SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Wednesday, July 26th

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm **Executive Committee Meeting**

Thursday, July 27th

10:00 am - 7:00 pm **Registration** - Conference Level 8:30 am - 4:30 pm **RSS Council Meeting** - Nationwide B 8:30 am - 4:30pm Field Trips - Pre-registration Required Amish Country Tour with Rural Policy, Population, Rural Studies, and Rural Racial Ethnic Minorities RIGs Appalachian Center for Economic Networks with SAFRIG Dominican Sisters of Peace Tour with Rural Racial Ethnic Minorities, Rural Poverty, Rural Gender Issues, Applied and Extension RIGs and Diversity Committee 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm **Presidential Address** - Hayes "Does Persistent Rural Poverty and Continued Climate Change Presage a Revival for Rural Sociology?" Thomas K. Rudel, Rutgers University Presidential Reception - McKinley 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Graduate Student Reception - President's Suite

Friday, July 28th

9:00 pm - 10:00 pm

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7:00 am - 7:45 am	Committee Meetings - Conference Level		
7:30 am - 6:00 pm	Registration - Conference Level		
8:00 am - 6:00 pm	Exhibits - Conference Level		
8:00 am - 4:45 pm	Amish Trends and Patterns Mini-Conference - Conference Level		
8:00 am - 4:45 pm	The 2016 Elections: Rural Politics Mini-Conference - Conference Level		
8:00 am - 9:15 am	Concurrent Session One - Conference Level		
9:15 am - 9:30 am	Break - Conference Level		
9:30 am - 10:45 am	Concurrent Session Two - Conference Level		
10:45 am - 11:00 am	Break - Conference Level		
11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Plenary Session - Hayes		
	"The Politics of Resentment: Rural Consciousness and the 2016 Election."		
	Katherine Cramer, University of Wisconsin-Madison		
12:15 pm - 1:45 pm	Lunch (on your own)		
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	3rd Annual Student Speed Networking Event - Nationwide B (Lunch provided) *Registration Required*		

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm	Concurrent Session Three - Conference Level
3:15 pm - 3:30 pm	Break - Conference Level
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Concurrent Session Four - Conference Level
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Diversity Reception - McKinley
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	RSS Business Meeting - Hayes
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Book Launch - Nationwide B
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	RIG Meetings - Conference Level

Saturday, July 29th

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7:00 am - 7:45 am	Committee Meetings - Conference Level		
7:30 am - 5:00 pm	Registration - Conference Level		
8:00 am - 6:00 pm	Exhibits - Conference Level		
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Standardization in the Food System: A Celebration of Larry Busch's Career (SAFRIG) Mini-Conference - Conference Level		
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Diversity Is Not a Dirty Word: Fostering Understanding in Challenging Times Diversity Mini-Conference - Conference Level		
8:00 am - 9:15 am	Concurrent Session Five - Conference Level		
9:15 am - 9:30 am	Break - Conference Level		
9:30 am - 10:45 am	Poster Session - Taft Foyer		
9:30 am - 10:45 am	Concurrent Session Six - Conference Level		
10:45 am - 11:00 am	Break - Conference Level		
11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Plenary Session - McKinley "Vulnerability to Climate-Induced Migration in the Developing World" Clark Gray, University of North Carolina		
12:30 pm - 2:00 pm	Awards Luncheon - Hayes (All Meeting Registrants Welcome)		
2:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Plenary Session - McKinley "Economic Colonization in Rural America: Increasing Vulnerability in a Volatile World" John Ikerd, University of Missouri		
3:30 pm - 3:45 pm	Break - Conference Level		
3:45 pm - 5:00 pm	Concurrent Session Seven - Conference Level		
5:00 pm - 6:15 pm	RIG Meetings - Conference Level		
6:30 pm	Buses Leave for Department Night - 400 N. 3rd Street		
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Department Night Scioto Audubon Metro Park - 400 W. Whittier Street		
9:30 pm	Last bus leaves for Hyatt		

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

Sunday, July 30

7:30 am - 10:00 am	Registration - Conference Level
8:00 am - 2:00 pm	Exhibits - Conference Level
8:00 am - 10:45 am	Standardization in the Food System: A Celebration of Larry Busch's Career (SAFRIG) Mini-Conference
8:00 am - 9:15 am	Concurrent Session Eight - Conference Level
9:15 am - 9:30 am	Break - Conference Level
9:30 am - 10:45 am	Concurrent Session Nine - Conference Level
10:45 am - 11:00 am	Break - Conference Level
11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Concurrent Session Ten - Conference Level
12:30 pm - 2:30 pm	RSS Council Meeting - Nationwide B

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"Rural Peoples in a Volatile World: Disruptive Agents and Adaptive Strategies"

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8:30 am - 4:30 pm Nationwide B RSS Council Meeting

8:00 am - 4:30 pm Field Trips- Buses Depart from 400 N 3rd Street

(Registered Participants Only)

Amish Country Tour

Appalachian Center for Economic Networks

Dominican Sisters of Peace Tour

6:00 pm Hayes Welcome by Dean Cathann Kress

The Ohio State University

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Hayes Presidential Address

"Does Persistent Rural Poverty and Continued Climate

Change Presage a Revival for Rural Sociology?"

Thomas K. Rudel, Rutgers University

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm McKinley Presidential Reception

9:00 pm - 10:00 pm President's Suite Presidential Reception for Graduate Students

Friday, July 28

7:00 am - 7:45 am Taft A Awards and Endowment Committee

7:00 am - 7:45 am Taft B Development Committee

Friday, July 28

7:00 am - 7:45 am	Taft C	Diversity Committee
7:00 am - 7:45 am	Taft D	Rural Studies Series Editorial Board
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8:00 am - 9:15 am		Concurrent Session One
8:00 am - 9:15 am	Taft A	Environmental Change and Adaptation

Moderator: Cornelia Flora, Kansas State University

Sponsored by Natural Resources RIG

Is Seeing Believing? Applying a Realist Framework to Examine Agriculture and Climate Change

Mathew Houser, Michigan State University; Diana Stuart, Northern Arizona University; Michael Carolan, Colorado State University

Nature as Museum: How Socially-Referenced Time Influences Perceptions of Environmental Stability Adam Wilke, Iowa State University; Lois Wright Morton, Iowa State University

Another Avenue of Action: An Examination of Climate Change Counter Movement Industries' PAC Donations

Kerry Ard, The Ohio State University; Nicholas Garcia, The Ohio State University; Paige Kelly, The Ohio State University

Dynamic Delta: Climate Change, Economic Opportunities, and Mitgration in Coastal Bangladesh J. Craig Jenkins, The Ohio State University; Amelie Bernzen, University of Cologne; Boris Braun, University of Cologne

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft B Urban-Rural Dynamics I

Moderator: Greg Fulkerson, SUNY-Oneonta

The Urban-Rural Energy Imbalance: News Representations

Gregory Fulkerson, SUNY-Oneonta

Not So Familiar: Thinking Beyond Rural Stereotypes

Karen Hayden, Merrimack College

Rural Voices: Language, Identity, and Social Change Across Place

Nadia Navarrete-Tindall, Lincoln University of Missouri; Elizabeth Seale, SUNY-Oneonta; Christine Mallinson, University of Maryland-Baltimore College

Does Global Capitalism Have a Future? The Global Rural-Urban Matrix and the Capitalist World System J. I. (Hans) Bakker, University of Guelph

Friday, July 28

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft C Amish Trends and Patterns Mini-Conference

Advances in Amish Studies/Prejudice and Community Perceptions

Moderator: Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University

Amish Demographics: The Strategies behind the Amish Population Profile

Edsel Burdge, The Young Center, Elizabethtown College

Literacy and Language Change in Pennsylvania Dutch

Steven Hartman Keiser, Marquette University

Evaluating Culture and Discovering Boundaries: Non-Amish Perceptions of and Experiences with the Old Order Amish

Kristin Park, Westminster College

The Old Order Amish and Prejudice: Attitudes, Contact, and Discriminatory Treatment

Bryan Byers, Ball State University; William McGuigan, The Pennsylvania State University, Shenango

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft D

Challenges and Opportunities for Working with Rural Demographic Data

Moderator: Virginia James, South Dakota State University Sponsored by Population RIG

Data Inequality in an Evidence Based World: Rural Reliability and the American Community Survey Julie Zimmerman, University of Kentucky; Tony Love, University of Kentucky

Exploring Patterns of Local Agrifood System Organizing and Control in the Southern United States: Methods and Implications for Population Studies and Community Development

John Green, University of Mississippi Center for Population Studies; Jim Worstell, Delta Land and Community, Inc.; Caroline Canarios, University of Mississippi Center for Population Studies; Sydney Bush, University of Mississippi Center for Population Studies; Rachel Haggard, University of Mississippi

Mississippi Health and Hunger Atlas

Rachel Haggard, University of Mississippi; Anne Cafer, University of Mississippi; John Green, University of Mississippi Center for Population Studies; Cliff Holley, University of Mississippi Center for Population Studies

