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## Education

Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. August 2007.

Master of Science in Statistics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. December 2005.

Master of Arts in Health Economics and Management (ABD), Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina. December 2001.

BA in Economics, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina. March 2000.

## Professional Experience

[9] Director of the Rural and Farm Finance Policy Analysis Center & Associate Professor of Agricultural Finance (60% Extension, 40% Research). Division of Applied Social Sciences, University of Missouri-Columbia, MO. Sep 2024-present.

[8] Associate Editor, *Journal of Soil and Water Conservation*. Soil and Water Conservation Society. Dec 2023-present.

[7] Associate Professor of Economics (60% Extension, 22.5% Research, 12.5% Teaching, 5% Service). Department of Economics, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Aug 2020-Aug 2024.

[6] Assistant Professor (65% Extension, 22.5% Research, 12.5% Teaching). Department of Economics, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Jun 2014-Jul 2020.

[5] Adjunct Assistant Professor. Clemson University, Clemson, SC. Jun 2014-May 2016.

[4] Senior Economist (August 2013-April 2014) and Economist (Jun 2007-Aug 2013). International Cotton Advisory Committee. Washington, DC.

[3] Research Assistant. Department of Agricultural Economics and College of Business Administration, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, USA. Jul 2002 - May 2007.

[2] Junior Economist. United Nations Development Program - Ministry of Health of the Province of Buenos Aires, Argentina. Feb 2001 – Jun 2002.

[1] Consultant. Public Housing Institute of the Province of Buenos Aires, Argentina. Oct 2000 – May 2002.

## Distinctions and Awards

[31] Iowa State University ANR Team Award: Carbon Farming for Profits and for the Environment. Oct 17, 2023.

[30] Agricultural & Applied Economics Association's Outstanding Choices Magazine Article Award for "The Invisible Elephant: Disadoption of Conservation Practices in the United States." Co-authored with Wendiam Sawadgo. July 2023.

[29] Dean's Citation for Extraordinary Contributions to the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Iowa State University. March 10, 2022.

[28] Farm Foundation. Agricultural Economics Fellow. Apr 2021-Mar 2022.

[27] Iowa State University Office of the President: Excellence in Remote Instruction Award. Jan 5, 2021.

- [26] Iowa State University Extension and Outreach: Creativity in Service to All Iowans Award. March 31, 2020.
- [25] Agricultural & Applied Economics Association's Distinguished Extension Program for an Individual with Less Than 10 Years of Experience Award. Jul 22, 2019.
- [24] Iowa State University ANR Programming Innovation Award. Apr 2, 2018.
- [23] Iowa Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education Professional Development Scholarship to attend the Iowa Water Conference. Ames, IA. Mar 23-24, 2016.
- [22] Iowa State University Extension and Outreach Team Award for Impacting Iowans. Agriculture Act of 2014 Team. Mar 10, 2015.
- [21] Letter of Appreciation for Outstanding Presentation at the International Cotton Institute at the University of Memphis. Jul 2013. American Cotton Shippers Association.
- [20] Letter of Appreciation for Chairing the 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Cotton Economics and Marketing Conference. Lubbock, TX. Jan 2013. National Cotton Council.
- [19] Certificate of Appreciation for Co-Chairing the 36<sup>th</sup> Annual Cotton Economics and Marketing Conference. Tampa, FL. Jan 2012. National Cotton Council.
- [18] Certificate of Appreciation for Outstanding Contributed Article. Egyptian Ministry of Trade & Industry, Cotton Arbitration & Testing General Organization (CATGO). Dec 2010.
- [17] Citation of Merit for Outstanding Scholastic Performance. Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005 and 2008.
- [16] Filley-Geary Fellowship. Outstanding Performance as a Ph.D. Student. Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005 and 2006.
- [15] Student Travel Grant to Present Papers at the 16<sup>th</sup> IAMA Annual World Conference and Symposium. International Food and Agribusiness Management Association Foundation. 2006.
- [14] J.J. and Eleanor Ogle Fellowship. Outstanding Scholastic Performance. Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2006.
- [13] Travel Grant to Workshop on Survey Analysis. American Agricultural Economics Association Foundation. 2006.
- [12] J.B. Hassler Research Citation for Outstanding Research. Office of Graduate Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2006.
- [11] Student Travel Grant to Present Papers at the 16<sup>th</sup> IAMA Annual World Conference and Symposium. Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2006.
- [10] Graduate Student Travel Grant to Present Papers at the AAEE Annual Meeting. American Agricultural Economics Association Foundation. 2005 and 2006.
- [9] Frank & Marie Wheeler Fellowship. Outstanding Scholastic Performance. Office of Graduate Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005.
- [8] Graduate Student Organization Fellow Graduate Award. Distinguished Service to the Department of Agricultural Economics. University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005.

- [7] David H. & Annie E. Larrick Student Research Travel Award to Present Papers at the AAEA Annual Meeting. Agricultural Research Division, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005.
- [6] Citation of Merit. Outstanding Performance as a Ph.D. Student. Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005.
- [5] Graduate Student Research Travel Award to Present Papers on Agricultural and Food Industrial Organization in a Professional Meeting. Center for Agricultural & Food Industrial Organization, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005.
- [4] William Tomek Fellowship. Outstanding Graduate Student. Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2004.
- [3] Mabel J. Reichenbach Fellowship. Outstanding Scholastic Performance. Office of Graduate Studies, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2004.
- [2] Certificate of Appreciation in Recognition of Valuable Contribution to the Hispanic Community. Hispanic Community Center, Lincoln, NE. 2003.
- [1] Annual Research Competition Award. Argentine Health Economics Association. 2001.

## Research

### Peer Reviewed Articles

- [29] Lassalas, M., A. Plastina, and S.H. Lence. 2024. "Does the Adoption of Environmental Contracts Affect Farms' Productivity and Efficiency? An Insight through the Adoption of Agri-Environmental Schemes (AES) and Organic Certification." *Revue Economique (forthcoming)*, accepted Jan 17, 2024).
- [28] Plastina A., Sawadgo W., Okonkwo E. 2024. "Pervasive Disadoption Substantially Offsets New Adoption of Cover Crops and No-Till." *Choices*. Volume 39. Quarter 2. Available Online at <https://www.choicesmagazine.org/choices-magazine/submitted-articles/pervasive-disadoption-substantially-offsets-new-adoption-of-cover-crops-and-no-till>
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- [25] Plastina A., J. Acharya, F.M. Marcos, M.R. Parvej, M.A. Licht, A.E. Robertson. 2023. "Does grazing winter cereal rye in Iowa, USA, make it profitable?" *Renewable Agriculture and Food Systems* 1–17. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1742170523000388>.
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- [7] Singh, S., A. Plastina, and J. Arbuckle. 2022. “Cover Crop Practices in Iowa 2015–2020.” Staff report 22-SR 119. Center for Agricultural and Rural Development, Iowa State University.
- [6] Wongpiyabovorn, O ., Plastina, A., and J.M. Crespi. 2021. “US Agriculture as a Carbon Sink: From International Agreements to Farm Incentives.” Working paper 21-WP 627. Center for Agricultural and Rural Development, Iowa State University.

- [5] Sawadgo, W., W. Zhang, and A. Plastina. 2020. "What Drives Landowners' Conservation Decisions? Evidence from Iowa." Working paper 20-WP 610. Center for Agricultural and Rural Development, Iowa State University.
- [4] Plastina, A., L. Fangge, W. Sawadgo, F.E. Miguez, S. Carlson, and G. Marcillo. 2018. "Annual Net Returns to Cover Crops in Iowa." *Economics Working Papers*: Department of Economics, Iowa State University. 18005.[https://lib.dr.iastate.edu/econ\\_workingpapers/39](https://lib.dr.iastate.edu/econ_workingpapers/39)
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## Proceedings

[10] Plastina, A. 2022. “Carbon Farming.” *Proceedings of the 34<sup>th</sup> Integrated Crop Management Conference*, Iowa State University, Ames, IA.

[9] Lence, S.H., and A. Plastina. 2020. “An Empirical Investigation of Productivity Spillovers along the Agricultural Supply Chain.” *Proceedings of the Agricultural Symposium on the Roots of Agricultural Productivity Growth*, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City. Cancelled due to COVID-19. Available at: <https://www.kansascityfed.org/research/agriculture/agsymposium>

[8] Plastina, A. 2016. “What are financially strong farm operations doing differently?” *Proceedings of the 28<sup>th</sup> Integrated Crop Management Conference*, Iowa State University, Ames, IA.

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[6] Plastina, A. 2014. “New Farm Bill, new safety net.” *Proceedings of the 26<sup>th</sup> Integrated Crop Management Conference*, Iowa State University, Ames, IA.

[5] Plastina, A. 2012. “Report on Identity Cottons,” *Proceedings of the 71<sup>st</sup> ICAC Plenary Meeting*, Interlaken, Switzerland.

[4] Devine, J., and A. Plastina. 2011. “Fiber Prices Pass-Through in the Textile Value Chain,” *Proceedings of the Beltwide Cotton Conferences*, Atlanta, GA.

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[2] Plastina, A., and R. Chaudhry. 2008. “Technical Change in Seed Cotton Production,” *Proceedings of the Beltwide Cotton Conferences*, Nashville, TN.

[1] Del Prete, S., Plastina, A., and P. Presso. 2001. “Economic Evaluation of the Mandatory Medical Program,” *Proceedings of the 2001 Argentine Health Economics Association*. (In Spanish)

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## Unpublished Work

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Lence, S.H., and A. Plastina. “Will the ‘True’ Productivity Series Please Stand Up? Identifying Inconsistencies across Productivity Series.” Under review in *Journal of Agricultural Economics*.

McCay, M., Liu, Y., Plastina, A., Hancock, G., Smith, A. R. “An Analysis of Cover Crop Adoption in Southeastern Row Crop Systems: Benefits, Challenges, and Policy Implications.” Under review in *Journal of Applied Farm Economics*.

Plastina, A., and S.H. Lence. “Unveiling the Robustness of Productivity Comparisons with Basket A likeness Measures.”

Plastina, A., Sawadgo, W., Zhang, W., McDaniels, M., Carlson, S., and J. Jensen. “Barriers to Monetizing Soil Health.”

## Research Presentations

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Plastina, A. (\*), H. Jo, and O. Wongpiyabovorn. “The Business Case for Carbon Farming in the USA.” 32<sup>nd</sup> International Conference of Agricultural Economists. Invited presentation. New Delhi, India. Aug 4, 2024.

Plastina, A. (\*), H. Jo, and O. Wongpiyabovorn. “The Business Case for Carbon Farming in the USA.” Department of Agricultural Economics Seminar, Purdue University. West Lafayette, IN. Apr 26, 2024.

