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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Economics ~ University of California, Davis ~ 2002
M.A. Economics ~ University of California, Davis ~ 1999
B.A. Economics / Minor in Mathematics ~ Sonoma State University ~ 1997

APPOINTMENTS & HONORS

Collaborative Research Director ~ [Chippewa Valley Center for Economic Research](#) ~ Fall 2003 – Present
Affiliate Member ~ [Watershed Institute for Collaborative Environmental Studies](#) ~ Fall 2010 – Present
President ~ [Wisconsin Economics Association](#) ~ Fall 2014 – Present
Board Member ~ [Wisconsin Economics Association](#) ~ Fall 2007 – Fall 2014
Faculty Co-Advisor ~ [Beta Upsilon Sigma](#) ~ August 2007 – Present
Faculty Co-Advisor ~ [Omicron Delta Epsilon](#) ~ August 2005 – May 2014
Faculty Co-Advisor ~ Student Economics Association ~ August 2005 – May 2014
Council Member ~ [Eau Claire County Healthy Communities Council](#) ~ August 2008 – May 2013
Board Member ~ Energize Eau Claire County ~ March 2007 – May 2011
Faculty Co-Advisor ~ [Foodlums](#) ~ August 2007 – May 2011

Nominated for Midwest Economics Association 2nd Vice President ~ 2019
Received UWEC Student GRAD-itude Recognition ~ 2017-18
Awarded UWEC Excellence in Mentoring in Research/Scholarship Award ~ 2017
Awarded UWEC International Fellows Travel/Research Grant ~ 2017
Received UWEC Student GRAD-itude Recognition ~ 2016-17
Nominated/Finalist for UWEC Excellence in Mentoring in Research/Scholarship Award ~ 2016
Awarded UWEC Student-Faculty Research Grant ~ 2015-16
Nominated/Finalist for UWEC Excellence in Mentoring in Research/Scholarship Award ~ 2015
Awarded UWEC International Fellows Travel/Research Grant ~ 2015
Awarded Full-Year Sabbatical ~ 2013-14
Awarded UWEC International Fellows Travel/Research Grant ~ 2013-14
Awarded Student Services Certificate of Recognition for Contributions to Students ~ 2009
Awarded Service Learning Excellence Faculty Mentor Award ~ 2008
Awarded Towers North Residence Hall Favorite Professor Award ~ 2008
Nominated for UWEC Excellence in Advising Award ~ 2007
Nominated for UWEC CASE Representative, UW System Professor of the Year Award ~ 2006-07
Awarded Katherine Thomas Residence Hall Favorite Professor Award ~ 2005
Awarded University of Wisconsin Ideas Fellow ~ 2004

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

[University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire, Department of Economics](#)

Professor ~ Fall 2014 – Present
Associate Professor ~ Fall 2008 – Spring 2014
Assistant Professor ~ Fall 2002 – Spring 2008

Health Economics, Principles Microeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Environmental Economics, First Year Experience Microeconomics, Honors Microeconomics and Bundled Learning Community Environmental Economics

[Foundation for Teaching Economics](#)

Program Professor ~ Summer 2004 – Summer 2015

Introductory Microeconomics/Macroeconomics, Poverty Issues, Environmental Issues, Trade Issues

Xi'an University of Post and Telecommunications – Xi'an China

Visiting Professor ~ June 2013 ~ Experimental Microeconomics, 1+2+1 Program Preparation
Visiting Professor ~ June 2012 ~ Experimental Microeconomics, 1+2+1 Program Preparation
Visiting Professor ~ June 2010 ~ Experimental Microeconomics, 1+2+1 Program Preparation

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Children's Fruit and Vegetable Consumption, Public Opinion on Climate Change Issues and Policy, Higher Education Retention, Public Opinion on Health Care Issues and Policy

PUBLICATIONS

Effect of Reciprocity on Public Opinion of International Climate Treaties: Experimental Evidence from the U.S. and China

-With Debapriya Chakraborty, University of California-Davis; Wei Ge, Nanjing Agricultural University; Paul Stroik, Northern Illinois University; James Boulter, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Climate Policy ~ Forthcoming ~ Spring 2019

The Sustained Impact of Teacher Encouragement on Elementary Students' Vegetable Snack Consumption: Initial Findings from a Wisconsin Study

-With Erin Vernon, Seattle University
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Journal of Child Nutrition & Management ~ v.42, n.1 ~ Spring 2018

A Contingent Valuation Study Comparing Citizen's Willingness-to-Pay for Climate Change Mitigation in China and the United States

-With Matthew Winden, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater; Endre Tvinnereim, Rokkan Centre for Social Studies
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Environmental Economics & Policy Studies ~ pp.1-25, November 2017