An Exploratory Spatial Inquiry: A History of Slavery in the United States from 1790-1860 Virginia James, South Dakota State University

Friday, July 28

8:00 am - 9:15 am Garfield

WERA-1010: Improving Data Quality from Sample Surveys

Moderator: Bunny Willits, The Pennsylvania State University

Promises and Pitfalls: Experiences and Lessons Learned from Using Commercial Survey Services

Panel Members:

Glenn Israel, University of Florida; Virginia Lesser, Oregon State University; Melissa Constantine, University of Minnesota

8:00 am - 9:15 am Grant

Immigration and Race

Moderator: Jose Luis Garcia-Pabon, Washington State University Sponsored by Rural Racial Ethic Minorities RIG

Full-time Employment among Latino Immigrants: Variation across New Immigrant Destination Types Emily Wornell, Ball State University

Immigrant Assimilation in New Destinations: Co- and Inter-Ethnic Social and Work Networks in New Destinations in Rural Oregon

Emily Wornell, Ball State University

From the Caribbean to Rural America: Understanding the Importance and Role of Contract Workers Jamiko Deleveaux, University of Texas at San Antonio

The Formation of Racial Hierarchies among Latino Agricultural Workers in Oregon Kevin Alejandrez, University of Kentucky

8:00 am - 9:15 am Harding

The Long and Windy Road to College: Rural Contexts and Expectations

Moderator: Mara Tieken, Bates College

Sponsored by Youth, Education, and Rural Vitality RIG

Challenging Both Rural Advantage and Disadvantage Logic: The Effects of Family Factors on Student College Expectations

Xiao Li, Washington State University

Location, Location: How Geography Matters in the Rural Implementation of Early College Programs Ann Allen, The Ohio State University; J. Kessa Roberts, The Ohio State University

Rural College Students' Enrollment and Persistence: Implications for Rural Families, Communities, Schools, and Nonrural Institutions of Higher Education

J. Kessa Roberts, The Ohio State University

Higher Education in the Hinterlands: An Exploration of Private and Public Universities in Nonmetropolitan Counties

Jared Friesen, Manchester University

Friday, July 28

8:00 am - 9:15 am Harrison New Seeds, New Pesticides, New Foods:

Risk Perceptions, Regulatory Policies, Legal Strategies, and Intellectual Property Rights

Moderator: Keith Moore, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University Sponsored by SAFRIG

How Intellectual Property Rights Function in the Seed System?

Chikara Okada, Kyoto University

Transnational Firms and Local Social Movements: Struggling with the Law

Annabel Ipsen, North Central Regional Center for Rural Development

Evaluating the Trustworthiness of EPA Pesticide Regulatory Policy

Analena Bruce, Indiana University Bloomington; Leland Glenna, The Pennsylvania State University

8:00 am - 9:15 am McKinley The 2016 Election: Rural Politics Mini-Conference

The 2016 Elections - How We Got Here

Moderator: Jennifer Sherman, Washington State University

Rurality and Region: Explaining Republican Voting across the U.S.

Paige Kelly, The Ohio State University

The Geography of Class Culture Wars in the 2008 Presidential Election

Lisa R. Pruitt, University of California-Davis

Rural Decline, Moral Capital, and Political Preferences: Lessons from the Rural West

Jennifer Sherman, Washington State University

Sorting by Our Politics: Rural Communities Aren't So Different

Shaun Golding, Kenyon College

9:15 am - 9:30 am Conference Level Break

Join a Research and Interest Group (RIG)

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Friday, July 28

9:30 am - 10:45 am Concurrent Session Two

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft A Agriculture, Adaptation and Technology

Moderator: Joseph Molnar, Auburn University Sponsored by Natural Resources RIG

Science, Risks, and an Emerging Marine Aquaculture Industry in New Hampshire

Thomas Safford, University of New Hampshire; Emily Whitmore, University of New Hampshire

Latino Farmers and Ranchers' Perceptions on Native Plants for Sustainable Agriculture in Missouri Nadia Navarrete-Tindall, Lincoln University of Missouri; Eleazar Gonzalez, University of Missouri

Making Sense of New Technologies: How Symbolic Interpretations and Actor Responses to Renewable Energy Technologies Align

Weston Eaton, The Pennsylvania State University; Morey Burnham, Idaho State University; Katrina Running, Idaho State University; Clare Hinrichs, The Pennsylvania State University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft B

Urban-Rural Dynamics II

Moderator: Greg Fulkerson, SUNY-Oneonta

A Structural Analysis of the Health and Status of Women in West African Nations

Laura McKinney, Tulane University

"Caloric Gravity Wells" and the Evolution of Urban-Rural Systems

Alexander R. Thomas, SUNY-Oneonta

Working Towards Understanding: Social Class and Rural Change

Aimee Vieira, Norwich University

Urban-Rural Systems as Complex Adaptive Systems

Gregory Fulkerson, SUNY-Oneonta; Alexander R. Thomas, SUNY-Oneonta



Friday, July 28

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft C

Amish Trends and Patterns Mini-Conference Health and Community

Moderator: Cory Anderson, Truman State University

Old Order Amish Women and Medical Crises in Depression-Era Lancaster County, PA Katherine Jellison, Ohio University

Folk Healthcare Models and Practices in Anabaptist Subgroups Janelle Zimmerman, Millerville University

Knowledge, Attitudes, Beliefs, and Behaviors Surrounding Breast Cancer among Amish Women: A 10-Year Review

Melissa Thomas, Ohio Health Research & Innovation Institute; David Drees, Ohio Health Research & Innovation Institute; Doretta Thomas, Center for Appalachia Research in Cancer Education; Barb Miller, Center for Appalachia Research in Cancer Education

Making Healthcare Amish: Amish Responses to Genetic Disorders in Ohio and Pennsylvania Sarah Miller-Fellows, Case Western University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft D

Planning and Economic Development in Rural America

Moderator: Michael R. Cope, Brigham Young University Sponsored by Community, Health, and Family RIG

Planning across Generations

Mildred Warner, Cornell University; Xue Zhang, Cornell University

Promoting Regional Economic Innovation: Assessing the Pipeline of Talent Needed in Rural Areas of the Midwest

Lionel "Bo" Beaulieu, Purdue University

Development and its Effects on Poverty Reduction: The Case of Oil and Gas Production in Texas

Joachim Singelmann, University of Texas at San Antonio; Todd Garrard, University of Texas at San Antonio

Friday, July 28

9:30 am - 10:45 am Garfield

Learning, Service, and Programming for Rural Sociology/Interdisciplinary Teaching

Moderator: Jessica Crowe, Southern Illinois University Sponsored by Teaching and Curriculum RIG

Quality Assurance in African Agricultural Education

Keith Moore, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

The Road Will Turn: People's Stories of Job Loss Transition in Rural SW PA

Ramo Lord, Walden University; Colleen Unroe, The Pennsylvania State University

Instructor Perspectives on Incorporating Diversity and Inclusion in Writing Intensive Courses

Caroline Brock, University of Missouri; Ninive Sanchez, University of Missouri

Expanding the Reach of Sociology Departments and the Relevance of Rural Sociologists in Liberal Arts Universities

Anjel Stough-Hunter, Ohio Dominican University; Julie Hart, Ohio Dominican University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Grant

Intersections of Gender, Environmental Justice, and Food Security

Moderator: Emily Wornell, Ball State University Sponsored by Rural Gender RIG

Gender and Agriculture in Western Honduras

Paige Castellanos, The Pennsylvania State University; Janelle Larson, The Pennsylvania State University; Leif Jensen, The Pennsylvania State University; Elisabeth Garner, The Pennsylvania State University

Intersectional Feminist Praxis on Environmental Justice Organizing in Central Appalachia Colleen Unroe, The Pennsylvania State University

The Role of Women's Empowerment in Food Security: A Case Study of a Ugandan Smallholder Dairy Development Program

Carmen Bain, Iowa State University; Elizabeth Ransom, University of Richmond; Iim Halimatusa'diyah, Iowa State University

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9:30 am - 10:45 am Harding

Social and Cultural Interdependencies in Low-Income Communities

Moderator: Eric Freeman, Wichita State University

Sponsored by Rural Poverty RIG

Culture and Experience of the Rural Poor: Interactions, Habits, and Worldview

Elizabeth Seale, SUNY Oneonta

Food Affordability: Assessing Differences across the Rural-Urban Divide

Anne Cafer, University of Mississippi; Michelle Kaiser, The Ohio State University; Rachel Haggard, University of Mississippi

The 2016 Presidential Election in South Carolina Low-Country Promise Zone

Kenneth Robinson, Clemson University; Bruce Ransom, Clemson University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Harrison

From Food Policy Councils to Dairy Cooperatives to Values-Based Supply Chains: Organizational Structures, Values, Goals, Activities, and Outcomes

Moderator: Dara Bloom, North Carolina State University Sponsored by SAFRIG

A Meta-Analysis of Member Satisfaction Studies of U.S. Dairy Cooperatives

Thomas Gray, USDA, Rural Business-Cooperative Service

Food Policy Councils: Does Organizational Type Matter?