Plastina, A., H. Jo (\*), and O. Wongpiyabovorn (\*). “The Business Case for Carbon Farming in the USA.” *NC-1177 Annual Meeting*. Selected paper. Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, GA. Oct 13, 2023.

Lassalas, M. (\*), A. Plastina, and S.H. Lence. “Adoption of Environmental Contracts and Farms’ Productivity: An Insight Through the Adoption of Agri-Environmental Schemes (AES) and Organic Certification.” *XVII Congress of the European Association of Agricultural Economists (EAAE)*, Selected paper for oral presentation. Rennes, France. Sep 1, 2023.

Plastina, A. 2023 “Contract and Basic Financial Considerations for Success in Carbon and Ecosystem Services Markets.” Sustainable Agronomy Conference. The American Society of Agronomy (ASA), Crop Science Society of America (CSSA), and Soil Science Society of America (SSSA). Invited presentation (online). Aug 2, 2023.

Lassalas, M. (\*), A. Plastina, and S.H. Lence. “Adoption of Environmental Contracts and Farms’ Productivity: An Insight Through the Adoption of Agri-Environmental Schemes (AES) and Organic Certification.” *28<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (EAERE 2023)*, Selected paper for oral presentation. The Cyprus University of Technology. Jun 30, 2023.

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Lence, S.H. (\*), and A. Plastina. “A Time-Series Examination of the Quality of Industry-Level U.S. Productivity Data.” *1<sup>st</sup> Latin-American Workshop on Productivity and Efficiency*, Selected paper. Montevideo, Uruguay. Apr 20, 2023.

Plastina, A. “What About Carbon Markets in Agriculture?” *IANR Carbon in Agriculture Summit*, Invited presentation. University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Nov 29, 2022.

Plastina, A. “Can models help farmers?” *USDA Carbon Sinks Modeling Meeting*, U.S. Soil Carbon Bioeconomic Modeling Session. Atlanta, GA. Sep 22, 2022.

Plastina, A. “Voluntary Ag Carbon Programs.” *Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting*, Invited presentation to Organized Symposium on Carbon Markets. *Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting*. Anaheim, CA. Aug 2, 2022.

Wongpiyabovorn, O., A. Plastina (\*), and J. Crespi. “Present and future of U.S. agricultural carbon markets.” Invited presentation to Track Session organized by the Environmental and Senior Sessions. *Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting*. Anaheim, CA. Aug 2, 2022.

Plastina, A. (\*), M. McDaniel, W. Sawadgo, W. Zhang, J. Jensen, and S. Carlson. “Barriers to monetizing soil health.” *National Farm Business Management Conference*, Selected paper. Fort Collins, CO. Jun 14, 2022.

Harkins, M. G. (\*), Liu, Y., Plastina, A., Smith, A.R., Hancock, G., McGhee, N., Porter, W., Culpepper, S., and W. Secor. “Environmental Sustainability Impacts of Cover Crops in Southeastern Cotton Production.” *Beltwide Cotton Conference*. San Antonio, TX. Jan 6, 2022.

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Plastina, A. (\*), S.H. Lence, and A. Ortiz-Bobea. “How weather affects the decomposition of total factor productivity in U.S. agriculture.” (In Spanish & remote) II Workshop on Ag Risk Management. National Institute of Technology and University of Buenos Aires-Department of Economics. Buenos Aires, Argentina. Sep 17, 2021.

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## **Extension and Outreach**

### **Expert Panels**

(Approximate attendance in parenthesis)

Panel on Agricultural Sustainability. ISU ANR Fall In-Service Training. Ames, IA. Oct 16, 2023 (50).

USDA Agricultural GHG Quantification Expert Virtual Workshop. Session 5: Data management, capacity, and access. Expert responder. USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service. Jun 22, 2023 (105).

Regional Train the Trainer Workshop on Carbon Offset Producer Education (COPE). Co-organizer and Presenter. North-Central Extension Risk Management Education Center. Omaha, NE. Jan 6, 2023 (47).

Panel on Multiple Dimensions of Decarbonization Policy. Panelist. Heartland Environmental and Resource Economics Workshop. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Oct 30, 2022 (80).

Panel on Beyond Carbon. Panelist. Fixing the Soil Health Tech Stack: Gathering for Action Conference. Farm Foundation. Aug 24, 2022 (52).

Panel on Carbon Farming and Markets: Misconceptions, Falsehoods, and Outright Errors. Panelist. Indigo Ag Carbon Farming Connection. Aug 10, 2022.

Organized Symposium on Carbon Markets: Learning from Experience and Visioning for the Future. Presenter and discussant. *Agricultural and Applied Economics Annual Conferences*. Anaheim, CA. Aug 2, 2022 (55).

Panel on Climate Market Dialogue. Panelist. American Soybean Association. Washington, DC. Jul 11, 2022 (15).

Panel on Carbon Valuation in Agriculture: Status, Issues, and Opportunities. Panelist. *National Energy Extension Summit / National Sustainability Summit* (remote). Penn State University. State College, PA. May 17, 2022.

Hawkeye Decarbonization Summit: Panel on Opportunities through Climate Smart Agriculture. Panelist. *Decarb2040 Virtual Event*. University of Iowa. Feb 9, 2022 (70).

Organized Symposium on The Future of Farm Management Research and Extension. Topic Leader. *Agricultural and Applied Economics Annual Conferences*. Aug 3, 2021 (60).

Iowa State University Extension and Outreach Carbon Markets Table. *Farm Progress Show*. Boone, IA. Sep 1, 2022. (15)

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Visit with the Experts: Soil Health and Cover Crop Economics. Panelist. *ISUEO Soil Health Conference*. Ames, IA. Feb 4, 2019. (150)

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Panel Discussion on Cash Rents, Speaker/Moderator. *Soil Management and Land Valuation Conference*. Iowa State University and Iowa Chapter of ASFMRA (American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers). Ames, IA. May 18, 2016 (300)

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(Approximate attendance in parenthesis; \* indicates presenter among multiple presenters)

- Plastina, A. "U.S. Farm Income Outlook." Center for Agricultural Profitability, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Webinar. Oct 31, 2024. (58)
- Plastina, A. "The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly of Agricultural Carbon Credits." Minnesota Crop Insurance Conference. Mankato, MN. Sep 12, 2024. (597)
- Plastina, A. (\*), and H. Jo. "Net Returns to Carbon Farming and Carbon Intensity Score Calculator." Extension Section Track Session "Cover Crops and Carbon – What's money got to do with it?" *Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, LA. Jul 30, 2024. (20)
- Plastina, A. "Crop Insurance and Farm Bill Programs." Agricultural Credit School, 1<sup>st</sup> Year Class. Ankeny, IA. Jun 3, 2024. (52)
- Plastina, A. "Carbon Farming Programs Update." Iowa Farm Bureau Webinar. May 29, 2024. (75)
- Plastina, A. "The Financial Situation of Iowa Farms." Iowa Farm Business Association. Ames, IA. May 16, 2024. (25)

- Plastina, A. "Agricultural Conservation Practices and Farmland Values." 96<sup>th</sup> Annual Soil Management and Land Valuation Conference, Iowa State University. Ames, IA. May 15, 2024. (120)
- Plastina, A. "Preliminary Results from the 2024 Cash Rent Survey." Farmland Owners Workshop, Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Altoona, IA. May 10, 2024. (54)
- Plastina, A. "Economics of Carbon Credits." Iowa Independent Crop Consultants Association Annual Meeting. Clear Lake, IA. Mar 5, 2024. (250)
- Plastina, A.(\*), and C. Hart (\*). "Agricultural Economics and Climate." Iowa International Center Delegation Visit. Ames, IA. Feb 13, 2024. (15)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Leases in Transition Planning." 2024 Farm Transition Conference. Iowa State University. Ames, IA. Feb 8, 2024. (130)
- Plastina, A. "Projected Costs of Crop Production for 2024." Farmland Owners Workshop. Altoona, IA. Feb 2, 2024. (55)
- Plastina, A. "The state of the Ag Economy." Rural Agents Conference. Independent Insurance Agents of Iowa. Des Moines, IA. Jan 25, 2024. (200)
- Plastina, A. "Economics of Carbon Credits." 2024 Crop Advantage Fair. Burlington, IA. Jan 11, 2024. (75)
- Plastina, A. "Interaction between USDA Programs and Carbon Payments." Ag Coffee Education Series. Woodbury County ISUEO. Dec 18, 2023 (remote).
- Plastina, A. "Net Returns to Carbon Farming in New York." 2023 Northeast Region Agribusiness & CCA Advanced Training. New York State Agribusiness Association. Dec 12, 2023 (remote).
- Plastina, A. "Flex leases: Pros & Cons." FCS Financial Connect: Young, Beginning Ag Seminar. Northwest Missouri State Ag Learning Center. Maryville, MO. Dec 6, 2023 (90)
- Plastina, A. "Does Grazing Winter Cereal Rye in Iowa, USA, Make It Profitable?" 34<sup>th</sup> Integrated Crop Management Conference, Altoona, IA. Dec 4, 2023. (70)
- Plastina, A. "Interaction of USDA Programs and Carbon Payments." Ag Decision Maker ProAg Outlook and Management Webinar Series, Iowa State University. Nov 15, 2023.
- Plastina, A. "How Different Can Appraised Values For The Same Farm Can Be, And Why?" ISUEO Farmland Owners Workshop, Altoona, IA. Nov 11, 2023. (55)
- Plastina, A. "Carbon Markets." Agricultural Sustainability Session. Invited presentation to ISU ANR Fall In-Service Training. Ames, IA. Oct 16, 2023. (150)
- Plastina, A. "Carbon Markets, Land Appraisals, and Cover Crop Grazing." Invited presentation to ISU Farm Management Team In-Service Training. Knoxville, IA. Sep 27, 2023. (12)
- Plastina, A. "The financial situation of agricultural operations." Presentation to delegation of agricultural producers. Ames, IA. Aug 31, 2023. (8)
- Plastina, A. "The Economics of Carbon Credits." Annual Meeting of the National Association County Agricultural Agents. Des Moines, IA. Aug 15, 2023. (55)

Plastina, A. "Financial Outlook for the U.S. Ag Sector." Bayer Credit Team, Q2 Meeting. Jul 19, 2023. (12)

Plastina, A. "Carbon Farming." Strategic Ag Innovation Committee, Almond Board of California (remote). Jul 11, 2023. (15)

Plastina, A. "Carbon Farming Update." Agricultural Credit School Alumni Update. Ankeny, IA. Jun 29, 2023. (14)

Plastina, A. "Crop Insurance and Farm Bill Programs." Agricultural Credit School, 1<sup>st</sup> Year Class. Ankeny, IA. Jun 5, 2023. (54)

Plastina, A. "Agricultural Crop Input Trends and Issues." Corteva Agriculture Beyond Borders Program. Ames, IA. May 23, 2023. (23)

Plastina, A. "Risk-rewards from ag carbon credits: What's at stake for farmers?" Carbon Symposium, University of Delaware. State Fairgrounds, Harrington, DE. Mar 1, 2023. (80)

Plastina, A. "Risk-rewards from ag carbon credits: What's at stake for farmers?" Evolution Ag Summit. North Dakota Farmers Union. Jamestown, ND (remote). Feb 21, 2023. (45)

Plastina, A. "Macro Trends for Corn and Sunflower." Syngenta P&S Summit. Des Moines, IA. Feb 21, 2023. (90)

Plastina, A. "Comparing Leasing Arrangements." ISUEO Farmland Owners Workshop, Altoona, IA. Feb 17, 2023. (55)

Plastina, A. "Major Financial Decisions for Farm Transitions." Farm Transitions Conference, Beginning Farmer Center Conference. Ames, IA. Feb 9, 2023. (90)

Plastina, A. "Should you be using a flex lease agreement?" Side by Side Digital Series, Farm Credit Services of America (remote). Feb 1, 2023.