Tracking the Use of Free Produce Coupons Given to Families and the Impact on Children's Consumption

-With Sydney Chinchanchokchai and Deborah Owens, University of Akron
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Wisconsin Medical Journal ~ v.116, n.1, pp.40-43, March 2017

Support for an International Climate Change Treaty Among American and Chinese Adults

-With James Boulter and Won Jang, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire; Laurie Miller, University of Nebraska-Lincoln; Wen Li Han, Southwest Jiaotong University
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-International Journal of Climate Change Impacts & Responses ~ v.9, n.1, pp.53-70, March 2017

Public Perceptions of Air Pollution & Climate Change: Different Manifestations; Similar Causes and Concerns

-With Endre Tvinnereim, Rokkan Centre for Social Studies; Xiaozhi Liu, Institute of Economics, Academia Sinica
-Climatic Change ~ v.140, n.3, pp.399-412, February 2017

Increasing Fruit and Vegetable Consumption During Elementary School Snack Periods Using Incentives, Prompting, and Role Modeling

-With Lori Bica and Carla Lagorio, University of Wisconsin -Eau Claire
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Journal of Child Nutrition & Management ~ v.40, n.2, Fall 2016

Successes and Challenges in Using Group-Level Incentives to Increase Children's Aggregate Fruit and Vegetable Consumption for Lunch in One WI Elementary School

-With Sydney Chinchanchokchai, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire (University of Akron)
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Journal of Child Nutrition & Management ~ v.39, n.2, Fall 2015

Examining College Student Public Opinion on Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults in China and the US

-With James Boulter and Won Jang, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire; Laurie Miller, University of Nebraska-Lincoln; James Barrett, Sacramento City College Economics; Wen Li Han, Southwest Jiaotong University
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Journal of Environmental Studies & Sciences ~ v.5, n.2, pp.87-98, June, 2015

The USDA Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program: A Case Study of Implementation and Consumption in WI

-With Lori Bica: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
-Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
-Journal of Child Nutrition & Management ~ v.38, n.2, Fall 2014

Comparing Climate Change/Global Warming Awareness, Perceptions and Beliefs of College Students in the US and China

- With James Barrett, Sacramento City College Economics and James Boulter, UW-Eau Claire Chemistry
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Journal of Environmental Studies & Sciences ~ v.3, n.3, pp.269-278, September 2013

USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program Creates Positive Change in Children's Consumption and Other Behaviors Related to Eating Fruit and Vegetables

- With Lori Bica: UW-Eau Claire Psychology
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Journal of Child Nutrition & Management ~ v.36, n.2, Fall 2012

Impact of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program on Children's Consumption

- With Lori Bica: UW-Eau Claire Psychology
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Journal of Child Nutrition & Management ~ v.36, n.1, Spring 2012

Consequences of Uninsurance in Wisconsin

- With Jennifer Johs-Artisensi and Lois Taft, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Wisconsin Medical Journal ~ v.108, n.6, pp.297-301, Fall 2009

Measuring the Impact of a University First-Year Experience Program on Student GPA and Retention

- Higher Education ~ v.57, n.3, pp.373-391, March 2009

A Descriptive Analysis of Health Care Coverage and Concerns in West Central Wisconsin

- With Jennifer Johs-Artisensi and Lois Taft, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Policy, Politics & Nursing Practice ~ v.10, n.1, pp.16-27, February 2009

Preliminary Findings from an Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program in Wisconsin Schools

- With Lori Bica, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire; Amy Meinen, Wisconsin Department of Health & Human Services; Daniel McCarty, Marshfield Clinic and UW-Stevens Point
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Wisconsin Medical Journal ~ v.107, n.5, pp.225-230, August 2008

A Contingent Valuation Study and Benefit/Cost Analysis of the Switch to Automated Collection of Solid Waste with Single Stream Recycling in Madison, Wisconsin

- With Gorm Kipperberg, Colorado State University (University of Stavanger)
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Public Works Management & Policy ~ v.11, n.2, pp.89-103, October 2006

Assessing the Support for the Switch to Automated Collection of Solid Waste with Single Stream Recycling in Madison, Wisconsin

- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Public Works Management & Policy ~ v.10, n.2, pp. 101-118, October 2005

The Efficiency Gains from Site Value Taxes: The Tithe Commutation Act of 1836

- With Gregory Clark, University of California-Davis
- Explorations in Economic History ~ v.42, n.2, pp.282-309, April 2005

CURRENT RESEARCH PAPERS UNDER REVIEW

Examining Teacher Encouragement and Children's Eating and Non-Eating Behavior in a Wisconsin Elementary School Vegetable Snack Program

- With Erin Vernon, Seattle University
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- Wisconsin Medical Journal ~ Under review ~ Spring 2019