Laura DiGiulio, The Ohio State University

Linking Farmers with Consumers: Key Characteristics of Values-Based Supply Chains and Food Hubs in the United States

Keiko Tanaka, University of Kentucky; Heather Hyden, North Limestone Community Development Cooperation; Hikaru Peterson, University of Minnesota; Gail Fennstra, University of California-Davis; Marcy Ostrom, Washington State University

The Changing Face of the 'Traditional Farmer' and the Role of a 'Farmer' Identity

Theresa Groth, The Ohio State University; Eric Toman, The Ohio State University;

J. Gordon Arbuckle, Iowa State University

Friday, July 28

9:30 am - 10:45 am McKinley The 2016 Elections: Rural Politics Mini-Conference

The 2016 Elections - Where We Are Now

Moderator: Shoshanah Inwood, University of Vermont

Panel Members:

Linda Lobao, The Ohio State University; Nicholas Garcia, The Ohio State University; Gregory Hooks, McMaster University; Michele Statz, University of Minnesota; Spencer Wood, Kansas State University; Shoshanah Inwood, University of Vermont; Jason Parker, University of Vermont; Alana Knudson, Walsh Center for Rural Health Policy; Robert Francis, John Hopkins University

10:45 am - 11:00 am Conference Level Break

11:00 am - 12:15 pm Hayes Plenary Session

Introduction

Shoshanah Inwood, University of Vermont

"The Politics of Resentment: Rural Consciousness

and the 2016 Election"

Katherine Cramer, University of Wisconsin-Madison

12:15 pm - 1:30 pm Nationwide B 3rd Annual Student Speed Networking Event

(Registration Required- Lunch Provided)

12:15 pm - 1:45 pm Lunch on Your Own

12:15 pm - 1:45 pm Natural Resources RIG Business Meeting

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Friday, July 28

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Concurrent Session Three

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Taft A Natural Disasters and Adaptation

Moderator: Alan Barton, New Mexico Highlands University Sponsored by Natural Resources RIG

Water Security in a Changing Climate: Flood Risk Management in Pakistan

Imran Khalid, Sustainable Development Policy Institute

Perceptions of Drought and Water Management among Rural Californians

Alexander Heeren, University of California, Merced; Tapan Pathak, University of California, Merced; Martha Conklin, University of California, Merced; Teenie Matlock, University of California Merced

Adapting to Catastrophic Wildfires on Federal Lands: Collaboration, Participation, and Democratic Governance

Alan Barton, New Mexico Highlands University

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Taft B

Accessibility, Rurality, and Healthcare

Moderator: Lisa R. Pruitt, University of California-Davis Sponsored by Community, Health, and Family RIG

Rural Women and Developments in the Undue Burden Analysis: The Effect of Whole Woman's Health v. Hellerstedt

Hannah Haksgaard, University of South Dakota School of Law

The Effects of Limited Transportation on the Insulin Dependent

Jessica Omoregie, University of Texas at San Antonio

Rural Access to Public Recreational Facilities and Population Health Outcomes: A Study of All 100 North Carolina Counties

Karl Jicha, North Carolina State University; Edward Kick, North Carolina State University; Gregory Fulkerson, SUNY-Oneonta; Alexander Thomas, SUNY-Oneonta

Examining the Supply of Neurologists Who Provide Multiple Sclerosis Care: Implications for Rural and Small Town America

 $Stephanie\ Teixeira-Poit,\ RTI\ International;\ Michael\ Halprin,\ RTI\ International;$

Heather Kane, RTI International; Michael Keating RTI International; Murray Olmsted, RTI International

To Recognize the Tyranny of Distance: A Spatial Reading of Whole Woman's Health v. Hellerstedt

Michele Statz, University of Minnesota; Lisa R. Pruitt, University of California-Davis

Friday, July 28

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Taft C

Amish Trends and Patterns Mini-Conference

The Amish Population Research Group

Moderator: Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University

The Demographic Structure of the Amish: Initial Findings from a Near-Census

Cory Anderson, Truman State University; Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University; Samson Wasao, Independent; Corey Colyer, West Virginia University; Rachel Stein, West Virginia University

A Revisit of Parity Changes among the Amish in Northeast Ohio

Samson Wasao, Independent; Cory Anderson, Truman State University; Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University

Solidarity and Commitment across Amish Affiliations

Rachel Stein, West Virginia University; Corey Colyer, West Virginia University

Modeling Future Amish Settlement Sites in GIS

Rachel Bacon, The Pennsylvania State University; Cory Anderson, Truman State University; Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Taft D

Community Satisfaction and Attachment in Rural America

Moderator: Brent Hales, University of Minnesota Sponsored by Community, Health, and Family RIG

"We Made the Choice to Stick It Out": Negotiating a Stable Home in the Rural, American Rust Belt **2017 Ronald Wimberley Student Paper Award

Amanda McMillan-Lequieu, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Distance and Place: The Relationship of Distance and Community Population Size to Community Satisfaction

Matthew McKnight, Syracuse University; Benjamin Gibbs, Brigham Young University; Scott S. Sanders, Brigham Young University; Michael Cope, Brigham Young University

Hometown Community Attachment among Physician Assistant Students

Anjel Stough-Hunter, Ohio Dominican University; Kristi Lekies, The Ohio State University

Place Attachment and Risk Perceptions in Southeast Louisiana

Vanessa Parks, Louisiana State University; Kathryn Keating, Louisiana State University

Friday, July 28

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Garfield

Social Sustainability and the U.S.D.A. Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education Program

Moderator: Wesley Dean, U.S. Department of Agriculture

Organized by Wesley Dean

Panel Members:

Douglas H. Constance, Sam Houston State University; Clare Hinrichs, The Pennsylvania State University; Shoshanah Inwood, The University of Vermont; Jason Parker, The University of Vermont; Keiko Tanaka, University of Kentucky; Spencer Wood, Kansas State University

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Grant

Housing, Infrastructure, and Health in an International Context

Moderator: William McIntosh, Texas A&M University Sponsored by International Development and Studies

A Cross-National Examination of Food Insecurity and Household Location

Amanda Wyant, North Carolina State University

Clean Cook Stoves for Improving Women's Health: Initial Findings from Rural Uganda

**2017 Ralph Brown Faculty Paper Award

Lila Kumar Khatiwada, University of Notre Dame

Improving Access to Care in Rural South and Southeast Asia: Investigating the Potential Role of Motorcycles in Mitigating Barriers to Care

Jonathan Muir, University of Washington

Transnational Tobacco Companies and Changes in Smoking Rates and in Numbers of Smokers across Countries

William McIntosh, Texas A&M University

Farmers' Ability to Adapt to Modern Agricultural Practices in Kenya

Vanessa Rickenbrode, Michigan State University

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Information, Methods, and Facts: Challenges and Innovation in Research and Extension

Moderator: Lionel "Bo" Beaulieu, Purdue University

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Improving Respondent Communications in Mail Surveys: Results from an Experiment Using Address-Based Sampling of Rural Households

Pierce Greenberg, Washington State University; Don Dillman, Washington State University

Knowledge Creation of Climate Change Priorities and Barriers in the Agricultural and Natural Resource Sectors: Perspectives of Research Faculty and Extension Personnel in the Northeastern U.S.

Daniel Tobin, The Pennsylvania State University; Rama Radhakrishna, The Pennsylvania State University

Subdisciplinary Sisters? A Citation Network Analysis of Environmental and Natural Resources Sociology 2000 – 2015

Ryan Thomson, University of Florida

Commuting Patterns across the Rural-Urban Continuum

Xue Zhang, Cornell University

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm Harrison

Agricultural Practices, Environmental Attitudes, Place Attachment, and Sustainable Developments

Moderator: Riva Denny, Michigan State University

Across the Northern Plains: Comparing Environmental Attitudes, Values, and Practices of Ag Producers in the Great Plains Transition Region

Joshua Fergen, The Ohio State University; Jeffrey Jacquet, The Ohio State University; Matthew Barnett, The Ohio State University

Local Food and the Environment: New Findings from a Survey of Midwest Specialty Crops Growers Ethan Schoolman, Rutgers University

Factors Associated with Apple and Wine-grape Producer Interest in Automated Pruning

Leland Glenna, The Pennsylvania State University; Yetkin Borlu, University of Richmond; Maria Fernanda Vivanco, The Pennsylvania State University

A Rural Food-Energy-Water Nexus: Environmental Justice Implications of Community-Based Gardening Programs in Central Appalachia

Elyzabeth Engle, The Pennsylvania State University

Water Quality Problem Attribution in an Agricultural and Amenity Watershed of Central New York Andrea Armstrong, Lafayette College; Richard Stedman, Cornell University

Friday, July 28

1:45 pm - 3:00 pm McKinley The 2016 Election: Rural Politics Mini-Conference

Where to Go from Here: How to Work Together in the Future

Moderator: Brandn Green, Development Services Group, Inc

Panel Members:

Sarah Lloyd, Wisconsin Farmers Union; Doug O'Brien, National Cooperative Business Association; Cruz Reynoso, University of California-Davis, School of Law and California Rural Legal Assistance Foundation; Whitney Kimball Coe, Center for Rural Strategies and National Rural Assembly; Carolyn Robinson, Solutions Journalism Network

3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Conference Level	Break
3:15 pm - 5:30 pm		Diversity Mini-Conference
3:15 pm - 4:30 pm		Concurrent Session Four
3:15 pm - 4:30 pm	Taft A	Environmental Change and Migration Response

Moderator: Brian Thiede, The Pennsylvania State University Sponsored by Natural Resources and Population RIG

Rural Out-Migration and Environmental Shocks in the 1930s

Myron Gutmann, University of Colorado-Boulder; Susan Hautaniemi Leonard, University of Michigan; Kenneth Sylvester, University of Michigan; James Dykes, University of Colorado-Boulder; Angela Cunningham, University of Colorado-Boulder; Jeremy Mikecz, University of California-Davis

Amenities or Disamenities? Climate Migration within the United States

Richelle Winkler, Michigan Technological University; Roland Ofori, Michigan Technological University

Sea Level Rise Induced Migration Could Reshape the United States Population Landscape Mathew Hauer, University of Georgia

Differential Recovery Migration: The Deterring Effects of Population Trends and Natural Resource Based Livelihoods

Katherine Curtis, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Elizabeth Fussell, Brown University; Jack Dewaard, University of Minnesota; Rachel Rosenfeld, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Indicators of Return Migration in the Aftermath of a Natural Disaster: Evidence from Merapi, Indonesia Jonathan Muir, University of Washington; Michael Cope, Brigham Young University; Leslie Angeningsih, Institute for Rural Development AMPD Jogjakarta, Indonesia; Ralph Brown, Brigham Young University

Friday, July 28

3:15 pm - 4:30 pm Taft B

Diversity in Agriculture: Setting a National New and Beginning Farmer Research Agenda

Moderator: Shoshanah Inwood, University of Vermont

Organized by Shoshanah Inwood

Panel Members:

Kathy Brasier, The University of Pennsylvania University; Wesley Dean, USDA-NIFA; Carolyn Sachs, The University of Pennsylvania; Keiko Tanaka, University of Kentucky

3:15 pm - 4:30 pm Taft C

Amish Trends and Patterns Mini-Conference

Agriculture, Business and Education

Moderator: Cory Anderson, Truman State University

Advantages and Disadvantages of Amish Education

Mark Dewalt, Winthrop University; Debi Mink, Indiana University Southeast

The Still-Changing Occupational Status of Amish Males: A Nationwide Profile

Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University; Cory Anderson, Truman State University

Lancaster County Amish Women's Entrepreneurship: Minding their Own Businesses

Beth Graybill, Millersville University

Plain Farmer Dairy Herd Health Management as a Component of Sustainability

Caroline Brock, University of Missouri; Rebecca Schewe, Syracuse University



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3:15 pm - 4:30 pm Taft D

Policy and Perceptions Rural Health Care Challenges of Special Populations

Moderator: Gina Aalgaard Kelly, North Dakota State University

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"The Easy Way Out"? (Dis) Ability and Poverty in Rural Places

Rayna Sage, University of Montana

Place, Age, and the Onset of Impairment

Rayna Sage, University of Montana; Bryce Ward, University of Montana; Andrew Myers, University of Montana; Craig Ravesloot, University of Montana

More than Just Farmers: A Policy Discourse Analysis of How Rural Male Farmers and Their Health Needs Are Discussed in Health Policy and Planning Documents

Bradley Hiebert, Western University; Sandra Regan, Western University; Beverly Leipert, Western University

Challenging Assumptions: Healthy Food from the Immigrant and Refugee Perspective

Mari Kate Mycek, North Carolina State University; Dara Bloom, North Carolina State University; Annie Hardison-Moody, North Carolina State University; Sarah Bowen, North Carolina State University; Michael Schulman, North Carolina State University

¡Salud Rural! Hispanic Health and Health Care in New vs. Established Destinations along the Rural-Urban Continuum

Raeven Chandler, The Pennsylvania State University

3:15 pm - 4:30 pm Garfield

Shale Development Community Engagement: A National Perspective

Moderator: Nancy Bowen-Ellzey, The Ohio State University Organized by Shale Workgroup Community Issue Committee

Panel Members:

Nancy Bowen-Ellzey, The Ohio State University; Myra Moss, The Ohio State University; Thomas Murphy, The Pennsylvania State University

Friday, July 28

3:15 pm - 4:30 pm Grant

Policies and Rural Politics Shaping Opportunity and Outcomes

Moderator: Ann Allen, The Ohio State University Sponsored by Youth, Education, and Rural Vitality RIG

Rural School Closure Today: Efficiency, Academic Excellence or False Promise

Mara Tieken, Bates College

Importance of Early Care and Education (ECE) in Rural Communities

Annelise Hagedorn, The Pennsylvania State University

Obstacles and Opportunities in Appalachia

Jacklyn Hockenberry, Ohio University-Athens; Rachel Terman, Ohio University-Athens; Ted Welser, Ohio University-Athens; Cynthia Anderson, Ohio University-Athens

Recalibrating the Legal Market: Addressing the Glut of Lawyers in Cities and the Dearth of Lawyers Everywhere Else

Amanda Kool, Harvard Law School; Lisa R. Pruitt, University of California-Davis

3:15 pm - 4:30 pm Harding

Changes in Farming, Policy, and Farm Families Over Time

Moderator: Robert Francis, Johns Hopkins University

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Growing Old on the Farm: Investigating the Human Side of Intergenerational Family Farm Transfer through the Lens of Symbolic Capital

Shane Francis Conway, National University of Ireland, Galway

Deregulation is Not a Sustainable Policy: The Case of the Australian Dairy and Egg Sectors

Bruce Muirhead, University of Waterloo

Farming Adaptations in the Face of Climate Change

Rebecca Som Castellano, Boise State University; Jillian Moroney, Boise State University

Connecting Farm Households' Social Needs, Social Policy, and Farm Persistence: A Comparison of Social Safety Nets in France and in the United States

Florence Becot, University of Vermont

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Land Tenure and Agricultural Development

Moderator: Rachel Haggard, University of Mississippi

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Identifying Sustainability: The Measurement and Typology of Sustainable Agriculture in the US

Hui-Ju Kuo, Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica

The Neoliberal Food System and Agency

Michael Miller, Kansas State University

Agricultural Networks and Agriculture Technology Adoption in Central Mozambique

Fridah Mubichi, University of Missouri

The Role of Information Access in the Adoption of Agriculture Inputs

Kathlee Freeman, University of Missouri; Hua Qin, University of Missouri

3:15 pm - 4:30 pm McKinley Diversity Is Not a Dirty Word: Fostering

Understanding in Challenging Times

Diversity Mini-Conference

Strategies for Addressing Diversity in the Classroom: Bridging the Political Divide

Moderator: Douglas H. Constance, Sam Houston State University

Co-sponsored by the RSS Diversity Committee and the Teaching and Curriculum Research Interest Group

Panel Members:

Caroline Brock, University of Missouri; Jessica Crowe, Southern Illinois University; Anjel Stough-Hunter, Ohio Dominican University

4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	McKinley	Diversity Reception
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	Taft C	Community, Health, and Family RIG
	Garfield	International Development RIG
	Grant	Rural Policy RIG

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Harding Rural Studies RIG

Harrison Youth, Education, and Rural Vitality RIG

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Moderator: Conner Bailey, Auburn University

Sponsored by Natural Resources RIG

Landowners and Environmental Justice in the Shale Gas Industry

Dylan Bugden, Cornell University

Impact of Shale Oil Development on Agricultural Land: A GIS Analysis of Land Use Changes

Jon Stika, North Dakota State University; Felix Fernando, University of Dayton

Exploring the Impact of Royalty Owner Associations on Unconventional Oil and Natural Extraction in Kansas and Oklahoma

Amanda Buday, Fort Hays State University

Assessing the Impact of Energy-Related Landowner Coalitions on the Long-term Sustainability of Pennsylvania Farming Communities

Grace Wildermuth, The Pennsylvania State University

The Socio-Economic Impact of Concentration of Timberland Ownership in Alabama

Abhimanyu Gopaul, Auburn University; Conner Bailey, Auburn University

Saturday, July 29

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft B

Health and Disability Issues in Rural Places

Moderator: Donghui Wang, The Pennsylvania State University Sponsored by Population RIG

Fertility, Mortality and Childlessness at Old Age: Evidences from the 1959-1961 Famine in China Donghui Wang, The Pennsylvania State University

How Place Matters: Contextualizing Morbidity and Mortality Disparities in West Virginia Misty Harris, West Virginia University

Place of Work: Assessing Variation in Disability Employment Outcomes across US Counties Nicholas Garcia, The Ohio State University