Plastina, A. (\*), and A. Stevens (\*). "Carbon Credits Simulation: What's at stake for farmers?" Young Farmer Conference. Iowa Events Center, Des Moines, IA. Jan 28, 2023.

Plastina, A. "Risk-rewards from ag carbon credits: What's at stake for farmers?" Illinois Farm Bureau Carbon Team. Bloomington, IL (remote). Jan 27, 2023. (10)

Plastina, A. "Ag Carbon Programs." USDA-NRCS North-East Iowa. Soil Health Coffee Talk (Webinar). Jan 27, 2023. (12)

Plastina, A., A. Rosburg (\*), and M. Witt. "Weed Management Budgeting Tool: Overview & Feedback Request." Ag Committee, Iowa Bankers Association. Jan 12, 2023. (20)

Plastina, A. "The What and Why of Carbon Credits." Carbon Offset Producer Education (COPE) Workshop. Omaha, NE. Jan 6, 2023. (47)

Plastina, A. "How Many Carbon Credits Can My Farm Produce?" Carbon Offset Producer Education (COPE) Workshop. Omaha, NE. Jan 6, 2023. (47)

Plastina, A. "Currently Available Contract Opportunities" Carbon Offset Producer Education (COPE) Workshop. Omaha, NE. Jan 6, 2023. (47)

Plastina, A. "Risk-rewards from ag carbon credits: What's at stake for farmers?" K/PACEDC Ag Committee Apr 6, 2023 (remote, 10); Crop Advantage Series. Cedar Falls, IA. Jan 12, 2023 (60),

Coralville, IA. Jan 25, 2023 (90), Denison, IA. Jan 26, 2023 (63), Davenport, IA. Jan 20, 2023 (143); Integrated Crop Management Conference. Ames, IA. Nov 30, 2022. (160)

Plastina, A. (\*), and A. Stevens (\*). “Agricultural Carbon Markets.” Women in Agriculture Leadership Conference. Ames, IA. Nov 30, 2022. (20)

Plastina, A. “Update on carbon farming.” ISUEO Pro Ag Series – Webinar. Nov 7, 2022. (70)

Plastina, A. “How to grow and sell agricultural carbon credits?” ISUEO Crop Advantage Series – Webinar. Nov 1, 2022. (35)

Plastina, A. “Programming on Ag Carbon Markets.” ISUEO Farm Management Team at In-Service Training. Winterset, IA. Sep 29, 2022. (15)

Plastina, A. “Barriers to monetizing soil health.” Iowa Nutrient Research Center Seminar Series. Highlights from a Decade of Research & Impacts. Ames, IA. Sep 14, 2022. (10)

Plastina, A. “Ag Carbon Markets: Where to From Here?” AG STATE Meeting. Des Moines, IA. Sep 12, 2022. (25)

Plastina, A. “Voluntary Ag Carbon Programs.” Farm Foundation’s Next Generation Leaders Tour. Ames, IA. Sep 1, 2022 (12); 13th Annual Biofuels Science and Sustainability Tour, ISU BioCentury Research Farm. Aug 16, 2022. (50)

Plastina, A. “Net Returns to Cover Crops.” Conservation Crop Budget Workshop, organized by the North Central Region Water Network and the Environmental Defense Fund (remote). Jul 13, 2022. (11)

Plastina, A. “Créditos de Carbono en la Agricultura de EE.UU: Marco Institucional y Desafíos.” Centro de Investigación en Economía y Prospectiva (CIEP), Instituto Nacional de Tecnología Agropecuaria (INTA). Buenos Aires, Argentina (remote). Jul 7, 2022. (25)

Plastina, A. “Carbon Farming in the USA.” Agri Benchmark Cash Crop Conference. Poznan, Poland (remote). Jun 7, 2022. (25)

Plastina, A. “Crop Insurance and Farm Bill Programs.” Agricultural Credit School, 1<sup>st</sup> Year Class. Ames, IA. Jun 6, 2022. (60)

Plastina, A. “Agriculture and Carbon Markets.” The Mosaic Company, Western North America Sales Team. Webinar. Jun 3, 2022. (20)

Plastina, A. “Carbon Credits and Trends in IFBA data.” Iowa Farm Business Association Spring Workshop. Ames, IA. May 19, 2022. (20)

Plastina, A. “Carbon Markets.” ISUEO Ag Engineering In-Service Training. Ames, IA. May 18, 2022. (15)

Plastina, A. “Challenges to the Ag Carbon Industry.” Farm Foundation Forum: Solving the Barriers to Agricultural Carbon Markets (online). Apr 12, 2022. (180)

Plastina, A. “What you need to know about Climate-Smart Agriculture.” ISUEO Farmland Owners Workshop, Altoona, IA. Apr 11, 2022. (55)

Plastina, A. “An introduction to carbon markets and carbon credits.” Pre-Conference Workshop. National Extension Risk Management Education Conference. Omaha, NE. Mar 29, 2022. (90)

- Plastina, A. "What you need to know about agricultural carbon programs." 2022 Farm Management Profitability Conference. Lamberton, MN (remote). Mar 23, 2022. (20)
- Plastina, A. "Carbon Considerations." Ag/Oil Carbon Education Session. Energy & Environmental Research Center. Grand Forks, ND (remote). Feb 24, 2022. (45)
- Plastina, A. "Carbon and What You Need to Know." Northern Corn and Soy Expo, Invited Keynote Presentation. Fargo, ND. Feb 21, 2022. (90)
- Plastina, A. "Ag Decision Maker Tools and Program Analysis." Ag Decision Maker Webinar Series: 2022 Farm Bill Decisions. Feb 11, 2022. (70)
- Plastina, A. "Cash Rent Considerations." Farm Transitions: Entering, Expanding, or Exiting the Business. Beginning Farmer Center, ISU Extension and Outreach. Ames, IA. Feb 10, 2022. (50)
- Plastina, A. "How to grow and sell agricultural carbon credits?" Crop Advantage Program. Lake Okoboji, IA. Jan 11, 2022. (50); Atlantic, IA. Jan 20, 2022 (55); Le Mars, IA. Jan 26, 2022 (60); Denison, IA. Jan 27, 2022. (40).
- Plastina, A. "Carbon & Ecosystem Service Markets: What farmers should consider." Practical Farmers of Iowa Annual Conference. Ames, IA. Jan 22, 2022. (50)
- Plastina, A. "How to benefit from agricultural carbon markets?" Wisconsin Agribusiness Classic. Madison, WI. Jan 13, 2022. (65)
- Plastina, A. "How to grow and sell agricultural carbon credits?" Soil Management Summit. Mankato, MN. Dec 15, 2021. (100)
- Plastina, A. "How to grow and sell carbon credits?" Practical Farmers of Iowa Cover Crop Working Group. Webinar. Dec 10, 2021.
- Plastina, A. "Agricultural Carbon Programs." Ag Logic Conference. Ames, IA. Dec 2, 2021. (30)
- Plastina, A. "Are carbon programs the key to monetizing soil health?" 32<sup>nd</sup> Integrated Crop Management Conference, Ames, IA. Dec 2, 2021. (210)
- Plastina, A. "Agricultural Carbon Programs." Northern Ag Expo, North Dakota Agricultural Association. Fargo, ND. Nov 30, 2021. (40)
- Plastina, A. "Agricultural Carbon Programs." 2021 Iowa Organic Conference, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA. Nov 29, 2021. (20)
- Plastina, A. "Short- and long-term views on voluntary ag carbon markets." Pro Ag Outlook and Management Webinar. ISU Extension and Outreach-ANR, Nov 3, 2021. (100)
- Plastina, A. "How to grow and sell carbon credits in U.S. agriculture?" Rain and Hail & Sentera, Opportunity Grows - Carbon Credit Assessment Webinar - Nov 1, 2021.
- Plastina, A. "What does an economist do?" (In Spanish: ¿A qué se dedica un economista?) ISU Latino Family Visit Day. Ames, IA. Oct 16, 2021. (40)
- Plastina, A. "Update on Carbon Markets and Iowa Farm Finances." Farmland Owners Workshop, ISU Extension and Outreach. Altoona, IA. Oct 15, 2021. (70)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Leasing." Winnebago/Worth County Women Land and Legacy. Lake Mills, IA. Aug 17, 2021. (35)