CURRENT RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

An Updated Contingent Valuation Study of American & Chinese Willingness-to-Pay for Global Climate Change Mitigation Policies Using 2015 Survey Data

- James Howard, Johns Hopkins University; Wei Ge, Nanjing Agricultural University; Meijuan Wang, Hebei Normal University of Science and Technology; Zach Raff, University of Wisconsin-Stout; Won Jang, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- In progress, **expected submission for review ~ Fall 2019**

A Continuing Examination of Chinese and American Support for an International Climate Treaty in the Context of Reciprocity/Non-Reciprocity

- With Debapriya Chakraborty, University of California-Davis; Wei Ge, Nanjing Agricultural University; Paul Stroik, Northern Illinois University; James Boulter, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- In progress, **expected submission for review ~ Fall 2019**

Comparing Climate Change Views in China and the United States: Evidence from a Topic Prevalence Analysis of Open-Ended Survey Question Responses (2015 data and 2017 data, 2 papers)

- With James Boulter, Won Jang and Christine Kristine Knutson University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- In progress, **expected submission for review ~ Fall 2019**

A Comparative Analysis of American and China Coverage of Climate Talks, 2007-2015

- With Won Jang, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire; Edward Frederick, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater; Wontae Lee, Korea Information Society Development Institute; Youngju Kim, Korea Press Foundation
- In progress, **expected submission for review ~ Fall 2019**

A Continuing Examination of American & Chinese Willingness-to-Pay for Global Climate Change Mitigation Policies Using Contingent Valuation Using 2017 Survey Data

- James Howard, Johns Hopkins University; Wei Ge, Nanjing Agricultural University; Meijuan Wang, Hebei Normal University of Science and Technology; Zach Raff, University of Wisconsin-Stout; Won Jang, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
- Student/Faculty Collaborative Research
- In progress, **expected submission for review ~ Spring 2020**

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Midwest Economics Association ~ Effect of Reciprocity on Public Opinion of International Climate Treaties: Experimental Evidence from the United States and China ~ March 2019

International Climate Change Impacts and Responses Conference ~ A Continuing Examination of International Views on Climate Change Issues and Policy ~ April 2018

Midwest Economics Association ~ The Sustained Impact of Teacher Encouragement on Elementary School Students' Vegetable Snack Consumption: Findings from a Wisconsin Study ~ March 2018

UWEC Research Forum ~ Conducting Student/Faculty Collaborative Research in Economics Using Interdisciplinary Student Teams and International/Community Partners: The Case of Climate Change and Childhood Obesity ~ November 2017

Southwest Jiaotong University, China ~ Multiple presentations and panel discussions on Chinese climate change public opinion ~ June 2017

Wisconsin Economics Association ~ A Continuing Examination of Chinese & American Views on Climate Change Support for an International Climate Treaty and Willingness to Pay for Climate Policy ~ October 2016

Southwest Jiaotong University, China ~ Multiple presentations and panel discussions on Chinese climate change public opinion ~ May/June 2015

Midwest Economics Association ~ A Contingent Valuation Study Comparing Citizen's Willingness to Pay for Climate Change Mitigation in China and the US ~ March 2015

Midwest Economics Association ~ Measuring the Impact of Group Incentives on Children's Aggregate Fruit and Vegetable Consumption for Lunch in Two Western WI Elementary Schools ~ March 2015

Wisconsin Economics Association ~ A Contingent Valuation Study Comparing Citizen's Willingness to Pay for Climate Change Mitigation in China and the US ~ November 2014

UW-Whitewater Economics Department Seminar ~ Assessing Citizens' Willingness-to-Pay for Climate Change Mitigation Policies in China and the US ~ October 2014

Southwest Jiaotong University, China ~ Examining Adult and College Student Public Opinion on Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults in China and the US ~ June 2014

Southwest Jiaotong University, China ~ Assessing Citizens' Willingness-to-Pay for Climate Change Mitigation Policies in China and the US ~ June 2014

Xi'an University, China ~ Examining Adult and College Student Public Opinion on Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults in China and the US ~ June 2014

Xi'an University, China ~ Assessing Citizens' Willingness-to-Pay for Climate Change Mitigation Policies in China and the US ~ June 2014

Jinan University, China ~ Examining Adult and College Student Public Opinion on Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults in China and the US ~ May 2014

Jinan University, China ~ Assessing Citizens' Willingness-to-Pay for Climate Change Mitigation Policies in China and the US ~ May 2014

University of International Business and Economics, China ~ Examining Adult and College Student Public Opinion on Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults in China and the US ~ May 2014

University of International Business and Economics, China ~ Assessing Citizens' Willingness-to-Pay for Climate Change Mitigation Policies in China and the US ~ May 2014

UWEC Research Forum ~ Comparing Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults and College Students in the US and China ~ February 2014

