chen, Chen-Ti. Ph.D., Economics. “Environmental Issues and Export Competitiveness in U.S. Animal Agriculture.” May 2020.
6. Lamoreux, Brittni. Master of Agribusiness, Kansas State University. “Economic Implications of the Veterinary Feed Directive (VFD) Final Rule on Conventional and Antibiotic-free Swine Production Systems.” August 2019.
5. Andresen, Claire. M.S., Animal Science. “Productivity Measures in Beef Cows and Calves Following a Single Subcutaneous Injection of Extended-Release Eprinomectin.” December 2017.
4. Jeong, Sei. M.S., Economics. “Estimating Price Elasticities of Supply and Demand in the U.S. Beef Cattle Industry: Revisiting and Improving upon Previous Studies.” May 2017.
3. Niedermayer, Emma. M.S., Animal Science, “The Effect of Trace Mineral Supplementation on Natural and Conventionally Raised Feedlot Beef Cattle.” May 2017.
2. Russell, Jason. Ph.D., Animal Science. “Feed Efficiency in Beef Cattle: Relationship with Digestibility, Antioxidant Activity, Oxidative Stress, Growth Performance, and Carcass Characteristics”. December 2015.
1. Lundy, Erika. M.S., Animal Science. “Changing Distillers Grains: Implications for Cattle Performance and Management.” May 2015

#### Undergraduate Mentorship

9. Grossbier, Adriana. Paid undergraduate extension assistant, 2022
8. Moore, Colton. Paid undergraduate extension assistant, 2022
7. Eden, Michaela. George Washington Carver Summer Internship Program, 2019
6. Bowler, Alexander. Paid undergraduate extension assistant, 2018-present
5. Wynn, Gary. Paid independent research project, 2017 (with G. Artz)
4. Catron, Catron. Independent research project, 2015–2016 (with P. Orazem and G. Artz)
  - Paper titled “Is there Market Power in Organic Dairies and Does it Persist?” selected for 2016 AAEE undergraduate outstanding paper competition
3. Rittgers, Daniel. Paid undergraduate extension assistant, 2015-2016
2. Hall, Rebekah. Paid undergraduate research assistant, 2014-2016 (with G. Artz)
1. Sonnabend, Joshua. Paid undergraduate extension assistant, 2012-2014

### Journal Referee Service

- 2024: Journal of Law and Economics, Journal of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association, Applied Animal Science
- 2023: Applied Animal Science, Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Food Policy, Agricultural and Resource Economics Review, American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Agricultural Economics, Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics
- 2022: Journal of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association
- 2021: USDA Economic Research Service Economic Brief, Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Journal of Commodity Markets, Agricultural and Resource Economics Review, Journal of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association
- 2020: Applied Economic Perspectives & Policy, Choices
- 2019: USDA Economic Research Service Technical Bulletin
- 2018: Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics (2), Journal of Applied Farm Economics, Choices
- 2017: Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics, Journal of Food Distribution Research
- 2016: Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy, European Review of Agricultural Economics, Journal of Applied Farm Economics, California Agriculture, Land Use Policy, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics
- 2015: Agricultural Economics, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics (2), Livestock Science, The Professional Animal Scientist
- 2014: Canadian Journal of Animal Science, European Review of Agricultural Economics, Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Journal of Animal Science, Meat Science
- 2013: American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Journal of Animal Science, Review of Industrial Organization
- 2012: Food Control, International Food and Agribusiness Review, Journal of Animal Science
- 2011: Appetite, Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics, Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics

### Award, Grant, Investigation, and Publication Referee Service

9. USDA, National Institute of Food and Agriculture, Agriculture and Food Research Initiative Rapid Response to Novel Coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) Impacts Across Food and Agricultural Systems, June 2020
8. Using Models to Estimate Hog and Pig Inventories, National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine Committee on National Statistics, July 2019
7. Fed Cattle Market Volatility, U.S. Government Accountability Office, April 2017
6. Utah Science Technology and Research (USTAR) Agency, Science & Technology Initiation Grant, March 2017
5. Mitigation of the Seasonal Loss of Productivity Proposal, 2015 National Pork Board General Call for Proposals, January 2016

4. Richardson-Applebaum Scholarship Award for Outstanding M.S. Research, 2015 Food Distribution Research Society, August 2015
3. Economic Impact of Porcine Epidemic Diarrhea Virus, U.S. Government Accountability Office, December 2014
2. Part I: Baseline Reference of Swine Health and Management, 2012 USDA APHIS/VS/NAHMS, August 2014
1. Iowa Beef Center Mini-Grants, October 2013

#### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

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Agricultural and Applied Economics Association, 2009-present

Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Extension Section, 2013-present

Western Agricultural Economics Association, 2007-2012, 2017-present

NCCC-134 Committee, 2014-present

InterPIG, 2012-present