- Plastina, A. "What does the IFBA data tell us?" Iowa Farm Business Association Spring Workshop. Ames, IA. May 20, 2021. (50)
- Plastina, A. "Incorporating conservation practices into farmland leases." The Current webinar series, North Central Region Water Network. University of Wisconsin. May 12, 2021.
- Plastina, A. "Economic Considerations on Cover Crop Adoption." Iowa Learning Farms Conservation Webinar Series. Mar 24, 2021.
- Plastina, A. "Ag Decision Maker Tools and Program Analysis." *Ag Decision Maker Webinar Series: 2021 Farm Bill Decisions*. Feb 4, 2021. (240)
- Plastina, A. "Cover Crops in the Midwest: The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly." Invited flash talk, *Workshop on Reducing the Health Impacts of the Nitrogen Problem*, Environmental Health Matters Initiative, National Academy of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine. Feb 4, 2021. (50)
- Plastina, A. "Estimated Costs of Crop Production." Invited presentation, *2021 Economic Summit Webinar Series*, Iowa Farm Bureau. Jan 28, 2021. (92)
- Plastina, A. "ISU Farm Bill Webinars & Tools." *Ag Decision Maker Webinar Series: 2021 Farm Bill Decisions*. Jan 19, 2021. (161)
- Plastina, A. "Economic Drivers of Cover Crop Adoption." Invited presentation, *Soil Management Summit 2020*, University of Minnesota Extension. Dec 16, 2020. (175)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Finances and Government Programs." *Ag Decision Maker Webinar Series: Pro-Ag Outlook and Management*, Dec 8, 2020. (170)
- Plastina, A. "Net Returns to Cover Crops in Iowa: partial budgets on research plot data." *Iowa Cover Crop Working Group*. Dec 7, 2020. (15)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Finances and the Impact of Government Support Programs." *Ag Decision Maker Webinar Series: Ag Outlook for College Students*. Dec 2, 2020. (50)
- Plastina, A. "Crop Finances and Government Payments." *Ag Decision Maker Webinar Series: 2020 Government Payments and USDA FSA Programs*. Oct 15, 2020. (150)
- Plastina, A. "Issues Impacting Iowa Farmland Owners and Tenants for 2021." Invited webinar, *ISU Center for Ag Law and Taxation*. Aug 25, 2020. (120)
- Plastina, A. "Overview of the Ag Economy." Invited webinar, *Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Des Moines Office*. Sep 10, 2020. (25)
- Plastina, A. "Ag Trends, Opportunities, and Challenges." Invited presentation, *Ag Forum on Agriculture and the Economy, Successful Communities Speaker Series*. Greenfield, IA. Mar 13, 2020. (40)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Bill Decisions." Invited presentation, *First National Bank*. Eagle Grove, IA. Mar 6, 2020. (35)
- Plastina, A. "Tracking Profitability of Iowa Farms." Invited presentation, *Beginning Farmers Network*. Ames, IA. Jan 13, 2020. (25)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Bill Decisions & Financial Issues." Invited presentation, *Farm Update Meetings*. Emmetsburg, IA. Dec 11, 2019 (100); Storm Lake, IA. Dec 18, 2019 (100). Estherville, IA. Dec 4, 2019 (60).

- Plastina, A. “Farm Financial Situation and Strategies for 2020-2025.” Invited presentation, *Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Meetings*. Cresco, IA. Nov 21, 2019 (30); Spirit Lake, IA. Nov 11, 2019 (30); Sioux City, IA. Nov 11, 2019 (20); Waterloo, IA. Nov 6, 2019. (30)
- Plastina, A. “Critical Role of Land Values and Interest Rates in the Stabilization of the Ag Sector.” Invited presentation, *Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Meetings*. Fort Dodge, IA. Nov 13, 2019. (30)
- Plastina, A. “Water Quality and Economic Incentives in Crop Production.” Invited presentation, *North Raccoon River Watershed Management Coalition*, Lake City, IA. Oct 19, 2019. (30)
- Coll, E.(\*), and A. Plastina. “Ag Plan to Profit: An Application to Improve Farm Profitability.” *National Direct Agricultural Marketing Summit*, Innovation and Technology track. Selected Oral Presentation. Chicago, IL. Oct 7, 2019.
- Plastina, A. “Financial Situation of the Iowa Ag Sector (in Spanish).” Invited presentation to Grupo CREA. Ames, IA. Sep 9, 2019. (20)
- Plastina, A.(\*), and R. Massey. “Meeting Changing Public Demands for Sustainability.” Invited Paper, Extension Track Session, *Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meetings*. Atlanta, GA. Jul 22, 2019. (30)
- Plastina, A. “Farm Bill, Crop Insurance, and Short Term Aid.” *19<sup>th</sup> Annual Insuring Iowa Agriculture*. Ames, IA. Jun 18, 2019. (150)
- Plastina, A. “Crop Insurance as a Risk Management Tool.” *ISU-Iowa Bankers Association Ag Credit School*. Ames, IA. Jun 3, 2019. (65)
- Plastina, A. “Revisiting the ISU-IFBA Collaboration: Developing Online Tools and Apps.” Invited presentation to *Iowa Farm Business Association Workshop*. Ames, IA. May 16, 2019. (30)
- Plastina, A. “Financial situation of Iowa farms.” Invited presentation to *Iowa Farm Business Association Workshop*. Ames, IA. May 16, 2019. (30)
- Plastina, A.(\*), E.Coll (\*), and G. Wanderscheid. “Ag Plan to Profit: AgP2P.” Invited presentation to the ISUEO Farm, Food, and Enterprise Development Program Team. Ames, IA. May 14, 2019. (15)
- Plastina, A. “Farm finances and the 2018 Farm Bill.” Invited presentation to ISU Farm Management Team In-Service Training. Ames, IA. May 13, 2019. (15)
- Plastina, A. “Why Economics?” Presentation to Miller Middle School (Marshalltown, IA) students as part a statewide program called Al Exito ([www.alexitoiowa.org](http://www.alexitoiowa.org)) that promotes the attainment of college education to Hispanic families around Iowa. Ames, IA. May 10, 2019. (30)
- Zhang, W., and A. Plastina(\*). “Who owns, rents, and buys farmland today in Iowa?” Invited presentation to ANR Professional Development Conference. Ames, IA. Apr 4, 2019. (240)
- Plastina, A. “Farm Management in Times of Low Margins.” Invited Presentation to the *National Farmers Convene'19* organized by the National Farmers Organization. West Des Moines, IA. Mar 11, 2019. (100)



Plastina, A. “2018 Farm Bill.” Invited Presentation to the *2019 Farm Update Meeting* organized by Cornerstone Insurance Services and Palo Alto Extension. Estherville, IA. Feb 6 (60); Everly, IA. Feb 7, 2019. (20)

Plastina, A. “Soil Health and Farm Profitability.” Invited Presentation to *ISUEO Soil Health Conference*. Ames, IA. Feb 4, 2019. (300)

Plastina, A. “Land values and interest rates: will Iowa farms sink or swim?” Presented at *ISU Integrated Crop Management Conference*, and *Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Meetings*. Sheldon, IA. Dec 12, 2018 (35); Storm Lake, IA. Dec 12, 2018 (40); Ames, IA. Nov 28, 2018 (250); Mason City, IA. Nov 16, 2018 (30); Fort Dodge, IA. Nov 14, 2018 (50); Carroll, IA. Nov 12, 2018. (40)

Plastina, A. “Farm Safety Net.” Invited Presentation to *Professional Agriculture Workers Conference-Tuskegee University*. Opelika, AL. Dec 3, 2018. (25)

Plastina, A. “Financial Situation of Iowa Farms.” *Farm Financial Stress Task Force*, Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Urbandale, IA. Aug 20, 2018. (9)

Plastina, A.(\*), and C. Hart. “Farm Economy.” *Pioneer Area CE Rep Launch*. Ames, IA. Jul 30, 2018. (120)

Plastina, A. “Financial Analysis for Farm Succession 102.” *Farm Succession Professional Development Conference*, International Farm Transition Network. Des Moines, IA. June 26, 2018. (35)

Plastina, A. “Financial Analysis for Farm Succession 101.” *Farm Succession Professional Development Conference*, International Farm Transition Network. Des Moines, IA. June 25, 2018. (100)

Plastina, A. “Risk Management: Crop Insurance.” *Agricultural Credit School*. Ames, IA. June 5, 2018. (64)

Plastina, A. “Iowa Farm Financial Conditions.” *North Central Farm Management Extension Committee Meeting*. Ames, IA. May 15, 2018. (30)

Plastina(\*), A. F. Miguez, S. Carlson(\*), F. Liu, W. Sawadgo, and G. Marcillo. “Economics of Cover Crops.” *ISUEO Farm Management Team In-Service Training*, Iowa State University. Ames, IA. May 14, 2018. (25)

Plastina(\*), A. F. Miguez, S. Carlson, F. Liu, W. Sawadgo, and G. Marcillo. “Economics of Cover Crops (Webinar).” *Soil Health Institute*. Apr 27, 2018. (30)

Plastina, A. “Farm Profitability.” *2018 ANR Conference*, Iowa State University. Ames, IA. Apr 2, 2018. (90)

Plastina(\*), A. F. Miguez, S. Carlson(\*), F. Liu, W. Sawadgo, and G. Marcillo. “Economics of Cover Crops (Webinar).” ANR at Noon, Iowa State University. Ames, IA. Mar 9, 2018. (24)

Plastina, A. “Managing the Farm through Lean Times.” *Meeting of the Northeast Iowa Agricultural Experimental Association (NEIAEA)*. Borlaug Learning Center, Nashua, IA. Mar 6, 2018. (60)

Plastina, A. “Data Resources and Tools for Marketing Crops and Livestock.” *Big Data for Sm(All) Farmers*. Ames, IA. Feb 26, 2018. (62)