Southwest Jiaotong University, China ~ Comparing Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults and College Students in the US and China: Preliminary Results from Chinese Adults ~ November 2013

Xi'an University, China ~ Comparing Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults and College Students in the US and China: Preliminary Results from Chinese Adults ~ October 2013

Xi'an University, China ~ Observing Fruit and Vegetable Consumption of Children for Snack and Dinner in an Afterschool Program: Exploring the Influence of Healthy Messages, Incentives and Praise ~ June 2013

Xi'an University, China ~ Results from a Survey of Middle and High School Students in the US Regarding Climate Change Awareness and Understanding ~ June 2013

Xi'an University, China ~ Building International Research Partnerships to Compare Climate Change Public Opinion in the US and China ~ June 2013

Southwest Jiaotong University, China ~ Building International Research Partnerships to Compare Climate Change Public Opinion in the US and China ~ June 2013

Jinan University, China ~ Building International Research Partnerships to Compare Climate Change Public Opinion in the US and China ~ June 2013

Wisconsin Economics Association ~ Tools for Teaching Health Care Economics: An Economic Model, Betsy and Gary, a Frontline Documentary and Star Trek ~ November 2012

International Conference on Culture, Politics & Climate Change ~ Comparing Survey Results to Assess Climate Change/Global Warming Awareness, Perceptions and Beliefs of College Students in the US and China ~ September 2012

International Conference on Culture, Politics & Climate Change ~ Comparing Survey Results to Assess Political

Differences in Relation to Climate Change/Global Warming Awareness, Perceptions and Beliefs of College Students in the US ~ September 2012

Xi'an University, China ~ Motivating Children to Eat More Fruit & Vegetables: Availability, Access and Incentives ~ June 2012

Xi'an University, China ~ What Do College Students in the US and China Think About Global Warming? ~ June 2012

Southwest Jiaotong University, China ~ What Do College Students in the US and China Think About Global Warming? ~ June 2012

Sichuan University, China ~ What Do College Students in the US and China Think About Global Warming? ~ June 2012

Jinan University, China ~ What Do College Students in the US and China Think About Global Warming? ~ June 2012

Midwest Economics Association Meeting ~ Comparing Awareness, Perceptions and Concerns Regarding Global Warming Across College Students in the US and China ~ March 2012

Midwest Economics Association Meeting ~ How Does Serving Free Fruit and Vegetable Snacks in Elementary Schools Influence Student Attitudes and Behavior? ~ March 2012

Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ Comparing Awareness, Perceptions and Concerns Regarding Global Warming Across College Students in the US and China ~ November 2011

Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ How Does Serving Free Fruit and Vegetable Snacks in Elementary Schools Influence Student Attitudes and Behavior? ~ November 2011

Midwest Economics Association ~ Using Incentives to Increase Fruit and Vegetable Intake Among WI Elementary School Students ~ March 2011

Jinan University ~ The Economics of Climate Change: A Basic Overview and Survey Results from a Sample of WI Students and Households ~ June 2010

Xi'an University, China ~ The Economics of Health Care & Health Care Reform ~ June 2010

Xi'an University, China ~ The Economics of Climate Change: A Basic Overview and Survey Results from a Sample of WI Students and Households ~ June 2010

Xi'an University, China ~ Evaluating the Impact of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program on Fruit and Vegetable Intake of WI Elementary School Students ~ June 2010

UWEC Research Forum ~ The First-Year Experience Program at UW-Eau Claire: Significant Resources, But Does it Work? ~ November 2009

Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ Panel Discussion: Issues in WI Health Care ~ November 2009

Midwest Economics Association Meeting ~ A Two Year Analysis of the Impact of a University First-Year Experience Program ~ March 2009

Cultivating Sustainable Agriculture Conference ~ Local Food Purchasing: Results from Surveying Colleges, Schools and Households ~ November 2008

Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ A Two Year Analysis of the Impact of a University First-Year Experience Program ~ October 2008

Vietnam National University, Hanoi ~ The Economics of Health Care and Health Care Reform ~ March 2008

Vietnam National University, Hanoi ~ The Economics of Climate Change and the Environment ~ March 2008

Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ Measuring the Impact of a University First-Year Experience Program on Student GPA and Retention ~ October 2007

UWEC Research Forum ~ An Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Pilot Program in WI Schools ~ April 2007

Midwest Economics Association Meeting ~ An Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Pilot Program in WI Schools ~ March 2007

Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ Panel on innovations in the teaching of economics ~ October 2006

Midwest Economics Association Meeting ~ The State Decision to Seek Welfare Waivers: The Role of Social Distance ~ March 2005

Midwest Economics Association Meeting ~ Assessing the Support for the Switch to Automated Collection of Solid Waste with Single Stream Recycling in Madison, WI ~ March 2005

