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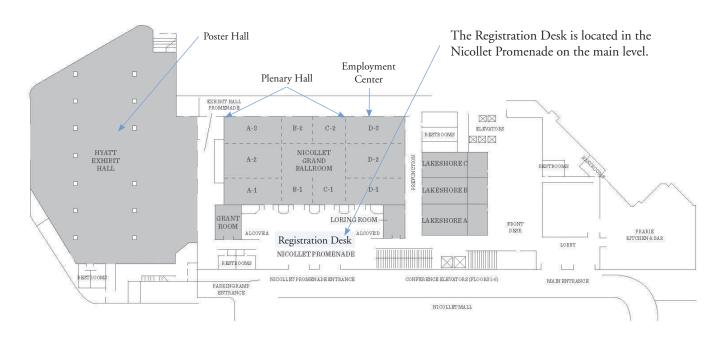


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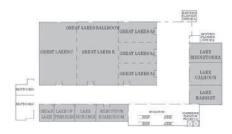


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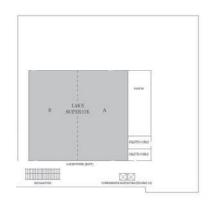




# **Fourth Floor**



## Fifth Floor





# **Welcome to Minneapolis, MN!**

# **President's Message**

#### Welcome to Minneapolis!

Thank you very much for being a part of our AAEA Annual Meeting here in Minneapolis. The AAEA's *Culture of Engagement* and the dynamic nature of our meeting very much rest on your contributions of your work, your open and active conversation with others about their work, and your involvement in planning sessions and activities. The conversation builds here on pressing economic and policy issues in food, agriculture, the environment, natural resources, health, regional economics, and international development, and all the intersections of these areas with additional applied economics fields.

We are pleased to welcome our AAEA members, new and veteran, to this wonderful city. We have a great program planned. Our expanded *Meeting Mobile App* allows you great access to the program and planning tools to organize your time—and allows you to travel a bit more lightly if you have chosen to go green without a paper copy of the program.



Our meeting kicks off with pre-conferences and mentoring workshops on Saturday followed by *Networking Sunday*—packed with Section and Committee Meetings, first rounds of the Academic Bowl and of the Graduate Student Case Study and Extension Competitions, the Early Career Professionals Networking Reception, and Section/Committee Receptions. The *Keynote Address* at 6 pm features Brian Wansink bringing us his innovative thinking on research and public policy work at the intersection of behavioral economics and nutrition. The *Poster Reception* follows, allowing you to get a first look at all the posters and meet authors before flowing into the *Welcome Reception* to meet up with old friends and make new ones.

Monday begins with Barry Goodwin's *Presidential Address*, sharing his thoughts with us on the good, the bad, and the ugly in agricultural policy analysis. As you move into the *Concurrent Sessions*, expect to have to make some hard choices! The program features Invited Paper Sessions, Section Tracks, Selected Presentation Sessions, and Organized Symposia chock full on new work and engaging conversations about applied economics and policy. Posters and additional topics will be featured during *Networking Lunch Periods* on Monday and Tuesday. Coffee and tea will be on tap in the morning and again during a break in the afternoon to keep everyone going.

The Academic Bowl Finals are at 6 pm on Monday. We will honor and recognize the impressive work of AAEA members at the Awards and Fellows Recognition Ceremony at 6:30 pm on Monday. Receiving the highest recognition of Fellow at this meeting are B. Wade Brorsen, Robert P. King, John Loomis, and Thomas Reardon. Please give them a hearty congratulations when you see them throughout the meeting.

Conversation on economics and public policy are again a highlight of Tuesday's program with Kathy Segerson in her *Fellow's Address* focusing on her insights into the role of economics in interdisciplinary environmental policy debates. Jean Tirole's *Galbraith Forum Lecture* on intellectual property and public policy wraps up the program in the early evening on Tuesday, followed by the closing reception. A very full program of Concurrent Sessions and a Networking Lunch make for an exciting program throughout the day on Tuesday. Two great post-conferences are offered on Wednesday.

I am excited to meet you at our annual meeting and look forward to talking with you. We thank all of our members who gave their time to create our *Culture of Engagement* through organizing tracks and sessions, reviewing selected presentation abstracts, planning pre- and post-conference workshops, organizing student activities and competitions, and serving on committees to select award winners and Fellows. Thanks to all of the participants who have brought their work to Minneapolis to share with colleagues. And thanks to our AAEA Staff for providing excellent meeting development and management. All your efforts are critical to the success of our joint endeavor of creating a meeting space that supports and inspires our work and us.

Julie A. Caswell AAEA President

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# **Thank You to the Selected Presentations Committee**

AAEA would like to extend a special thank you to the Selected Presentations Committee for their efforts in organizing the sessions taking place here in Minneapolis. The committee, with the help of dozens of topic leaders and over three hundred reviewers, fielded nearly 900 abstracts to create the topically diverse, high quality sessions that will be presented over the course of the 2014 Annual Meeting.

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Thank you to all the 2014 AAEA Annual Meeting reviewers! This year, AAEA had over 300 Selected Presentation reviewers. The 2014 Annual Meeting would not be possible without the help of these volunteers.

This year, AAEA recruited volunteer moderators for Selected Presentation Paper sessions. Building on the Culture of Engagement discussed in AAEA President, Julie Caswell's, January column in *The Exchange*, we asked that these moderators actively foster discussion during their session. Thank you to all of the volunteer moderators!

# **Meeting Information**

## **Registration Desk Hours**

Hyatt Regency, Nicollet Promenade, Main Level

Saturday, July 26, 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm Sunday, July 27, 7:30 am – 7:30 pm Monday, July 28, 7:30 am – 5:00 pm Tuesday, July 29, 7:30 am – 4:00 pm

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#### Guests

Guests must be registered in order to attend any and all meeting functions, including the Welcome and Closing Receptions, plenary sessions, and all concurrent sessions. Guests include any interested party not professionally in the field of agricultural economics or a related discipline. Children under the age of 16 may attend the meeting for free and do not need to register as a guest.

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Tickets are required for all speaker series luncheons and banquets, as well as other special events. A limited number of tickets may be available for sale on site. If available, tickets will be sold at the registration desk up until the day before the event. No tickets will be sold on the day of the event.

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- COSBAE/CWAE (Committee on the Opportunities and Status of Blacks in Agricultural Economics Section/Committee on Women in Agricultural Economics Section) Luncheon
- Extension Section



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# The Council on Food, Agricultural, and Resource Economics (C-FARE)

The Council on Food, Agricultural, and Resource Economics (C-FARE) is a non-profit organization dedicated to strengthening the national presence of the agricultural economics profession. C-FARE's governing board includes prominent agricultural economists representing a wide range of public and private sector interests.



# **University of Missouri**

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USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) disseminates data on every facet of U.S. agriculture. The agency conducts hundreds of surveys and issues 400 reports annually. NASS also conducts the Census of Agriculture every 5 years, providing the only source of detailed agricultural data for every county in the nation. NASS reports are available at <a href="www.nass.usda.gov">www.nass.usda.gov</a>.





# **Undergraduate Recruitment Fair**

Monday, July 28, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm Pre-function space outside of Skyway and St. Croix rooms, Second Level

The Undergraduate Recruitment Fair gives undergraduate students who are in Minneapolis a chance to meet and interact with academic departments from around the country that have graduate programs in agricultural and applied economics. Be sure to stop and visit with representatives from these universities in between rounds of the Academic Bowl.

## **Participating Organizations Include:**

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