- Plastina, A. "Making Data Count: Electronic Data Access, Use, and Needs in Farming. Preliminary Results from Iowa." *Big Data for Sm(All) Farmers*. Ames, IA. Feb 26, 2018. (62)
- Plastina, A. "Iowa Farm Financial Conditions." *Water Quality Ag Program*, Grundy County Conservation Offices. Morrison, IA. Feb 22, 2018. (15)
- Plastina, A. "Costs of Crop Production." *Meeting of the Agricultural Marketing and Management Organization* (AMMO), Iowa State University. Ames, IA. Feb 12, 2018. (80)
- Plastina, A. "Ag Economy." *Iowa Seed Association Seed Forum*. Des Moines, IA. Feb 12, 2018. (50)
- Plastina, A. "Financial Stress." *Crop Advantage Series*. Denison, IA. Jan 26, 2018. (35)
- Plastina, A.(\*), Miguez, F., Liu, F., Sawadgo, W., Carlson, S., and G. Marcillo. "How do cover crops affect whole farm profitability?" *Practical Farmers of Iowa Annual Conference*. Ames, IA. Jan 18, 2018. (90); *ISU Integrated Crop Management Conference*. Ames, IA. Nov 29-30, 2017. (160)
- Plastina, A. "Iowa Farm Financial Conditions" Presented at *Crop Advantage Series, ISU Integrated Crop Management Conference, Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Meetings*. Denison, IA. Jan 26, 2018 (30); Iowa City, IA. Dec 6, 2017. (30); Ames, IA. Dec 1, 2017 (160); Le Mars, IA. Dec 1, 2017. (35); Carroll, IA. Nov 21, 2017. (35); Waterloo, IA. Nov 10, 2017. (20)
- Plastina, A.(\*), and W. Zhang(\*). "A Look at the Current Agricultural Economic Climate." *Agricultural Law Seminar*, ISU Center for Agricultural Law. Sep 21, 2017. (100)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Bill: Is it working for Iowa? What's next?" *Iowa Institute for Cooperatives*. Ames, IA. Nov 21, 2017. (80)
- Plastina, A.(\*), F. Miguez, F. Liu, W. Sawadgo, and S. Carlson. "Partial budgets for cover crops." *ANR Crops Team Fall In-Service*. Boone, IA. Sep 20, 2017. (15)
- Plastina, A. "Financial Situation of Midwestern Farms." U.S. Crops Tour organized by Macquarie Capital Ltd for International Delegation. Ames, IA. Aug 15, 2017. (25)
- Plastina, A. "Iowa Farm Financial Situation." Presented at *AAEA Extension Track Session*, Chicago, IL. Aug 1, 2017 (35); *Iowa Ag STATE Group*, Ankeny, IA. Jun 16, 2017 (30).
- Plastina, A.(\*), F. Liu, W. Sawadgo, F. Miguez, and S. Carlson. "Partial budgets for cover crops in Midwest row crop farming." Invited Presentation, *Iowa Conservation Infrastructure Initiative: Cover Crops Working Group*. Iowa Farm Bureau Federation, West Des Moines, Aug 4, 2017. (25)
- Artz, G., and A. Plastina(\*). "Farming for Fun and Profit." *Iowa 4-H Youth Conference Workshop*, Ames, IA. Jun 27-29, 2017. (50)
- Plastina, A. "Managing Risk in Agriculture: Crop Insurance." *Agricultural Credit School*, ISU Extension and Outreach, and Iowa Bankers Association. Jun 13, 2017. (68)
- Plastina, A.(\*), and W. Zhang. "How to Navigate the Waters of New Price Plateaus: Overview of Iowa State's Targeted Extension Efforts." *North Central Farm Management Extension Committee Meeting*. Manhattan, KS. May 18, 2017. (20)

- Plastina, A. "Report on various topics: CRRS, CRS, IFBA, CC." *ISUEO Farm Management Team In-Service Training*. Ames, IA. May 10, 2017. (10)
- Johnson, S.(\*), and A. Plastina. "Solutions for Success Seminars," *Extension Risk Management Education National Conference*. Cincinnati, OH. Apr 27-28, 2017. (30)
- Plastina, A. "Farmland Leasing Trends." *American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers (ASFMRA) Iowa Chapter*, Spring Seminar. Ames, IA. Mar 22, 2017. (80)
- Plastina, A. "Farm Financial Outlook." *NACM Heartland - National Agriculture Retail Credit Exchange Group*. Ankeny, IA. Mar 2, 2017. (18)
- Plastina, A. "Economic Evaluation of Cover Crops in Midwest Row Crop Farming." USDA/NASS Upper Midwest Office. Des Moines, IA. Feb 27, 2017. (20)
- Plastina, A.(\*), and C. Hart. "Managing Margins in 2017." *12<sup>th</sup> Farming for the Future Conference*, Coalition to Support Iowa's Farmers. Ames, IA. Jan 19, 2017. (100)
- Plastina, A. "What are successful farms doing differently?" Presented at *Crop Advantage Series, Integrated Crop Management Conference, Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Meetings*. Greenfield, IA. Dec 5, 2016. (30); Ames, IA. Dec 1, 2016 (280); Le Mars, IA. Nov 9, 2016. (40); Spencer, IA. Nov 9, 2016. (35).
- Plastina, A. "Current Farm Financial Conditions & Looking Ahead." *North Central Region-ANR Workshop: Assisting Farmers in Times of Tight Margins*. Omaha, NE. Nov. 17, 2016. (35)
- Plastina, A. "Financial situation of Iowa farms." Presented to *ISU Farm Financial Stress Task Force, Iowa Bankers Association Ag Committee Meeting, Iowa Farm Business Association Fall Workshop, Visiting Delegation from Argentina coordinated by Dr. Sergio Lence*, Urbandale, IA. Oct 31, 2016. (15); Johnston, IA. Oct 12, 2016. (20); Altoona, IA. Sep 14, 2016. (20); Ames, IA. Sep 2, 2016. (20).
- Artz(\*), G., and A. Plastina(\*). "Farming for Fun and Profit." *Iowa 4-H Youth Conference Workshop*, Ames, IA. Jun 28-29, 2016. (50)
- Plastina, A., and C. Hart(\*). "Managing Margins in 2016 and Beyond." *Iowa Farm Bureau's Economic Summit*. West Des Moines, IA. Jun 27, 2016.
- Plastina, A., Miguez F.(\*), Carlson, S., Sharma, B., and F. Liu. "Economic Evaluation of Cover Crops in Midwest Row Crop Farming." *Iowa Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education (SARE) Professional Development Program Advisory Committee*, Ames, IA. Jun 24, 2016. (10)
- Plastina, A. "Managing Risk in Agriculture." *Iowa Bankers Association Ag Credit School*, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Jun 17, 2016. (70)
- Plastina, A. "Iowa Summary Report." *North Central Farm Management Extension Committee Annual Meeting*, Sioux Falls, SD. Jun 14, 2016. (15)
- Plastina, A.(\*), Johanns, A., and R. Drollette. "Evaluation Report of Iowa Farm Leasing Meetings." *National Farm Management Conference*, Sioux Falls, SD. Jun 14, 2016. (30)
- Johnson, S.(\*), and A. Plastina(\*). "Solutions for Success: Using Farm Financial Case Studies." *National Farm Management Conference*, Sioux Falls, SD. Jun 12-16, 2016. (150)

Plastina, A. "Crop insurance: Constraint to Conservation?" *Nutrient Management Strategy Science Team Meeting*. Iowa State University, Dept. of Agronomy, Ames, IA. June 1, 2016. (15)

Plastina, A. "Farm Economy Update." *ANR Spring Training*, Iowa State University. Ames, IA. May 7, 2016. (150)

Plastina, A., and C. Hart(\*). "Managing Margins in 2016 and Beyond." *Crop Advantage Series*, Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Moline, IL. Jan 29, 2016; Carroll, IA. Jan 28, 2016; Iowa City, IA. Jan 22, 2016; Waterloo, IA. Jan 21, 2016; Fort Dodge, IA. Jan 20, 2016; Mason City, IA. Jan 15, 2016; Ames, IA. Jan 13, 2016; Burlington, IA. Jan 8, 2016; Okoboji, IA. Jan 6, 2016; Sheldon, IA. Jan 5, 2016.

Plastina, A.(\*), and C. Hart. "Managing Margins in 2016 and Beyond." *Crop Advantage Series*, Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Le Mars, IA. Jan 26, 2016. (40); Atlantic, IA. Jan 19, 2016. (110); Honey Creek (Moravia), IA. Jan 14, 2015. (100); Storm Lake, IA. Dec 12, 2015. (150)

Plastina, A. "Measuring the Competitiveness of Iowa Soybean Farmers." *Presentation of Final Report to the Board of the Iowa Soybean Association*. Ankeny, IA, Jan 15, 2016. (30)

Plastina, A. "Managing low crop margins." Presented at *Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Meetings, Integrated Crop Management Conference*. Iowa State University Extension and Outreach, Decorah, IA. Dec 8, 2015. (22); Ames, IA. Dec 3, 2015. (300); Carroll, IA. Nov 23, 2015; Clarinda, IA. Nov 23, 2015; Fort Dodge and Waterloo, IA. Nov 19, 2015; Cherokee, IA. Nov 17, 2015; Cedar Rapids and Iowa City, IA. Nov 5, 2015;

Plastina, A. "Cash Rent Survey: Methods and Uses." *Iowa Bankers Association Ag Committee Meeting*, Ames, IA. Dec 2, 2015.

Plastina, A. "Update on Farm Bill Payments." *Insuring Iowa Agriculture*, Ames, IA. Nov 11, 2015.

Plastina, A. "ARC/PLC payments and return to management." Presented to *Iowa Bankers Association Ag Committee Meeting*, and *ISUEO Farm Management Team In-Service Training*. Johnston, IA. Oct 14, 2015; Ames, IA. Oct 1, 2015.

Plastina, A. "Profitability of crop production." *Iowa Bankers Association Ag Committee Meeting*, Johnston, IA. Oct 14, 2015.

Plastina, A. "Managing Margins and IFBA Data Review." *Iowa Farm Business Association Fall Workshop*, Ames, IA. Sep 22, 2015.

Artz, G.(\*), and A. Plastina(\*). "Farming for Fun and Profit". *Iowa 4-H Youth Conference Workshop*, Ames, IA. Jun 30-Jul 1, 2015. (50)

Plastina, A. "Risks in Agriculture." *Iowa Bankers Association Ag Credit School*, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Jun 5, 2015.

Plastina, A. "Basic Crop Margins 101: Cost of production vs Crop outlook." *ANR Professional Development Conference*, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Apr 2, 2015.

Plastina, A. "Update on the Ag Economy," *North Iowa Agriculture Summit*, Iowa Lakes Community College, Emmetsburg, IA. Feb 19, 2015.

Plastina, A. "New Farm Bill, new safety net." Presented at *17<sup>th</sup> Annual Ag Expo, Integrated Crop Management Conference, and Pro-Ag Outlook and Management Meetings, Insuring Iowa Agriculture*. Cedar Rapids, IA. Jan 7, 2015; Ames, IA. Dec 3, 2014; Carroll, IA. Nov 13, 2014; Fort Dodge, IA. Nov 13, 2014; Ames, IA. Nov 4, 2014.

Plastina, A. "New Farm Bill: Webinar Part II," *Iowa Farm Business Association*, Ames, IA. Nov 6, 2014.

Plastina, A. "New Farm Bill: Webinar Part I," *Iowa Farm Business Association*, Ames, IA. Oct 27, 2014.

Plastina, A. "Decisions, decisions, decisions, or the New Farm Bill," *Kerns & Associates*, Ames, IA. Aug 29, 2014.

Plastina, A. "Cotton Pricing and Forecasting," *ICAC Research Associates Program*, Washington, DC. May 5, 2014.

Plastina, A. and R. Pandolph (\*). "Cotton Price Forecasts under Alternative Scenarios," *Beltwide Cotton Conferences*, New Orleans, LA. Jan 6, 2014.

Plastina, A. "Long-Term Challenges to Cotton," *Geocoton Seminar*, Paris, France. Sep 24, 2013.

Plastina, A. (\*) and A. Guitchounts. "Outlook for Cotton Supply and Use," *72<sup>nd</sup> ICAC Plenary Meetings*, Cartagena, Colombia. Sep 30, 2013.