OTHER PRESENTATIONS

Eau Claire Unitarian Church Panel Discussion ~ Community Exchange on Climate Change Issues ~ May 2019

UWEC Watershed Institute Environmental Studies Guest Lecture ~ A Continuing Examination of American and Chinese Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ March 2019

UWEC Chemistry Honors Guest Lecture ~ A Continuing Examination of American and Chinese Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ May 2018

UWEC Chemistry Honors Discussion ~ Exploring International Climate Change Policy Negotiations ~ April 2018

UWEC Watershed Institute Environmental Studies Guest Lecture ~ A Continuing Examination of American and Chinese Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ March 2018

UWEC Honors Program Dinner with a Professor: A Continuing Examination of International Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ November 2017

UWEC Honors Program Dinner with a Professor: An Ongoing Examination of How to Motivate Children to Eat More Fruits and Vegetables ~ November 2017

UWEC Continuing Education Climate Change Guest Lecture: Observations Regarding International Climate Change Treaty/Policy Negotiations ~ October 2017

Wisconsin Climate Table Community Meeting: A Continuing Examination of International Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ October 2017

UWEC Author's Celebration ~ Presentation of two published articles on international climate change views to celebrate collective scholarly work of UWEC faculty/staff ~ October 2017

UWEC College of Arts & Sciences Retreat: Panel Presentation/Discussion on Student/Faculty Collaborative Research ~ August 2017

Eau Claire County Public Health Department: Using Encouragement to Influence Children's Consumption in an Elementary School Vegetable Snack Program ~ May 2017

UWEC Watershed Institute Environmental Studies Guest Lecture ~ A Continuing Examination of American and Chinese Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ March 2017

Eau Claire County Public Health Department: Research Overview: Motivating Children to Eat More Fruits and Vegetables ~ June 2016

UWEC Honors Program Dinner with a Professor: Motivating Low Income Pre-School Children to Eat More Fruits & Vegetables ~ April 2016

UWEC Watershed Institute Environmental Studies Guest Lecture ~ A Continuing Examination of American and Chinese Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ March 2016

UWEC Honors Program Dinner with a Professor: A Continuing Examination of American and Chinese Views on Climate Change Issues and Climate Change Policy ~ February 2016

UWEC Psychology Department Seminar: Exploring ways to Increase Children's Fruit and Vegetable Consumption ~ September 2016

UWEC Communications & Journalism Guest Lecture ~ Assessing Climate Change Views in the US and China ~ April 2015

UWEC Watershed Institute Environmental Policy Guest Lecture ~ Assessing Climate Change Views in the US and China ~ March 2015

UWEC Honors Chemistry Guest Lecture ~ Comparing Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults and College Students in the US and China ~ April 2014

UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ Assessing Citizens' Willingness-to-Pay for Climate Change Mitigation Policies in China and the US ~ April 2014

UWEC Honors Program Dinner with a Professor: Comparing Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults and College Students in the US and China ~ March 2014

University of Wisconsin Extension: Hunger Prevention Coalition Meeting ~ Assessing Fruit and Vegetable Intake of Children in an Afterschool Program ~ December 2013

Climate Change: A Common Sense Exchange, Eau Claire Public Library ~ Discussion Facilitator ~ April 2013

Chippewa Valley Learning in Retirement ~ Examining Ways to Get WI Elementary School Children to Eat More Fruit and Vegetables ~ April 2012

UWEC Environmental Chemistry Guest Lecture ~ Pollution Permits and Climate Change Survey Results ~ Spring 2012

UWEC Chemistry and Climate Guest Lecture ~ Pollution Permits and Climate Change Survey Results ~ Winterim 2012

UWEC Chemistry and Climate Guest Lecture ~ Pollution Permits and Climate Change Survey Results ~ Fall 2011

UWEC Conservation of the Environment Guest Lecture ~ Pollution Permits and Climate Change Survey Results ~ Fall 2011

UWEC Honors Program Dinner with a Professor ~ Global Warming Survey Results: Comparing the Perceptions of College Students Across Regions of the US and China ~ November 2011

UWEC College of Education Guest Lecture ~ Is Capitalism Good for the Poor? ~ Fall 2011

Jumpstart Downtown Eau Claire Business Award Ceremony Keynote Address ~ The Local, State and National Economic Situation After the Great Recession ~ September 2011

Chippewa Valley Learning in Retirement ~ The Economics of Health Care and Health Care Reform ~ September 2011

Chippewa Valley Learning in Retirement ~ Global Warming Survey Results: Comparing the Viewpoints of College Students Across Regions of the US and China ~ May 2011

UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ Global Warming Perceptions: Comparing the Viewpoints of US and Chinese College Students ~ May 2011