Childhood Obesity and Rural Disparities: A Spatial Perspective in Rural Context Wei Lin Wang, The Pennsylvania State University

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft C Standardization in the Food System: A Celebration

of Larry Busch's Career SAFRIG Mini-Conference

Technoscience and Development: Organized Panel

Moderator: Keiko Tanaka, University of Kentucky Organized by Keiko Tanaka

Panel Members:

Keiko Tanaka, University of Kentucky; Leland Glenna, The Pennsylvania State University; Tomiko Yamaguchi, International Christian University

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft D Risk and Community Resiliency

Moderator: Jessica Ulrich-Schad, South Dakota State University Sponsored by Community, Health, and Family RIG

Food Security, Health, and Nutrition in Rural Zambia: A Mixed Methods Look at Community Resilience

Anne Cafer, University of Mississippi; Mary Willis, University of Nebraska-Lincoln; Rachel Haggard, University of Mississippi

Social Determinants of Community Resiliency: Findings from the Iowa Small Towns Project

Deborah Tootle, Iowa State University; Stephen Sapp, Iowa State University

Rural Emergency Management: Knitting the Network

Dianna Bryant, University of Central Missouri

Saturday, July 29

8:00 am - 9:15 am Garfield WERA-1010: Improving Data Quality from

Sample Surveys

Contributions and Issues Related to the Use of

Commercial Survey Services

Moderator: Bunny Willits, The Pennsylvania State University

Panel Members:

Alana Knudson, National Opinion Research Center; Ashley Hyon, Marketing Systems Group;

Frank Markowitz, Survey Sampling Inc.; Qualtrics

8:00 am - 9:15 am Grant

Race, Class, and Community Destabilization

Moderator: Dreamal Worthen, Florida A&M University

Sponsored by Rural Poverty RIG

Rural Idyll, Racial Idyll: How Nostalgia and Race Shape the Mobility Patterns and Decisions of People Experiencing Homelessness in Rural Areas

Daisy Rooks, University of Montana

Using School to Bridge Racial, Ethnic, and Class Divides: A Problem in Rural Community Cohesion Eric Freeman, Wichita State University

You Must be Colorblind! Racial Ideology and Community Development Initiatives in the Mississippi Delta Mark Harvey, Florida Atlantic University

8:00 am - 9:15 am Harding

Social Capital, Trust, and Community Conflict

Moderator: Melissa Fry, Indiana University Southeast

Sponsored by Applied and Extension RIG

Why Don't They Come? Working with Latino Immigrants in Uncertain Times – Experiences

Facilitating Latino Outreach Institutes

Jose Garcia-Pabon, Washington State University

Social Capital and the Effects of Climate Change among Small Farm Networks in California's Mediterranean

Climate Zones

Mark Bauermeister, Footbill College

Defining the 'Rural' in Rural Social Capital: Methodological Considerations for Targeted Instrument Design Amongst Sociocultural and Ecological Conceptualizations

Michael Lotspeich II, Baylor University

Saturday, July 29

8:00 am - 9:15 am Harrison Diversity is not a Dirty Word: Fostering

Understanding in Challenging Times

Diversity Mini-Conference

The War on Healthcare: Implications for Rural

America

Moderator: Stephanie Teixeira-Poit, RTI International

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Panel Members:

Loren Anthes, The Center for Medicaid Policy and The Center for Community Solutions; Wendy Patton, Policy Matters Ohio; Scott S. Sanders, Brigham Young University; Brandi Slaughter, Voices for Ohio's Children

8:00 am - 9:15 am McKinley The Global Meat Industry: Thinking about Scale

and Sustainability

Moderator: Elizabeth Ransom, University of Richmond; Bill Winders, Georgia Institute of Technology Organized by: Elizabeth Ransom and Bill Winders

Aquatic CAFOs: Aquaculture and the Future of Seafood Production

Conner Bailey, Auburn University; Nhuong Van Tran, World Fish Center

A Cross-National Analysis of GHG Production Efficiency for Beef, Pork, and Chicken

Riva C.H. Denny, Michigan State University

Are Ethical Obligations Towards Animals Global or Relative? Insights from the Rwandan Case

Robert Magneson Chiles, The Pennsylvania State University; Celize Christy, Independent

9:15 am - 9:30 am Conference Level Break

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft Foyer Poster Session

Conceptual Development of Merger/Cooperation Models: Giving Priority to Participation and Democratic Voice

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Thomas Gray, USDA Rural Business-Cooperative Service, CED

How Do Climate Science Boundary Organizations Matter to Local Climate Policy?

Alexander Hurley, The Ohio University

Leveling the Mountains: The Multidimensional Effects of Mountaintop Removal Coal Extraction Ryan Thomson, University of Florida

Rural Community Recovery and Assistance Following Large Wildfires: A Case Study of the Carlton Complex Disaster

Catrin Edgeley, University of Idaho; Travis Paveglio, University of Idaho

Saturday, July 29

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft Foyer Poster Session Continued

Rural Identity and Business Expansion: Learning in Real Texas Time

Shannon Lane, Sam Houston State University; Elizabeth Ross, Sam Houston State University

Veteran Affairs Information and County Web Site Interface: Outcomes from Grimes County Texas

Shannon Lane, Sam Houston State University; Theresa Tristan, Sam Houston State University

Incorporating Multiple Knowledge Systems into Climate Planning: The Case of Tribal Adaptation Plans Miles Gordon, Ohio University

Community Reinvestment Act (CRA) and Rural Small Business Lending

Michael Lotspeich II, Baylor University; Charles Tolbert, Baylor University; Carson Mencken, Baylor University

Now You See Me: Variations in Teens' Perceptions of Social Issues

Edith Marie Green, Oxford High School

Addressing Ecological-Social Threats through a Community Supported Agriculture Project in an Appalachian Community

Michelle Kaiser, The Ohio State University; Jack Wheeler, The Ohio State University

Social Influence and Consumer Decisions to Purchase Beef

Dalton Richardson, Auburn University; Michelle Worosz, Auburn University

Sustaining a Farm to School Program: Evaluating Good Food for Oxford Schools

Eleanor Green, Oxford School District-Good Food for Oxford Schools;

Caroline Canarios, University of Mississippi Center for Population Studies

Transitioning Central Appalachia to a Sustainable Future: Adapting to New Energy Economies *Jonathan Norris, Ohio University*

Leasing and Royalty Income Household Spending Decisions in the Marcellus Shale Region

Grace Wildermuth, The Pennsylvania State University; Kathy Brasier, The Pennsylvania State University; Tim Kelsey, The Pennsylvania State University; Shannon Monnat, The Pennsylvania State University

Social Science Perspectives on Climate Change, Agrifood System, and Food Security: Visualizing Structures and Finding the Gaps

Yanu Prasetyo, University of Missouri; Mary Hendrickson, University of Missouri

Examining Attitudinal Bias towards Old Order Amish

William McGuigan, The Pennsylvania State University, Shenango

Body Image and Life Satisfaction in Amish Women

Denise Davidson, Loyola University

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9:30 am - 10:45 am Concurrent Session Six

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft A Extractive Industries and Public Perceptions

Moderator: Richelle Winkler, Michigan Technological State University Sponsored by: Natural Resources RIG

Residents' Sense of Place and Views on Oil and Gas Development in the Bakken Shale Oil Play

Jessica Ulrich-Schad, South Dakota State University; Eric Larson, Independent; Felix Fernando, University of Dayton

Rural Resistance and Fracking: The Impact of Community Expectations on (the lack of) Resistance Formation

Timothy Rose, Kent State University

Social Acceptability of Establishing Forest-Based Biorefineries in Maine: Comparing Mill Towns and the General Public

Julia McGuire, University of Maine; Jessica Leahy, University of Maine; James Marciano, University of Maine; Robert Lilieholm, University of Maine; Mario Teisl, University of Maine

The Influence of Extractive Industry Employment on Utah's Views toward Renewable Energy

Eric Larson, Independent; Shawn Olson-Hazboun, Utah State University;

Peter Robinson, Utah State University; Richard Krannich, Utah State University

Using Discriminant Analysis to Predict Support for Oil Industry Regulatory Policy: An Analysis of Survey Data Collected for Dakota Resource Council and Dakota Chapter of the Sierra Club

Curtis Stofferahn, University of North Dakota; Don Morrison, Dakota Resource Council; Cordell Fontaine, University of North Dakota

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft B

Food, Health, and Economy in Rural Communities

Moderator: Mark Bauermeister, Foothill College Sponsored by: Applied and Extension RIG

Motivations for Local Food Purchasing at Midwestern SLACs

Thomas Henshaw, Denison University

Exploring Roles and Impacts of Regional Food Value Chain Coordination

Sarah Rocker, The Pennsylvania State University

Innovative Procurement Models: Connecting Local Food and the Emergency Food System

Dara Bloom, North Carolina State University; Sarah Bowen, North Carolina State University