Plastina, A. "World Cotton Market Outlook (in Spanish)" *Foro Nacional Algodonero*, Santa Fe, Argentina. Aug 29, 2013.

Plastina, A. "The World Cotton Market: Structure and Outlook," *Texas International Cotton School*, Lubbock, TX. Aug 13, 2013.

Plastina, A. "Structure of the World Cotton Market," *Agricultural Economics Lecture Series*, Texas Tech University, TX. Aug 13, 2013.

Plastina, A. "Cotton Market Outlook." *American Cotton Shippers Association International Cotton Institute*, University of Memphis, TN. Jun 14, 2013.

Plastina, A. "Trends in the Global Cotton Market: Where Does Africa Stand?" *11<sup>th</sup> Congress of the African Cotton Association*, Lomé, Togo. Mar 22, 2013.

Plastina, A. "Report on the World Cotton Situation," *521<sup>st</sup> ICAC Standing Committee Meeting*, Washington, DC. Dec 13, 2012.

Plastina, A. "Drivers of Cotton Consumption," *71<sup>st</sup> International Cotton Advisory Committee Plenary Meetings*, Interlaken, Switzerland. Oct 9, 2012.

Plastina, A. "Identity Cottons," *71<sup>st</sup> International Cotton Advisory Committee Plenary Meetings*, Interlaken, Switzerland. Oct 8, 2012.

Plastina, A. "The World Cotton Market: Structure and Outlook," Presented at *Texas International Cotton School*; and *American Cotton Shippers Association Cotton Institute*. Lubbock, TX. Aug 10, 2012; University of Memphis, TN. Jul 13, 2012.

Plastina, A. "Outlook for the World Cotton Market (in Spanish)," *Foro Construyendo el Futuro del Algodón y su Cadena*, Bogotá, Colombia. Jun 15, 2012.

- Plastina, A. "Extra-Fine Peruvian Cotton in the Global Market (in Spanish)," *Ministerio de Agricultura de Perú*, Lima, Perú. May 14, 2012.
- Plastina, A. "World Cotton Market Outlook (in Spanish)." *Universidad Nacional del Pilar*, Asunción, Paraguay. Apr 11, 2012.
- Plastina, A. "Outlook for the World Cotton Market (in Spanish)," *Gobernación de Caaguazú*, República del Paraguay. Apr 10, 2012.
- Plastina, A. and T. Townsend (\*). "Price Volatility in the World Cotton Market: Causes, Impacts, and Mitigation," *USDA Outlook Forum*, Washington, DC. Feb 24, 2012.
- Plastina, A. "Update on the Cotton Price Volatility," *51<sup>6th</sup> ICAC Standing Committee Meeting*, Washington, DC. Feb 2, 2012.
- Plastina, A. "Developments in Cotton Price Volatility," *514<sup>th</sup> ICAC Standing Committee Meeting*, Washington, DC. Nov 22, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "Future Cotton Scenario and Africa's Position," *International Conference for East African Cotton, Textile and Apparel Value Chain to Develop Competitiveness*, Mombasa, Kenya. Nov 2, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "Global Outlook for Cotton and its Value Chain (in Spanish)" *Evaluación del Programa Integrado del Algodón*, Instituto Nacional de Tecnología Agropecuaria (INTA), Gral. Pinedo, Chaco, Argentina. Oct 4, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "Outlook for Cotton Supply, Use and Prices," *70<sup>th</sup> International Cotton Advisory Committee Plenary Meetings*, Buenos Aires, Argentina. Sep 6, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "The ICAC Cotton Price Model," *American Cotton Shippers Association Cotton Institute*, University of Memphis, TN. Jun 10, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "The Global Market for Cotton (in Spanish)," *Seminario Técnico Internacional sobre el Cultivo del Algodonero*, Barranquilla, Colombia. May 20, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "Descriptions of Production Programs, including Organic, Fair Trade, Cotton Made in Africa, and the Better Cotton Initiative," *509<sup>th</sup> ICAC Standing Committee Meeting*, Washington, DC. Feb 3, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "Outlook for World Cotton Supply and Use: Record Price Surge as 2010/11 Cotton Supply is Sold Out," *International Textile Manufacturers Association Conference on the Cotton Value Chain*, New York, NY. Jan 10, 2011.
- Plastina, A. "Volatility in Cotton Prices," *507<sup>th</sup> ICAC Standing Committee Meeting*, Washington, DC. Nov 23, 2010.
- Gruère, A. and A. Plastina(\*). "Outlook for World Cotton Supply and Use: Tight Stocks & Increased Prices," *69<sup>th</sup> International Cotton Advisory Committee Plenary Meetings*, Lubbock, TX. Sep 22, 2010.
- Plastina, A. "World Cotton Prices: Overview and Outlook," *International Cotton Advisory Committee Research Associate Program*, Washington, DC. May 5, 2010.
- Plastina, A. "Report on Some Specialty Cottons: Organic, Fair Trade, and Cotton Made in Africa," *504<sup>th</sup> ICAC Standing Committee Meeting*, New York, NY. Apr 9, 2010.

Plastina, A. “World Cotton Market: Overview and Outlook,” *8<sup>th</sup> Congress of the African Cotton Association*, Yaoundé, Cameroon. Mar 9, 2010.

Plastina, A. “Revisiting the Relationship between Cotton, Polyester and Oil Prices,” *Beltwide Cotton Conferences*, New Orleans, LA. Jan 6, 2010.

Plastina, A. “World Cotton Outlook: Stable Prices and Concentration in Asia,” *Cámara Algodonera del Paraguay*, Asunción, Paraguay. Sep 18, 2009.

Plastina, A. “The Role of Asia in the Cotton Sector,” *VII Congresso Brasileiro do Algodao*, Foz de Iguazu, Brazil. Sep 17, 2009.

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Plastina, A. “Child Labor in the Cotton and Textile Sectors,” *Fashionably and Ethically in the Textile and Clothing Sector*, Faculty of Material Technologies and Textile Design, Technical University of Łódź, Poland. Mar 17, 2009.

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Plastina, A. “Cotton Production Prospects in Selected Foreign Countries,” *2008 Agricultural Outlook Forum - Energizing Rural America in the Global Marketplace*, USDA, Washington, DC. Feb 22, 2008.

Plastina, A. “Structural Changes in the World Cotton Market Linked to the End of MFA Quotas,” *The End of the Multifiber Arrangement: Impact on Developed and Developing Countries*, ERS/USDA, Washington, DC. Jan 31, 2008.

Plastina, A. “World Cotton Outlook,” Argentine Technological University and Ministry of Agriculture of Chaco, Argentina. Dec 17, 2007.

Plastina, A. “Effects of Eliminating Government Measures in Cotton,” *66<sup>th</sup> International Cotton Advisory Committee Plenary Meetings*, Izmir, Turkey. Oct 24, 2007.

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The New Importance of Data for Evidence Building. Harvard Data Science Review's Democratizing Data webinar. <https://democratizingdata.ai/events/2024/harvard-data-science-review/>

2018 Farm Bill Education Conference. Extension Risk Management Education Centers. Kansas City, MO. May 22-23, 2019.

Annual Meeting of NC1198. Renewing an Agriculture of the Middle: Value Chain Design, Policy Approaches, Environmental and Social Impacts. Minneapolis, MN. Oct 17-18, 2017.

SOIL 2017 Cultivating Your Investment: Landowners and Stewardship. Olmsted Center at Drake University. Des Moines, IA. Jul 27, 2017.

Farm Tax Workshop. Center for Agricultural Law and Taxation, Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Sep 9, 2016.

ISUEO Farm Management Team In-Service Training. Heady Hall, Ames, IA. May 9-11, 2016.

ISU ANR In-Service Training. Scheman Building, Ames, IA. Apr 7, 2016.

Iowa Nutrient Reduction Strategy Meeting. Polk County Extension Office, Altoona, IA. Mar 2016.

Iowa Water Conference. Iowa State Center. Ames, IA. Mar 23-24, 2016.

American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers Annual Meeting. Ames, IA. Feb 4, 2016.

Soil Health Conference. Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Ames, IA. Feb 2-3, 2016.

Coupling Economic Models with Agronomic, Hydrologic, and Bioenergy Models for Sustainable Food, Energy, and Water Systems – Workshop. Iowa State University, Ames, IA. Oct 12–13, 2015.

AAEA Meeting on Crop Insurance and the 2014 Farm Bill: Reports and Analyses from the Field Workshop. Louisville, KY. Oct 5-7, 2015.

Extension Risk Management Education National Conference. Minneapolis, MN. Apr 29-30, 2015.

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Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meetings. Minneapolis, MN. Jul 27-29, 2014.

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Council on Food, Agricultural and Resource Economics (C-FARE). “Increasing U.S. Agriculture’s Competitive Edge: How Do Public Data and Big Data Fit?” Washington, DC. Apr 29, 2014.

USDA Outlook Forum. “The Changing Face of Agriculture,” Arlington, VA. Feb 20-21, 2014.

China National Cotton Information Center. “A Dialog on China Cotton and Textile Industry Evolution,” New York Marriot Downtown, NY. Jul 15, 2013.

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## **Engagements with External Stakeholders**

*Iowa Bankers Association.* Associate Director of the joint IBA-Iowa State University Ag Credit School, and Member at Large of the IBA Ag Committee. (2016-2024)

*Iowa Farm Business Association.* Developed an agreement through which the IFBA shares with ISU anonymous farm-level data and ISU provides relevant analyses for its membership and publishes extension reports based on those analyses. (2016-2024)

*Iowa Chapter of the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers.* Principal Investigator with Members of ASFMRA. Academic Member (2015-present) and Member of the Editorial Board of the Journal of ASFMRA. (2017-2024)

*Practical Farmers of Iowa.* Principal Investigator in joint projects on the economics of conservation practices. (2015-2022)

*Iowa Conservation Infrastructure Initiative: Cover Crops Working Group.* Member. (2018)

*Soil Health Institute: Economics Action Team.* Member (2018-2019)

*USDA Farm Service Agency.* Developed Farm Bill decision tools that FSA officials recommended to Iowa farmers. 2014-2017.

*Farm Credit Services of America. Senior Credit and Risk Management Staff. Omaha, NE.* Developed case studies based on farm level data for the regional program Growing On®. 2015-2016.

*Iowa Soybean Association.* Developed a methodology for the ISA to measure the competitiveness of Iowa soybean farmers. 2014-2015.

## **Monthly Column in Wallaces Farmer**

(Printed edition: 75,000 readers in Iowa, 4,000 readers in other states. Online: 3,700 hits per day)

2021: Managing risk in 2021 (Jan).

