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## **PREFACE**

This publication lists the academic staff for 2006, courses offered for 2006, awards, and articles authored by Agricultural Economics faculty and other staff working on projects funded through the Department of Agricultural Economics. The articles were published between January 1, 2006 and December 31, 2006. Copies of articles may be obtained from the Department of Agricultural Economics, 342 Waters Hall, Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS 66506-4011.

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## LIST OF ACADEMIC STAFF, 2006

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Subject Area</u>	<u>Appointment<sup>a</sup></u>			
			T	R	E	I
Vincent Amanor-Boadu	Assistant Professor	Agribusiness	0	0	10	0
Joseph L. Arata	Assistant Professor	Agribusiness	8	1	1	0
Andrew P. Barkley	Professor	Policy	5	5	0	0
G. Art Barnaby, Jr.	Professor	Finance, Govt. Prog.	0	0	10	0
David G. Barton	Professor	Agribusiness, Finance	0	0	10	0
Arlo W. Biere	Professor	Agribusiness	7	3	0	0
Michael A. Boland	Professor	Agribusiness	5	4	1	0
Robert O. Burton, Jr.	Professor	Farm Management	6	4	0	0
John Crespi	Associate Professor	Ind. Org., Marketing	5	5	0	0
Kevin C. Dhuyvetter	Professor	Farm Mgmt./Marketing	0	2	8	0
Troy L. Dumler	Area Economist <sup>b</sup>	Farm Management	0	0	10	0
Allen M. Featherstone	Professor	Finance	4	6	0	0
Barry L. Flinchbaugh	Professor	Policy	1	0	9	0
Sarah Fogleman	Area Economist <sup>b</sup>	Farm Management, Human Resources	0	0	10	0
John A. Fox	Professor	Food Marketing/Trade	4	6	0	0
Sam Funk	KFMA Administrator	Farm Management Association	0	0	10	0
Billy B. Golden	Research Asst. Prof.	Water/Environment/Risk	0	8	2	0
Orlen C. Grunewald	Professor	Livestock & Food Mktg.	6	4	0	0
Rodney D. Jones	Associate Professor	Livestock Production, Farm Management	0	2	8	0
Terry L. Kastens	Professor	Farm Management	0	4	6	0
Harvey L. Kiser	Sr. Ag. Economist <sup>c</sup>	Grain Marketing	0	0	0	10
Michael R. Langemeier	Professor	Livestock Production	2	4	4	0
John C. Leatherman	Professor	Local Government	0	2	8	0
Xianghong Li	Research Asst. Prof.	Trade/Marketing	0	10	0	0
Aaron Lusby	Research Asst. Prof.	Local Government	0	10	0	0

<sup>a</sup> T, R, E, I - Teaching, Research, Extension, and International, respectively.

<sup>b</sup> Extension Area Agricultural Economists

<sup>c</sup> International Grains Program Faculty

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Subject Area</u>	<u>Appointment<sup>a</sup></u>			
			<u>T</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>I</u>
James R. Mintert	Professor	Livestock Marketing	1	1	8	0
David W. Norman	Professor	International Development	4	6	0	0
Daniel O'Brien	Associate Professor <sup>b</sup>	Farm Management	0	0	10	0
Hikaru H. Peterson	Associate Professor	Marketing, Risk Management	5	5	0	0
Jeff Peterson	Associate Professor	Natural Resources	4	6	0	0
Alexander Saak	Assistant Professor	Industrial Organization	4	6	0	0
Ted C. Schroeder	Professor	Livestock Marketing	4	6	0	0
Bryan W. Schurle	Professor and Head	Production, Risk Management	10	0	0	0
Jeffery R. Williams	Professor	Natural Resources, Farm Management	4	6	0	0
Michael Woolverton	Visiting Professor	Agribusiness Grain Marketing Analysis	0	0	10	0
Tian Xia	Assistant Professor	Applied Econometrics	4	6	0	0

<sup>a</sup> T R E I - Teaching, Research, Extension, and International, respectively.

<sup>b</sup> Extension Area Agricultural Economist

<sup>c</sup> International Grains Program Faculty

## COURSES OFFERED IN 2006

(MAB) = Masters in Agribusiness courses

<u>Course Number and Title</u>	<u>Instructor</u>
105 - Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness Orientation	Hodgson
120 - Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness	Barkley
202 - Small Business Operation	Arata
220 - Grain/Livestock Marketing	Arata
308 - Farm & Ranch Management (also via Videotape)	Burton
318 - Food & Agribusiness Management	Grunewald
410 - Agricultural Policy	Flinchbaugh
415 - The Global Agricultural Economy, Hunger & Poverty	Norman
420 - Commodity Futures	Mintert/Riley
441 - Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness Seminar/Marketing Team	Lehman
445 - Agribusiness Internships	Fox
450 - Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness Problems (& MAST)	Fox/Featherstone/Dhuyvetter
490 - Computer Applications in Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness	Burton/Valentin
500 - Production Economics	Burton/Chacon
505 - Agricultural Market Structures	Biere/J. Peterson
513 - Agricultural Finance	Jones/Lusby
515 - Food and Agribusiness Marketing	Grunewald
516 - Ag Law & Economics	Sheppard
520 - Market Fundamentals & Futures/Options Trading	Arata
525 - Natural Resource & Environmental Economics	Williams
570 - Food Manufacturing/Distribution & Retail	Amanor-Boadu
590 - Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness Honors Program	Fox
598 - Farm Management Strategies	Jones
599 - Food and Agribusiness Management Strategy	Boland
605 - Price Analysis & Forecasting	Schroeder
623 - International Agricultural Trade	Barkley
632 - Agribusiness Logistics	Biere
680 - Risk Management	H. Peterson
700 - Applied Agribusiness Economics (MAB)	Fox
701 - Introduction to Computer Decision Tools for Agribusiness (MAB)	Grunewald
710 - Comparative Food and Agriculture Systems (MAB)	Featherstone
712 - Linear Programming Applications in Agricultural Economics	Schurle
713 - Agribusiness Financial Management (MAB)	Featherstone
720 - Agribusiness Risk Management (MAB)	Williams
730 - Applied Agribusiness Logistics (MAB)	Biere
740 - Seminar in Agricultural Economics Analysis (MAB)	Featherstone
750 - Agricultural Economics & Agribusiness Problems	Fox/J. Peterson
760 - Quant. Methods for Agribusiness Professionals (MAB)	Schurle
761 - Optimization Techniques for Agribusiness (MAB)	Schurle
770 - International Agribusiness and Policy Analysis (MAB)	Woolverton
805 - Agricultural Marketing	H. Peterson
810 - Price/Income Policy Agriculture	Fox
823 - Production Economics II	Langemeier
840 - Intl. Mkt./Ag. Trade	Saak
880 - Agribusiness Industry Strategies	Crespi
890 - Advanced Food and Agribusiness Management (& MAB)	Boland
899 - Agricultural Economics Master's Research (& MAB)	Fox
901 - Research/Methods in Economics	Crespi
905 - Ag Demand & Com. Mkt.	Xia
923 - Econ. Agr. Prod.	Featherstone
925 - Advanced Research/Environmental Economics	J. Peterson
955 - Independent Study for Advanced Topics in Agricultural Economics	Fox
999 - Agricultural Economics Ph.D. Research	Fox

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John Crespi. Western Agricultural Economics Association Award for Outstanding Published Research, 2006.

Allen Featherstone, College of Agriculture, Excellence in Graduate Teaching Award, May 3, 2006.

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