The Health of Food Assistance Programs in Kansas

Patrick Rissler, Kansas State University

Saturday, July 29

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft C Standardization in the Food System: A Celebration

of Larry Busch's Career SAFRIG Mini-Conference

Politics, Markets, and Values

Moderator: Douglas H. Constance, Sam Houston State University

Sponsored by: SAFRIG

The Constructionist Lift: The Politicization of Agri-Food and Markets in the Theory of Lawrence Busch Alessandro Bonanno, Sam Houston State University

For What It's Worth: The Doctors of Society, Chainsaw Philosophy, the Empire Strikes Back, and Agrifood Futures

Douglas H. Constance, Sam Houston State University

Thinking about the Symmetry between Human and Animal Pharmaceutical Markets in Africa Elizabeth Ransom, University of Richmond

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft D

The Implications of Population Change

Moderator: Jessica Ulrich-Schad, South Dakota State University Sponsored by: Population RIG

Social Change, Out-migration, and Exit from Agriculture

Dirgha Ghimire, University of Michigan; William G. Axinn, University of Michigan; Prem Bhandari, University of Michigan

Past the Peak? New Patterns of Depopulation in Rural America

Kenneth Johnson, University of New Hampshire; Daniel Lichter, Cornell University

Counting Rural Voters: Understanding Political Polarization and Political Participation in Wisconsin Katherine Curtis, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Malia Jones, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Elisa Avila, University of Wisconsin-Madison

The Road Less Traveled: Understanding the Causes and Implications of East-African Female Migration to Canada

Omar Ali, Cornell University

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9:30 am - 10:45 am Garfield

Government, Policy, and Economic Well-Being

Moderator: Linda Lobao, The Ohio State University; Mildred Warner, Cornell University Organized by: Linda Lobao and Mildred Warner

"I'm from the Government and I'm Here to Help": Public Sector Employment and Rural-Urban Well-Being across the U.S., 2001-2012

Gregory Hooks, McMaster University; Linda Lobao, The Ohio State University; Mark Partridge, The Ohio State University; Victor Iturra, Universidad Catolica del Norte

State Policy and Local Fiscal Stress: A Framework of How State Governments Shape Local Government Abilities to Address Fiscal Challenges

Yunji Kim, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Does Fiscal Decentralization Crowd Out Growth? Spatially Varied Impacts of State Policy Yuanshuo Xu, Cornell University; Mildred Warner, Cornell University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Grant

Work and the Microeconomics of Poverty

 ${\bf Moderator:} \ Elizabeth \ Seale, \ SUNY-One onta$

Sponsored by: Rural Poverty RIG

A Theoretical Model for Predicting Asset Accumulation among Low-Income Rural Families

Paulette Meikle, University of Arkansas-Fort Smith; Leslie Green-Pimentel, Delta State University; Hui Liew, Delta State University

Work and Non-work among Rural, Working-Class Men

Robert Francis, Johns Hopkins University

Invisible Laborers as Bodies in Performance: Manual Labor as a Professional Practice in Rural Appalachia Babz Jewell, Ohio University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Harding

Folk Songs as a Non-Violent Protest and Education

Moderator: Ramo Lord, Walden University

Organized by Ramo Lord

Panel Members:

Ramo Lord, Walden University; Colleen Unroe, The Pennsylvania State University

Saturday, July 29

9:30 am - 10:45 am Harrison Diversity Is Not a Dirty Word:

Fostering Understanding in Challenging Times

Diversity Mini-Conference

"Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor, Your Huddled Masses Yearning to Breathe Free": Offer Not Valid for Undocumented Immigrants and Refugees

Moderator: Cornelia Flora, Kansas State University

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Panel Members:

Jhuma Acharya, Community Refugee & Immigration Services; Jeffrey Cohen, The Ohio State University; Jose Garcia-Pabon, Washington State University; Virginia Nunes Gutierrez, AVANZA Business Solutions Ltd., Bottoms Up Coffee Co-Op

9:30 am - 10:45 am McKinley

Opioids in Rural Communities

Moderator: Rhianna Williams, University of California Los Angeles

Organized by Rhianna Williams

Panel Members:

Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University; Molly Bukky, The Ohio State University; Shannon Monnat, The Pennsylvania State University; Doug Bermann, The Ohio State University

11:00 am - 12:15 pm McKinley Plenary Session

Introduction

Brian Thiede, The Pennsylvania State University

"Vulnerability to Climate-Induced Migration in

the Developing World"

Clark Gray, University of North Carolina

12:30 pm - 2:00 pm Hayes Awards Luncheon and Ceremony

2:15 pm - 3:30 pm McKinley Plenary Session

Introduction

Douglas H. Constance, Sam Houston State University

"Economic Colonization in Rural America: Increasing Vulnerability in a Volatile World"

John Ikerd, University of Missouri

Saturday, July 29

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Concurrent Session Seven

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Taft A Extractive Industries and Social Inequities

Moderator: Elyzabeth Engle, The Pennsylvania State University

Sponsored by: Natural Resources RIG

Assessing the Energy Justice Potential of Renewable Electricity: A Review of Current Applications

Aparjita Banerjee, Michigan Technological University; Emily Prehoda, Michigan Technological University; Roman Sidortsov, Michigan Technological University; Chelsea Schelly, Michigan Technological University

Unhollowing Rural America? Rural Human Capital Flight and the Demographic Consequences of the Oil and Gas Boom

Adam Mayer, Colorado State University; Shawn Olson-Hazboun, Utah State University; Stephanie Malin, Colorado State University

The Gap between the Economic Growth Narrative and Individual Economic Benefits in the Marcellus Shale Region

Leland Glenna, The Pennsylvania State University; Kathy Brasier, The Pennsylvania State University; Kai Schafft, The Pennsylvania State University; Grace Wildermuth, The Pennsylvania State University; Tim Kelsey, The Pennsylvania State University

A Multidimensional Reconceptualization of Boomtown Development and its Impacts: Thinking Regionally, Spatially, and Contextually

Kai Schafft, The Pennsylvania State University; Kathy Brasier, The Pennsylvania State University; Arielle Hesse, The Pennsylvania State University

$Coal\,Tattoo: An\,Aerial\,Interpolation\,Model\,of\,Surface\,and\,Mountaintop\,Coal\,Removal\,Mining\,and\,Mortality\,in\,Appalachia,\,1990-2010$

James Pugh, University of Louisville

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Taft B

Rural Production in Transition: Community and Extension Responses

Moderator: Kristi Lekies, The Ohio State University

Sponsored by: Applied and Extension RIG

A Case Study of the Social Impacts of Energy Development in Rural Communities

Cynthia Bond, The Ohio State University

Farm-level Impacts of the EQIP Seasonal High Tunnerl Initiative in Indiana

Analena Bruce, Indiana University Bloomington; James Farmer, Indiana University Bloomington

Low Farm Incomes: Current Impacts on and Responses by Farms, Families, and Communities

Brent Hales, University of Minnesota; Kent Olsen, University of Minnesota;

William Lazarus, University of Minnesota; Pauline Van Nurden, University of Minnesota;

Mary Nell Preisler, University of Minnesota

Saturday, July 29

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Taft C

Standardization in the Food System: A Celebration of Larry Busch's Career

SAFRIG Mini-Conference

Market and Governance

Moderator: Douglas H. Constance, Sam Houston State University

Sponsored by: SAFRIG

Fairtrade Certification: Comparative Innovations and Persistent Challenges in Promoting Global Labor Standards and Worker Rights

Laura Raynolds, Colorado State University

Tyranny of the Margin: Farmer's Perspectives on the Social and Environmental Impacts of Commodity Crop Production

J. Gordon Arbuckle, Iowa State University

Participatory Sustainability Governance: Alternative Ways of Defining, Measuring, and Assessing "Sustainability"

Maki Hatanaka, Sam Houston State University

Financialization, Agriculture and Water Grabs in the Arid West

Jason Konefal, Sam Houston State University

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Taft D

The Effects of Natural Resource Extraction, Consumption, and Management on Rural People

Moderator: Adam R. Driscoll, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse Sponsored by: Community, Health, and Family RIG

Rural Community's Perception of Surface Mining's Impacts on Environment and Quality of Life

Neelam Poudyal, University of Tennessee; Buddhi Gyawali, Kentucky State University; Krishna Paudel, Louisiana State University; Marion Simon, Kentucky State University; Donald Sutcliffe, Kentucky State University

Coal, Shale, and Family through the Boom and Bust: Natural Resource Employment Impact on Marriage, Divorce, and Cohabitation

Michael Shepard, The Ohio State University; Michael Betz, The Ohio State University; Anastasia Snyder, The Ohio State University

Assessing Community-Based Natural Resource Management (CBNRM) as a Mechanism for Enhancing Social Equity and Environmental Protection: A Critical Meta-Ethnography of Qualitative CBNRM Case Studies in the United States

Elizabeth Prentice, University of Missouri; Hua Qin, University of Missouri

Spatial Inequality, Water Abjection, and Water Affordability in Rural America

Stephen Gasteyer, Michigan State University

Saturday, July 29

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Garfield

Acquisition of Social and Economic Capital Amidst Rural Differences and Rural Change

Moderator: Amanda McMillan Lequieu, University of Wisconsin

Sponsored by: Rural Studies RIG

Cultural Themes in Contemporary Rural Dress

Cory Anderson, Truman State University; Anthony Anderson, Truman State University

Does Linking Social Capital Effect Community Participation and Subjective Quality of Life Indicators in Small Towns?