2020: Navigate the challenge of 2020 tax preparation (Dec). Will it pay to store this fall's crop? (Nov). Turn derecho help into a win-win situation (Oct). Should cover crops be included in farm leases? (Sep). Reevaluating crop leases (Jul). Why is forward pricing grain so difficult? (Jun). Time to refinance your ag loans? (May). Putting value on aerial scouting (Apr). Crop insurance decision (Mar). What if tenant can't pay the rent? (Jan).

2019: Do you need more grain storage? (Dec). Find tenant's financial information (Nov). Who pays for cover crop seed and seeding? (Oct). Identify all risks before hiring someone to plant (Sep). Renegotiating costly cash rent (Aug). Restoring flooded land (Jul). Cash rent can be costly (Jun). Where does variable rate fit? (Apr). Marketing plan helps with decision making (Mar). Consider your options before buying a planter (Feb). Is this farm worth keeping? (Jan).

2018: Ratios reveal potential trouble (Dec). Another tough year ahead? (Nov). Calculate crop costs, plan for 2019 (Oct). Missed deadline for termination notices (Sep). Farmers never truly retire (Aug). Lease neighbor's bins or buy them? (Jul). Get value from idle pasture (May). Determine dad's wages as employee (Apr). Figuring cost vs. return for cover crop (Mar). Think through possible planter trade (Feb). What are baled cornstalks worth? (Jan).

2017: Should you upgrade equipment for technology? (Dec). Sharing labor with a neighbor (Nov). Should you build another bin? (Oct). Cash rent rates are sticky issue (Aug). Best solution for hauling grain (Aug). Are you ready for expansion? (Jul). Time to buy a new combine? (Jun).

## Teaching

### Courses Taught

Assistant & Associate Professor. ECON 330: Advanced Farm Business Management. Senior-level. Fall 2016-2024. 185 students.

Associate Professor (Co-taught). ECON 460/560: Agricultural, Food, and Trade Policy. Senior-level. Fall 2020. 49 students.

Assistant Professor. ECON 230: Farm Business Management. Junior-level. Fall 2015, Spring 2015. 270 students.

Lecturer. Department of Agricultural Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, USA. Fall 2004. Senior-level course on Agricultural Development in Less Developed Countries. 12 Students.

Lecturer. Department of Economics, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina. May 2001-Feb 2003. Sophomore-level course on Macroeconomics. 60 Students.

Lecturer. Department of Political Science, Universidad Católica de La Plata, Argentina. Feb 2002-Jul 2002. Junior-level course on Economic Policy. 35 Students.

Teaching Assistant. Department of Economics, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina. Jul 1999-Dec 1999. Junior-level course on Corporate Finance. 55 Students.

Teaching Assistant. Department of Economics, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina. Mar 1998-Jul 1998. Junior-level course on Introduction to Economics. 80 Students.

Teaching Assistant. Department of Economics, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina. Mar 1996-Jul 1996 and Mar 1997-Jul 1997. Freshman-level Course on Microeconomics. 50 Students.

## **Guest Lectures**

ECON 271X: Introduction to Data Analysis in Agri-Food Industry. Lecture on how to develop decision tools with Excel (Apr 11, 2024; instructor: Dr. Hongli Feng; 50 students).

AGRON 410: Senior Forum. Lecture on Agricultural Carbon Economics (Feb 27, 2024; instructor: Dr. Mary Wiedenhoeft; 10 students).

AGRON/ENVS450: Issues in Sustainable Agriculture (20 students). Instructor: Dr. Mary Wiedenhoeft. Apr 9, 2024: Lecture on Economic Factors Driving Conservation Practice Decisions. Feb 21, 2023: Lecture on Carbon Credits: What's at stake for farmers?.

ECON 496: International Travel Course. Lecture: Ag Carbon Markets (Spring 2023. Instructor: Kevin Kimle; 15 students)

ECON 337: Agricultural Marketing. Lectures: The U.S. Farm Bill (Spring 2019; instructor: Dr. Chad Hart; 42 students); Crop Insurance (Fall 2018; instructor: Dr. Lee Schulz; 44 students).

ANS 415: Equine Systems Management. Lecture: Strategic Planning and Budgeting (spring 2018; instructor: Ms. Jill Paxton; 30 students).

## **Graduate Student Committees**

Huan Jo, Iowa State University, Economics, Co-major professor of PhD dissertation committee, in-progress.

Kwanele Magwaba, Iowa State University, Economics, Supervisor of MS creative component: "Evaluating the profitability of different rotations in integrated organic crop and poultry systems." In-progress.

Wan Xiaolan, Iowa State University, Economics, member of PhD dissertation committee, in-progress.

Yue Zhao, Iowa State University, Economics, member of PhD dissertation committee, in-progress.

Oranuch Wongpiyabovorn, Iowa State University, Economics, member of PhD dissertation committee, Graduated May 2023. Dissertation: "Evolution of the Relationships Among Nitrogen Fertilizer, Corn, and Natural Gas Prices."

Miracle Rose Toppar, Iowa State University, Economics, Co-major professor of PhD dissertation committee, Graduated March 2023. Dissertation: "Essays on Cotton Production in Sub-Saharan Africa."

Diego Gauna, Iowa State University, Economics, member of MS committee. Graduated March 2022. Thesis: “Are the Exchange Rate and the Local Stock Market Risks priced in the stock market? An exercise using American Depository Receipts (ADRs).”

Madison Harkins, University of Georgia, Agricultural & Applied Economics, member of MS committee. Graduated Fall 2021. Thesis: “An Analysis of Cover Crop Use in Southeastern Row Crop Production: Economics, Production Practices, and Perceptions.”

Wendiam Sawadgo, Iowa State University, Economics, Co-major professor of PhD dissertation committee, Graduated Summer 2020. Dissertation: “Land Tenure, Agri-Environmental Policy, and Conservation-Practice Use in Iowa.” 2021 CARD Award for Best PhD Dissertation in Agricultural, Environmental, and Energy Economics and Policy.

Guy Albritton Hancock. University of Georgia, Agricultural and Applied Economics, member of MS committee, Graduated Summer 2019. Thesis: “An Economic Analysis of Adoption of Conservation Practices in Georgia Cotton and Peanut Production.”

Zehui Jiang, Iowa State University, Economics, member of PhD dissertation committee, Graduated Summer 2018. 2019 CARD Award for Best Ph.D. Dissertation in Agricultural, Environmental, and Energy Economics and Policy. Dissertation: “Predicting County Level Corn Yields Using Deep Long Short-Term Memory Models in the Corn Belt.”

George Apperson. Clemson University, Policy Studies, member of PhD dissertation committee. Graduated Summer 2016. Dissertation: “Agricultural Commodity Futures Price Volatility: A Market Regulatory Policy Study.”

Rosa Diaz Rivera, MS. Iowa State University, Economics, member of MS committee. Graduated Spring 2016. Creative Component: “Factors associated with the adoption of Integrated Weed Management strategies by Iowa corn and soybean farmers.”

## **Student Advising**

Honors Project Advisor to Frances Jackson, Undergraduate student at Iowa State University: “The Financial Impact of Grazing Cover Crops on Integrated Farming Operations.” Poster presented at the State of Iowa Capitol. Spring 2024.

Co-Advisor (with S. Lence) to Marie Lassalas, Fulbright Visiting Scholar from L’institu Agro – INRAE, France. Impact evaluation of environmental programs on ag productivity. Fall 2022.

Co-Advisor (with Y. Liu and other) to Madison Harkins, second place, student poster award competition for the sustainability section at the 2022 Beltwide Cotton Conferences. Jan 6, 2022.

Co-Advisor (with W. Zhang) to Wendiam Sawadgo, finalist in the Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Graduate Student Extension Competition. Jun 18, 2019.

Co-Advisor (with G. Artz and C. Hart) to Nathan Christensen, winner of the 2016 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Undergraduate Earl O. Heady Spreadsheet Competition with “Analysis of crop insurance and grain marketing decisions for Iowa corn and soybeans.”

Co-Advisor (with W. Zhang) to Fangge Liu, recipient of a 2016 Graduate Travel Grant Award from the Agricultural & Applied Economics Association Foundation, and the 2015 Cathryn

Jacobson Ahrenholz Scholarship for academic achievement, exceptional promise, and interest in agriculture from the ISU Department of Economics.

## **Scholarship of Teaching and Learning**

Mentoring at Mizzou, a CIMER Training. University of Missouri. Certificate of Completion. Oct 2024.

Harassment & Discrimination Prevention. Iowa State University Human Resources. Certificate of Completion. Mar 2018.

Developed a detailed case study to implement all tools taught in ECON 330: Advanced Farm Management (with Tim Eggers). Mar 2016-Aug 2017.

Developed most teaching materials for ECON330: Advanced Farm Business Management from an old syllabus. Jan-Aug 2016.

Promotion and Tenure Workshop, Participant. Food Science Bldg., Ames, IA. Apr 19, 2016.

Teaching and Learning Circle - Communication in the Classroom, Participant. ISU Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching. Weekly meetings. Jan – Feb 2016.

Unlawful Harassment Prevention for Higher Education Faculty. Iowa State University Human Resources. Certificate of Completion. Aug 2015.

Preventing Discrimination and Social Violence: Title IX, VAWA and Clery Act for Faculty and Staff. Iowa State University Human Resources. Certificate of Completion. Aug 2015.

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. Iowa State University Human Resources. Certificate of Completion. Aug 2014.

Drug Free Workplace Training. Iowa State University Human Resources. Certificate of Completion. Aug 2014.

International Teaching Assistant Institute. University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Certificate of Completion. Apr 2005.

## **Service to the Profession**

**External Reviewer for Tenure and Promotion to Associate Professor at U.S. Land Grant University. 2024.**

## **Service on Local, Regional, and National Committees**

### **Iowa Bankers Association**

Co-Director of the ISU-IBA Ag Credit School. Sep 2016-Aug 2024.

Member at Large, IBA Agricultural Committee. Oct 2014-Aug 2024.

### **North Central Farm Management Extension Committee**

Chair, Oct 2019-Sep 2020.

Vice-Chair, Oct 2018-Sep 2019.

Secretary, Oct 2017-Sep 2018.

Member, 2015-2024.

### **North Central Region ANR Leaders**

Appointed by Vice-Dean for Extension and Outreach John Lawrence to the Planning Committee of the North Central Region-ANR Workshops (Omaha and West Lafayette): Assisting Farmers in Times of Tight Margins. Coordinated the Omaha Workshop. Aug-Nov 2016. Attendance 35 Extension Educators from Iowa, Nebraska, Montana, North Dakota, Missouri, and Kansas.