UWEC Let's Do Lunch Series ~ The Economics of Health Care and Health Care Reform ~ January 2011

UWEC Honors Program Lunch with a Professor ~ Motivating Elementary School Students to Eat More Fruit & Vegetables ~ November 2010

UWEC Let's Do Lunch Series ~ Global Warming Survey Results: What Do UWEC Students and Chippewa Valley Households Think About Global Warming and Global Warming Policy? ~ October 2010

UWEC Author's Celebration ~ Presentation of two published articles on health care and health care reform to celebrate collective scholarly work of UWEC faculty/staff ~ October 2010

Eau Claire County Healthy Communities Council Meeting ~ Evaluating the Impact of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program on Fruit and Vegetable Intake of WI Elementary School Students ~ September 2010

Guest Lecture Biology Senior Seminar ~ Evaluating the USDA Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program ~ October 2009

Chippewa County Medical Society Meeting ~ The Economics of Health Care & Health Care Reform ~ August 2009

Unitarian Universalist Congregation Forum ~ Child Health and Nutrition: Evidence from An Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program in Eau Claire Elementary Schools ~ August 2009

UWEC Earth Month Panel Discussion ~ Interesting Perspectives on Climate Change: The Science, the Ethics and the Economics ~ April 2009

Eau Claire Area Chamber of Commerce Health Care Committee ~ A Descriptive Analysis of Health Care Coverage and Concerns in West Central WI ~ March 2009

Eau Claire County Healthy Communities Council Meeting ~ A Descriptive Analysis of Health Care Coverage and Concerns in West Central WI ~ March 2009

UWEC Let's Do Lunch Series ~ College Food Purchasing: Local or Not? ~ April 2008

UWEC Health Care Forum ~ A Descriptive Analysis of Health Care Coverage and Concerns in West Central WI ~ April 2008

UWEC Brownbag Seminar (Local Foods Week) ~ Results From Farm-to-College and Farm-to-School Surveys in Wisconsin ~ April 2008

UWEC Author's Celebration ~ Presentation of two published articles on recycling to celebrate collective scholarly work of UWEC faculty/staff ~ October 2007

UWEC Let's Do Lunch Series ~ Childhood Obesity, School Nutrition & the WI Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program ~ Summer 2007

Eau Claire's Promise Community Action Forum ~ Panel on childhood obesity and schools ~ Spring 2007

UWEC Honors Program Breakfast with a Professor ~ Childhood Obesity and School Health, Nutrition and Wellness ~ Fall 2006

Synergy 2006 ~ Panel discussion on affordable health care ~ Fall 2006

UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ The State Decision to Seek Welfare Waivers: The Role of Social Distance ~ Spring 2005

UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ Assessing the Support for the Switch to Automated Collection of Solid Waste with Single Stream Recycling in Madison, WI. ~ Spring 2005

Northwestern Bank Business Luncheon ~ Wages and Cost of Living in the Chippewa Valley ~ Spring 2005

UWEC Honors Program Breakfast with a Professor ~ State Budgets and Child Care Programs ~ Fall 2004

Wisconsin Workforce Development Department ~ Chippewa Valley Economic Outlook ~ Fall 2004

Chippewa Valley Home Builders Association ~ Chippewa Valley Economic Outlook ~ Spring 2004

UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley ~ Fall 2003

Synergy 2003 ~ Panel discussion on Chippewa Valley Economy ~ Fall 2003

STUDENT/FACULTY COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH & INDEPENDENT STUDY PROJECTS

2019-2020 Projects

Project: Examining Fruit & Vegetable Purchases of SNAP and WIC Participants Including Farmers' Market Purchases

Students: Karlien Asplund, Ethan Blaney, Olivia Jonasen, Zach Ledwith, Katelyn Rekin, Hailey Reynolds, Eli Rubin-Calvert, Shelly Stephani and Nevada Sweitzer

-Oral Presentation: (3) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ **November 2019 ~ Forthcoming**

-Oral/Poster Presentation (multiple) ~ **April/May 2019 ~ Forthcoming**

Project: International Comparisons of Public Views on Climate Change and Climate Change Policy

Students: Michelle Beh, Clayton Cavanaugh, Elise Chapin, Maddie Culhane, Savanna Grunzke, Angela Hugunin, Sakumi Kawamoto, Chloe Knuth, Caleb Kulich, Eric Mallmann, Trung Nguyen and Zhi Yee Teh

- Oral Presentation: (4) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ **November 2019 ~ Forthcoming**
- Oral/Poster Presentation (multiple) ~ **April/May 2019 ~ Forthcoming**

2018-2019 Projects

Project: Examining Fruit & Vegetable Purchases of SNAP and WIC Participants Including Farmers' Market Purchases