Scott Thompson, Iowa State University

Loss and Reclamation: Economic Re-Purposing of Village Traditions in Western Turkey

Nathan Young, The Ohio State University

Negotiating Foreign Perspectives of Indigeneity in Guatemala: From Holistic Medicine to Hip Hop Elizabeth Bell, Ball State University

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Grant

Gender and Empowerment

Moderator: Rayna Sage, University of Montana

Sponsored by: Rural Gender RIG

Ecotourism, Gender Roles, and Women's Empowerment in Quintana Roo, Mexico

Mayra Sanchez Morgan, Michigan Technological University

Addressing Resilience: Rural Women in NGOs' Development Efforts in Armenia and Georgia

Anna Jenderedjian, Independent; Anne Bellows, Syracuse University



Saturday, July 29

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Harding

Race and Land: Agriculture, Environment, and Tenure

Moderator: Conner Bailey, Auburn University Sponsored by: Rural Racial Ethnic Minorities RIG

Latino Agricultural Entrepreneurship Strategies, Networks of Support, and Sustainable Rural Development in the State of Missouri

Maria E. Rodriguez-Alcala, University of Missouri; Stephen Jeanetta, University of Missouri; Corinne Valdivia, University of Missouri

Pursuing Sustainable Farming and Ranching Production Methods: The Case of Latino Farmers and Ranchers in Missouri

Eleazar Gonzalez, University of Missouri; Nadia Navarrete-Tindall; Lincoln University of Missouri

Heir Property in Two Rural Alabama Communities

James Patterson III, Auburn University

Racialized Nature: Uneven Environmental Justice in the Brazilian Sugarcane Industry **2017 SAFRIG Paper Award

Ian Carrillo, University of Wisconsin-Madison

North Carolina [Un] incorporated: Case Studies in Place Race and Local Environmental Governance Danielle Purifoy, Duke University

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm Harrison

Diversity Is Not a Dirty Word: Fostering Understanding in Challenging Times Diversity Mini-Conference

Countering Utilitarianism and Environmental Injustice

Moderator: Cornelia Flora, Kansas State University

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Panel Members:

Kerry Ard, The Ohio State University; Ellen Eilers, Clean Fuels Ohio; Melanie Houston, Ohio Environmental Council and OEC Action Fund

Saturday, July 29

3:45 pm - 5:00 pm McKinley Rural Resilience in a Globalized World

Moderator: Amanda Flaim, Michigan State University Sponsored by: International Development and Studies RIG

Impacts of Adult Child Outmigration on Rural Elderly: New Evidence from Indigenous Communities in the Highlands of Thailand

Amanda Flaim, Michigan State University; Daniel Ahlquist, Michigan State University; Lindy Williams, Cornell University

Barriers to Repeasantization in an Indigenous Farming Community in Southern Chile Matt Mariola, College of Wooster

The Effect of Intergenerational Transmission of Welfare in Rural Social Endowment Insurance System Hongbin Meng, Shaanxi Normal University and Utah State University;

Eying Chen, Shaanxi Provincial Party School

5:00 pm - 5:45 pm RIG Meetings

Taft D Population RIG

Taft C Sociology of Agriculture and Food RIG

Garfield Senior Rural Sociologists RIG

Grant Teaching and Curriculum RIG

Harding Rural Poverty RIG

Harrison Rural Gender RIG

McKinley Rural Racial and Ethnic Minorities RIG

6:30 pm Buses Depart from Hyatt Regency

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm Department Night

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Music Provided by Flute Cocktail Linda Merchant-Masonbrink

Eugene Braig

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8:00 am - 2:00 pm Conference Level Exhibits

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of Larry Busch's Career SAFRIG Mini-Conference

8:00 am - 9:15 am Concurrent Session Eight

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft A Rural Criminology: Session I

Moderator: Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University

Why Rural Hookers Love Fracking: Deviant Careers and Roughneck Masculinities

Jim Taylor, Ohio University

Places of Hate: Subnational Analysis of Hate Crime Incidents and Places of Victimization

Nicholas Garcia, The Ohio State University; Paige Kelly, The Ohio State University;

Sarah Walton, The Ohio State University

The Criminology of Food and Agriculture

Joseph Donnermeyer, The Ohio State University

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft B

Rural Labor and Finance around the World

Moderator: Debarashmi Mitra, Central New Mexico Community College Sponsored by: International Development and Studies RIG

The Representation of African Farming Labor by Pro-Biotechnology Studies

Yassine Dguidegue, University of Missouri

Taxable Subjects: Fiscal Strategies and Labor Regime Construction

Susan McCabe, Ohio University

Evaluating the Inter-Organizational Nexus in Microfinance and Its Role in Poverty Alleviation in Rural India

Debarashmi Mitra, Central New Mexico Community College

Sunday, July 30

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft C Standardization in the Food System: A Celebration

of Larry Busch's Career

SAFRIG Mini-Conference

Science, Research, and Agriculture

Moderator: Maki Hatanaka, Sam Houston State University

Sponsored by: SAFRIG

International University Strategic Partnerships: Critical for Food, Agriculture, and Natural Resources William Lacy, University of California Davis

Renegotiating the Definition of GMOs: Stakeholders' Demarcations of "New Breeding Techniques" Masashi Tachikawa, Nagoyi University

Agricultural Science, Gender, and CGIAR: Shifting Paradigms and Mentoring a New Cadre of Gender Scholars in Agriculture

Carolyn Sachs, The Pennsylvania State University; Leif Jensen, The Pennsylvania State University

8:00 am - 9:15 am Taft D

Space and Socioeconomic Status

Moderator: Bishal Kasu, South Dakota State University

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Educational Attainment and Income: Examining Patterns and Gender Differences at the County Level in Mississippi

Katrina Alford, University of Mississippi

Transportation Infrastructures and Socioeconomic Statuses: A Spatial Regression Analysis at the County Level in the United States, 1970–2010

Bishal Kasu, South Dakota State University; Guangging Chi, The Pennsylvania State University

Left Behind in the New Economy: The Making of the Rural White Underclass

Martha Crowley, North Carolina State University; Pete Knepper, North Carolina State University Daniel Lichter, Cornell University

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The Influence of Community and Individual-Level Factors on Rural Health

Moderator: Stephanie Teixeira-Poit, RTI International Sponsored by: Community, Health, and Family RIG

Tobacco Consumption in the Rural Context

Raymond Jussaume, Jr., Michigan State University; Ashley Sanders-Jackson, Michigan State University; Robert Rikard, Michigan State University

Cultural Competency in Rural North Dakota: What's Wrong with Underage and Adult Binge Drinking Anyways?

Gina Aalgaard Kelly, North Dakota State University; Erica Ashbough, North Dakota State University

Social-Ecological Model of Factors Influencing Breastfeeding: Developing a Support Intervention in the Mississippi Delta Region

Caroline Canarios, University of Mississippi; John Green, University of Mississippi; Sannie Snell, Right! From the Start; Mobolaji Famuyide, University of Mississippi; Emily Turbeville, University of Mississippi

8:00 am - 9:15 am Grant

Gender, Sexuality, and Identity in Rural Places

Moderator: Rayna Sage, University of Montana Sponsored by: Rural Gender RIG

"Living Unapologetically": LGBTQ + Youth Navigating Rural Communities Robert Baez, University of Florida

Gaining Ground: An Eco-Feminist Investigation into the Lived Experiences of Midwest Lesbian Farmers Anna Ball, University of Missouri

How Rural, Working-Class Men Do – and Don't – Seek to Improve Their Economic Prospects Robert Francis, John Hopkins University

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Youth, Education and the Critical Links to Economic Development

Moderator: John W. Sipple, Cornell University

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Pink Collars, Blue Collars, and College Degrees: How Women's Educational Attainment Connects to Economic Well-Being

Bonnie Bounds, The Ohio State University

Youth Aspirations, Identity, and Demographic Change in Rural Croatia: Implications for Education and Rural and Regional Development

Kai Schafft, The Pennsylvania State University; Sanja Stanic, The Pennsylvania State University; Renata Horvatek, The Pennsylvania State University; Forna Bandalovic, University of Split; Ivanka Buzov, University of Split; Marija Loncar, University of Split; Zorana Suljug Vucica, University of Split

Fracking for Funding: Appalachian Ohio Schools and the Shale Gas Rush

Jacqueline Yahn, Ohio University-Eastern

8:00 am - 9:15 am Harrison

National Parks, Tourism, and Outdoor Recreation

Moderator: Candace May, South Dakota State University

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The Characteristics of Visitors to the Nationally Important Agricultural Heritage Sites in Korea