### **USDA North Central Regional Research Committee Service**

Project Director and ISU Official Representative. USDA/NIFA Revised Multistate Coordinating Committee S\_tempCC76. Economics and Management of Risk in Agriculture and Natural Resources. Administrative Advisor: Reuben Moore. (Oct 2019-Sep 2024)

Co-Project Director and ISU Official Representative. USDA/NIFA Multistate Research Project NC1198. Renewing an Agriculture of the Middle: Value Chain Design, Policy Approaches, Environmental and Social Impacts. Administrative Advisor: Joe Colletti. (Oct 2017-Sep 2021)

Co-Project Director. USDA/NIFA Multistate Research Project NC1034. Impact Analyses and Decision Strategies for Agricultural Research. Project Director: Wallace Huffman. (2016- 2021). Renewed 2021-2025. Project Director: GianCarlo Moschini.

Co-Project Director. USDA/NIFA Hatch Project IOW03809. Economics of the Food Sector: Consumption, Production, Trade and Marketing. Project Director: John Crespi. (Jul 2016-Jun 2021. Renewed 2021-2025.)

## **Service on University Committees**

### **Iowa State University**

Representative of the Economics Committee on Diversity, Inclusion, Equity and Belonging (DIEB) in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences DIEB Committee. Sep 2020-Aug 2022.

Appointed by Interim Endowed Dean of Agriculture and Life Sciences Joe Colletti to the Steering Committee of the Workshop “Big Data for Sm(all) Farmers.” Ames, IA. Feb 26-27, 2018. Attendance 60.

### **Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension and Outreach, Iowa State University**

Chair, Farm Financial Stress Task Force, Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Jan 2018-Present. Member since Sep 2014.

Member, I-Team on Financial Stability, Iowa State University Extension and Outreach. Oct 2020-Oct 2021.

Chair, Search Committee for Field Specialist III - Farm Management (Position 80391P), Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension and Outreach. Aug-Nov 2018.

Chair, Search Committee for Field Specialist II - Farm Management (Position 80147P), Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension and Outreach. Jun-Aug 2018.

Chair, Search Committee for Field Specialist II or III - Farm Management (Position 80026P), Agriculture and Natural Resources Extension and Outreach. Jan-Mar 2018.

Member of the Organizing Committee of the ISUEO Farm Management Team In-Service Training. Ames, IA. May 14-17, 2018. Attendance 23.

### **Center for Ag Law and Taxation, Iowa State University**

Member of the Center for Ag Law and Taxation Review Board. Chair: H.M. Pittman. Aug 2022.

Member of Advisory Council to the Center for Ag Law and Taxation, in representation of ISU Extension and Outreach. Aug 2016-Aug 2024.

Member of Search Committee for Center for Agricultural Law and Taxation Director, Iowa State University. 2016-2017. Chair: Paul Lasley.

### **Department of Economics, Iowa State University**

Member, Economics Council, Aug 2022-Aug 2024.

Peer Teaching Evaluation of Dr. Hongli Feng. ECON271X: Introduction to Data Analysis in Agri-Food Industry. In collaboration with Dr. Alex Zhylyevskyy. April 2023.

Member, Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2021-2022.

Member, Committee on Diversity, Inclusion, Equity and Belonging. 2020-Aug 2022.

Member, Recruiting Committee for (1) Assistant Teaching Professor or Associate Teaching Professor or Teaching Professor - Agricultural Economics, and (2) Assistant Professor - Agricultural Supply Chains. 2020-2021.

Volunteer Faculty, Job Market Candidates Mock Interviews. 2020-2024.

Member, Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Awards Nominations Committee, Department of Economics, Iowa State University. 2015-2017, 2021-2022.

### **Professional Society Membership and Service**

Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (2004 - Present).

Chair Elect, Agricultural Finance & Management (AFM) Section. 2024-2025.

Member, Extension Section. 2015-Present.

Extension Awards Committee. Member, 2020-2021. Chair, 2022.

Reviewer of Selected Papers and Poster for Annual Meeting. 2006-2008, 2012-2013, 2015-2016, 2018, 2020.

Session Organizer. "Current Financial Conditions of Midwestern Farms." 2017 Annual Meeting, Extension Section Track Session. Chicago, IL.

Session Moderator. "Agricultural productivity." 2016 Annual Meeting. Boston, MA.

Member, Economics, Statistics & Information Resources Committee. 2013-2015.

American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers – Iowa Chapter (2016-2024)

Member of the Editorial Board of the Journal of the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers, 2017-2021.

Academic Member, 2015-2024.



Session Moderator. "Extension programs." *National Farm Business Management Conference*. Sioux Falls, SD. June 14-15, 2016.

Agri-Benchmark Network, Thünen Institute of Farm Economics (Braunschweig, Germany)  
Cash Crop Network Partner, Dec 2020-Aug 2024.

Southern Agricultural Economics Association. 2010-2013.

Reviewer of Selected Papers for 2013 Beltwide Cotton Economics and Marketing Conference.

International Association of Agricultural Economists. 2009-2013.

Reviewer of Selected Papers for 2007 Conference. Beijing, China.

Econometric Society. 2005-2013.

International Food and Agribusiness Management Association. 2006-2007.

Reviewer of Selected Papers for the 2007 Triannual Symposium. Buenos Aires, Argentina.

American Economic Association. 2005-2007.

### **Referee of Peer-Reviewed Publications**

American Journal of Agricultural Economics. 2024, 2018-2022, 2007-2008.

Journal of Soil and Water Conservation. 2022-2024, 2020.

Climate Policy. 2024.

Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics. 2024, 2022, 2008.

Agricultural Economics. 2023, 2021, 2016.

Food Policy. 2023, 2020.

Agricultural Systems. 2023.

Applied Economics Perspectives and Policy. 2023, 2021.

Journal of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association. 2022.

Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics. 2022, 2011.

Agricultural Finance Review. 2022.

Agricultural & Environmental Letters. 2021.

Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics. 2020.

Journal of Agricultural Economics. 2020, 2010-2011.

Journal of Economic Asymmetries. 2020.

Journal of Applied Farm Economics. 2020.

Choices. 2019, 2009.

Renewable Agriculture and Food Systems. 2019.

Journal of the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers. 2017-2020.

Agronomy Journal. 2019, 2016.

Plos One, Economics. 2017-2018.

Textile Research Journal. 2013-2014.

Journal of Productivity Analysis. 2012.

National Institute of Agricultural Technology (INTA), Argentina. 2009.

Middle East Development Journal. 2009.

Journal of Cotton Science. 2008.

### **Reviewer of Book Chapters and Technical Reports**

USDA Economic Research Service. 2024. "Persistence of Cover Crop Use in Crop Production in the United States, 2012-2021" (forthcoming).

USDA Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education Outreach. 2023. *Resilient Farmers, Ranchers and Communities: Social Sustainability in Agriculture*. <https://www.sare.org/wp-content/uploads/Resilient-Farmers-Ranchers-and-Communities.pdf>

Massey, R., D. Kientzy, and J. Tsay. "Flexible Cash Leases in Missouri." *University of Missouri Extension Publication G422*. Available at: <https://extension.missouri.edu/publications/g422>

Wallander, S., D. Smith, M. Bowman, and R. Claassen. 2021. *Cover Crop Trends, Programs, and Practices in the United States*. U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Economic Information Bulletin 222. February.

Walsh, M. K., P. Backlund, L. Buja, A. DeGaetano, R. Melnick, L. Prokopy, E. Takle, D. Todey, L. Ziska. 2020. *Climate Indicators for Agriculture*. USDA Technical Bulletin 1953. Washington, DC. 70 pages. DOI <https://doi.org/10.25675/10217/210930>.

Hungerford, A. and E. O'Donoghue. 2016. *Federal Crop Insurance Options for Upland Cotton Farmers and Their Revenue Effects*. U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Economic Research Report 218. October.

Kay, R., Edwards, W., and P. Duffy. 2016. *Farm Management (8<sup>th</sup> edition)*. Chapter 4: "The Balance Sheet and Its Analysis." McGraw-Hill Education. New York, NY.

### **Reviewer of Grants and Projects**

U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA). Peer Review Panel Member for Fiscal Year 2021.

Iowa Water Center, Iowa State University. Graduate Student Seed Grant Water Research Competition. Dec 2018.

Department of Sociology, Iowa State University. Hatch project IOW03904: "Sociological Research to Advance Sustainable U.S. and International Food Security and Rural Development." Reviewed on Jun 2017. Approved by USDA-NIFA on 8/1/2017.

### **Volunteer Service**

Faculty Expert, 2015 Global Youth Institute, World Food Prize. Oct 17, 2015.

World Food Prize Award. Translation of Call for Proposals into Spanish. Mar 2015.

Member, Agricultural Economics Graduate Student Organization, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2002-2007.

Volunteer, American Agricultural Economics Association. 2006.

Welcome Committee for New Graduate Students, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2005.

President, Agricultural Economics Graduate Student Organization, University of Nebraska-Lincoln. 2004-2005.

Volunteer, Hispanic Community Center, Lincoln, Nebraska. 2002-2003.

## **Certificates and Diplomas**

Theory and Practice of Efficiency & Productivity Measurement: Static & Dynamic Analysis. Professors Subal Kumbhakar, Chris Parmeter, Spiro Stefanou, and Alfons Oude Lansink. Wageningen School of Social Sciences. Certificate of Attendance. Jul 8-19, 2019.

Texas International Cotton School. Texas Tech University. Certificate of Completion. Aug 2012.

The State-of-the-Art in the Analysis of Survey Data with Complex Sample Designs. American Agricultural Economics Association's Economics, Statistics and Information Resources Committee. Certificate of Attendance. Jun 2006.

Conference on Applied Statistics in Agriculture. Department of Statistics, Kansas State University. Certificate of Attendance. Apr 2005.

International Symposium on Quality of Life Measurements and Pharmacoeconomics. FUNDONAR Foundation, Argentina. Certificate of Attendance. Apr 2001.

Excel Tools for Financial and Economic Analysis. Update Training Center, Argentina. Certificate of Completion. Nov 1999.

International Seminar on Employment Policies and Effects of Unemployment. International Relations Institute, Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina. Certificate of Completion. Oct 1999.

Master in Personal Computing, IBM Training Center, Argentina. Dec 1997.

## **Professional Travel**

Argentina, Belgium, Brazil, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Chad, China, Colombia, France, Germany, India, Italy, Kenya, Netherlands, Paraguay, Peru, Poland, South Africa, Switzerland, Togo, Turkey, the United Kingdom, and the United States of America.

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