Students: Jake Arneson, Jared Fogarty, Nathan Gilger, Emma Halverson, Olivia Jonasen, Ben Miller, Rivin Perinchery, Kelly Schneider, Levi Soborowicz, Shelly Stephani and Nevada Sweitzer

- Oral Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ May 2019
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ May 2019
- Oral Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2019
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2019
- Oral Presentation: (2) National Council for Undergraduate Research Conference ~ April 2019
- Oral Presentation: (3) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ October 2018

Project: International Comparisons of Public Views on Climate Change and Climate Change Policy

Students: Connor Adams, Michelle Beh, Clayton Cavanaugh, Elise Chapin, Dara Coker, Will Guenther, Austin Holmes, Angela Hugunin, Eric Mallmann, Andrew Moran, Carly Morris, Trung Nguyen and Lily Strehlow

- Oral Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ Forthcoming ~ May 2019
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ May 2019
- Oral Presentation: (3) Vassar College Conference on Asia and the Environment ~ April 2019
- Oral Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2019
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2019
- Oral Presentation: (2) National Council for Undergraduate Research Conference ~ April 2019
- Oral Presentation: (3) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ October 2018

2017-2018 Projects

Project: Examining Fruit & Vegetable Purchases of SNAP and WIC Participants Including Farmers' Market Purchases

Students: Jake Arneson, Jared Fogarty, Nathan Gilger, Emma Halverson, Olivia Jonasen, Katelyn Kleutsch, Shinhoo Park, Ashley Ramaker, Selena Scheller, Allison Schneider, Kelly Schneider and Levi Soborowicz

- Oral Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2018
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ May 2018
- Oral Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2018
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2018
- Oral Presentation: (2) National Council for Undergraduate Research Conference ~ April 2018
- Oral Presentation: (3) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2017

Project: International Comparisons of Public Views on Climate Change and Climate Change Policy

Students: Connor Adams, Dara Coker, Kayla Coonen, Cora Cornett, Zhixin Fang, Austin Holmes, Andrew Moran, Ashley Pike, Anastasia Rauland and Lily Strehlow

- Oral Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2018
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ May 2018
- Oral Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2018
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2018
- Oral Presentation: (2) National Council for Undergraduate Research Conference ~ April 2018
- Oral Presentation: (3) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2017

2016-2017 Projects

Project: Assessing the Impact of an Elementary School Vegetable Snack Program

Students: Josh Bodnar, Isabel Chmielewska, Lily Cook, Jared Fogarty, Jake Johnston, Kjirstin Martell, Shinhoo Park, Matthew Pergolski, Selena Scheller and Levi Soborowicz

- Oral Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2017
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ May 2017
- Oral Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2017
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2017
- Oral Presentation: (2) National Council for Undergraduate Research Conference ~ April 2017
- Oral Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ October 2016

Project: International Comparisons of Public Views on Climate Change and Climate Change Policy

Students: Kayla Coonen, Paul Cooper, Cora Cornett, Ryan Hammer, Hunter Hermes, Austin Holmes, Tung Nguyen, Ashley Pike, Anastasia Rauland, Helue Vazquez Valverde and Dylan Wilson

- Oral Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2017
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ May 2017
- Oral Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2017
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2017
- Oral Presentation: (2) National Council for Undergraduate Research Conference ~ April 2017
- Oral Presentation: (2) Bard College Conference on Asia and the Environment ~ April 2017
- Oral Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ October 2016

2015-2016 Projects

Project: Increasing Children's Fruit and Vegetable Consumption in Elementary Schools and Pre-Schools and at Home

Students: Josh Bodnar, Lorena Garceau, Anna Hamer, Joe Hunt, Zhiwen Leong, Kjirstin Martell, Ryan Mikula, Matthew Pergolski, Lucy Ramquist, Levi Soborowicz

- Oral Presentation: (2) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ April 2016
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2016
- Oral Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2016
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2016
- Poster Presentation: (1) Posters in the Rotunda – WI State Capitol ~ April 2016
- Oral Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ October 2015

Project: Assessing Public Views on Climate Change and Climate Change Policy in the United States and China

Students: Paul Cooper, Brittany Flaherty, David Hahn, Ryan Hammer, Hunter Hermes, Emily Koehn, Tung Nguyen, Greg Sikowski and Helue Vazquez Valverde

- Oral Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ April 2016
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2016
- Poster Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2016
- Oral Presentation: (3) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2016
- Oral Presentation: (2) Bard College Conference on Asia and the Environment ~ April 2016
- Oral Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ October 2015

2014-2015 Projects

Project: Investigating Children's Food Choices and Fruit and Vegetable Consumption for School Lunch

Students: Alex Brault, Tiffany Christner, Alaina Culbertson, Nick Douglass, Mitchell Fischer, Jisu Kim, Emily Koehn, Aaron Lickel, Zhiwen Leong, Jon Pumper and Lucy Ramquist