Soon-Duck Yoon, National Institute of Agricultural Sciences of RDA; Jaiung Choi, National Institute of Agricultural Sciences of RDA; Myeong Cheol Jeong, National Institute of Agricultural Sciences of RDA; Min-Jeong Kwak, National Institute of Agricultural Sciences of RDA; Sun Min Lee, National Institute of Agricultural Sciences of RDA

Recreational Resources Users in South Dakota: Public Lands Use, Access, and Conservation Candace May, South Dakota State University

Long-Distance Hiking Subculture or Subcultures of Place? An Analysis of Hiking Communities on the Appalachian and Pacific Crest Trails

Kristi Fondren, Marshall University; Richard Brickman, Wenatchee Valley College

Rural Tourism and Rural People: The Coproduction of the Tourism Industry and the Exurban Community in Hocking Hills, Ohio

Yuxi Zhao, The Ohio State University; Darla Munroe, The Ohio State University

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9:15 am - 9:30 am Conference Level Break

9:30 am - 10:45 am Conference Level Concurrent Session Nine

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft A Rural Criminology: Session II

Moderator: Lisa R. Pruitt, University of California-Davis Sponsored by: International Development and Studies RIG

Differences in Perceptions of the Likelihood and Barriers to Reentry Success among Rural and Urban Prisoners

David May, Mississippi State University

Time, Space and Policing in Rural America

Lisa R. Pruitt, University of California-Davis

Ecologies of Rural Criminal Justice

Corey Colyer, West Virginia University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft B Perspectives on Sustainable International

Development

Moderator: Cornelia Flora, Kansas State University Sponsored by: International Development and Studies RIG

Sustainable Intensification for Small Holder Agriculture: Systems and Equity

Cornelia Flora, Kansas State University

Biotechnology and African Agricultural Sustainability: A Meta-Analysis of Pro-Biotechnology Studies Yassine Dguidegue, University of Missouri

The 'Climate' of Climate Change – Risk and Resiliency of Agricultural Households in Benguet Province, Philippines

Janelle Perez, North Carolina State University

The Sustainable and Resilient Tanzanian Community (SRTC) Program

Joe Campbell, The Ohio State University; Mary McLaughlin, The Ohio State University; Michael Hagenberger, The Ohio State University; Tony Duke, The Ohio State University



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9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft C Standardization in the Food System: A Celebration

of Larry Busch's Career SAFRIG Mini-Conference

Market Matters: How Markets (Re)Distribute

Income and Wealth

Moderator: Maki Hatanaka, Sam Houston State University

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Backstage Economics: What Must Go on behind the Scenes to Make Markets Real

Lawrence Busch, Michigan State University

On Markets

Raymond Jussaume, Jr., Michigan State University

The Neoliberal Market and Competition: A Critique

Alessandro Bonanno, Sam Houston State University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Taft D

Rural Communities, Migration, and Livelihoods

Moderator: Johann Strube, The Pennsylvania State University

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Environmental Resource Management for Sustainable Rural Livelihoods in Tajikistan

Takhmina Akhmedova, Committee for Environment Protection; Farangis Khamidova, Committee for Environment Protection

Remapping the Rural in 21st Century Ethiopia

Sarah Stefanos, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Pockets of Peasantness as Pockets of Resistance

Johann Strube, The Pennsylvania State University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Garfield

Local Planning and Inequity: Climate Change, Disaster Preparation, and the Social Response

Moderator: Mildred Warner, Cornell University

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What Drives Sustainability Actions by US Local Governments: Disaster Planning or Sustainability Goals?

George Homsy, Binghamton University; Lu Liao, Cornell University; Mildred Warner, Cornell University

Investigating Risk and Rural Wildfire Evacuation Dynamics in Idaho

Catrin Edgeley, University of Idaho; Travis Paveglio, University of Idaho;

Amanda Stasiewicz, University of Idaho

Reducing Vulnerability: Integrating Social Equity into Emergency Plannin

Jeffrey Hartle, University of Central Missouri

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Aspiration, Agency, and Constraint on Rural Life Directions

Moderator: Kai Schafft, The Pennsylvania State University Sponsored by: Youth, Education, and Rural Vitality RIG

The Homecoming Dance: Courting "High Flyers" for Rural Return

Ingrid Nelson, Bowdoin College

Inequality, Agency, and Contested Policy on the Ground: Comparing Education Reform Implementation in New York State for Rural, Suburban, and Urban Districts

Selene Cammer-Bechtold, Syracuse University

Changing Rural Cambodia: Youth and Agriculture

David Ader, University of Tennessee

Scholars from the Hollers: STEM Persistence and Rural Identity

Caitlin Howley, Consultant; Sue Ann Heatherly, Green Bank Observatory; Erica Harvey, Fairmont State University; Gay Stewart, West Virginia State University; Travis Miller, Fairmont State University; Karissa Poszywak, West Virginia State University

9:30 am - 10:45 am Harrison

Natural Resource Management and Collaboration

Moderator: Douglas Jackson-Smith, The Ohio State University

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Assessing Water Use Attitudes and Behaviors among Renters and Multi-Unit Housing Dwellers Matthew Barnett, The Ohio State University; Douglas Jackson-Smith, The Ohio State University

Conditions and Constraints Related to Collaborative Management of Natural Resources in Pennsylvania Colleen Unroe, The Pennsylvania State University; Kathy Brasier, The Pennsylvania State University

Negotiating Wild Animal Damage to Agricultural Production in Japan: Community Efforts to Mitigate Damage and Coexist with Local Fauna

Haruhiko Iba, Kyoto University

The Valuation of the Monarch Butterfly by Market and Non-Market Stakeholders in North Carolina Casey Strange, North Carolina State University

10:45 am - 11:00 am Conference Level Break

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11:00 am - 12:15 pm Conference Level Concurrent Session Ten

11:00 am - 12:15 pm Taft A Responses to Economic and Environmental

Vulnerability in Agrifood and Natural Resource Systems: Case Studies from Asia and North

America

Moderator: Dani Deemer, Food and Nutrition Service of USDA

Sponsored by: SAFRIG and Natural Resources RIG

Mountainous Cultivation: Food, Land, and Agricultural Practices in Rural Kyrgyzstan

Christian Scott, The Pennsylvania State University; Annelise Hagedorn, The Pennsylvania State University; Guangqing Chi, The Pennsylvania State University

Coal Waste, Socioeconomic Change, and Environmental Inequality in Appalachia: Implications for a Just Transition in Coal Country

Pierce Greenberg, Washington State University

"Not in Our Water!" A Stakeholder Analysis of Conflict Surrounding a Proposed Swine CAFO in Northern Wisconsin

Adam Driscoll, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse

11:00 am - 12:15 pm Taft C

International Agriculture and Well-Being

Moderator: Johann Strube, The Pennsylvania State University Sponsored by: International Development and Studies RIG

Is Small Beautiful? Analyzing Farm Size and Coffee Farmer Productivity in Burundi

Andrew Gerard, Michigan State University; Daniel Clay, Michigan State University; Maria Claudia Lopez, Michigan State University

Conditional Dispossession: Credit Use in Turkish Agriculture since the Great Recession

Yetkin Borlu, University of Richmond

Climate Effects on Early Childhood Malnutrition in Sub-Saharan Africa

Brian Thiede, The Pennsylvania State University; Johann Strube, The Pennsylvania State University

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11:00 am - 12:15 pm Garfield

Labor in Values-Based Agrifood Supply Chains Ensuring Supply, Ensuring Social Justice?

Moderator: Larry Burmeister, Ohio University

Organized by: Larry Burmeister

Panel Members:

Larry Burmeister, Ohio University; Sarah Lloyd, Wisconsin Farmers Union; Laura Frye-Levine, University of Wisconsin-Madison; Kelly Maynard, University of Wisconsin-Madison

11:00 am - 12:15 pm Grant

Public Policy, Planning, and Management Playing Out in Real Time

Moderator: Mildred Warner, Cornell University

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Cooperation, Not Cost Savings: Achieving Stability in Shared Service Arrangements

Austin Aldag, Cornell University; Mildred Warner, Cornell University

Tax Credits and Loan Programs for Community Facilities and Economic Development: Developing a Communication Plan and Extension Tools

Lindy Olive, Auburn University; Abhimanyu Gopaul, Auburn University; Joseph Molnar, Auburn University

Just Transitions Law and Community Property Rights

Ann Eisenberg, University of South Carolina

Scale Mismatches in Sustainable Agriculture Management and Policy: Lessons from the Maine Dairy Industry Problemscape

Julia McGuire, University of Maine; Samuel Hanes, University of Maine; Jessica Leahy, University of Maine; Laura Lindenfeld, Stony Brook University; Caroline Noblet, University of Maine

Science as Snake Oil in Rural Development: Peripheries and the Promise of Techno-Capital Shaun Golding, Kenyon College; Monica Brannon, Park University

12:30 pm - 2:30 pm Nationwide B

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