- Oral Presentation: (2) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2015
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2015
- Oral Presentation: (2) UW-System Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2015
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2015
- Oral Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2014

Project: Comparing Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults and College Students in the United States and China

Students: Brittany Flaherty, David Hahn, Hunter Hermes, Joy Larson, Shawn Peterson, Greg Sikowski and Helue Vazquez Valverde

- Poster Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Science and Technology Research Symposium ~ July 2015
- Oral Presentation: (2) UW-Eau Claire Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2015
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW-Eau Claire Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2015
- Oral Presentation: (2) UW-System Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2015
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2015
- Oral Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2014

Fall 2014 Projects

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Sara Fisher, Brittany Flaherty, Sam Gullerud, Yining Li, Rachel Pratt, Jacob Staszak, Trenten Stefonek and Daniel Steiner

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Ben Halliday, Jisu Kim, Patrick Lemke, Jacob Raleigh, Ryan Schorbahn and Able Tan

Spring 2014 Projects

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Alyssa Dalsky, Sara Fisher, Sam Levitus, James Markert, Scott Olson, Daniel Steiner and Madeline Thun
-Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2014

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Oyunsuren Enkhbat, Ryan Halliday, Jisu Kim, Patrick Lemke and Jacob Raleigh,
-Poster Presentations (2): UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2014

2013-2014 Projects

Project: Observing the Impact of Incentives on Children's Food Choices in an Afterschool Program

Students: Tiffany Christner, Nick Douglass, Mitchell Fischer, Stephen Fisher, Lydia Harrer, Laine Hoffman, Jisu Kim, Aaron Lickel, Jon Pumper and Lucy Ramquist

- Oral Presentation: (2) UWEC Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2014
- Poster Presentation: (2) UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2014
- Oral Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2014
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2014
- Oral Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2013

Project: Comparing Climate Change Public Opinion of Adults and College Students in the United States and China

Students: David Hahn, Elora Leene, Emy Marier, Wesley Meives and Helue Vazquez Valverde

- Poster Presentation: (3) UWEC Celebration of Environmental Studies/Sciences Research ~ May 2014
- Oral Presentation: (2) UWEC Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2014
- Poster Presentation: (2) UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research ~ April 2014 ~ International Research Award
- Poster Presentation: (2) Wisconsin Lakes Partnership Convention ~ April 2014
- Oral Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2014
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research ~ April 2014 ~ Outstanding Presentation
- Poster Selected Honorable Mention: Posters on Capitol Hill, Washington, DC ~ April 2014
- Poster Presentation Posters in the Rotunda, UW-System, Honorable Mention ~ March 2014

2012-2013 Projects

Project: Observing the Impact of Incentives on Children's Food Choices in an Afterschool Program

Students: Tiffany Christner, Mitchell Fischer, Stephen Fisher, Lydia Harrer, Laine Hoffman, Kevin Reinhold and Laurelyn Wieseman

- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research/Creative Activity ~ May 2013
- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2013
- Oral Presentations: (2) Council on Undergraduate Research National Conference ~ April 2013
- Oral Presentations: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2012

Project: Global Warming Perceptions: What do Middle School and High School Students Think?

Students: Mahmoud Ahmed, Drew Christensen, Elora Leene, Emy Marier, Wesley Meives and Daniel Putman

- Oral Presentation: UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research/Creative Activity ~ May 2013
- Oral Presentation: UWEC Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2013
- Oral Presentation: Council on Undergraduate Research National Conference ~ April 2013
- Oral Presentations: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2012

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Michael Dabat, Sam Falls, Sara Fisher, James Markert and Tony Navara

- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research/Creative Activity ~ May 2013

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Caleb Butera, Oyunsuren Enkhbat, Ryan Halliday, Chaid Przybelski, Jacob Raleigh, Jeremy Schmitt, Ryan Schorbahn, Ben Streeter and Jay Tsogtbaatar

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Celebration of Excellence in Research/Creative Activity ~ May 2013

2011-2012 Projects

Project: Increasing the Fruit and Vegetable Consumption of Wisconsin Children: What Works?

Students: Tyler Christiansen, Judy Dickinson, Stephen Fisher, Laine Hoffman, Stephanie Mabrey, Kevin Reinhold, April Ross and Laurelyn Wieseman

- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2012
- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2012 ~ **1st Place, Other Social Sciences**
- Oral Presentations: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2012
- Poster Presentations: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2012
- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ April 2012
- Poster Selected Honorable Mention: Posters on Capitol Hill, Washington, DC, April 2012
- Oral Presentations: (3) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2011
- Oral Presentations: (3) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ November 2011

Project: Global Warming Perceptions: Comparing the Viewpoints of Chinese and U.S. College Students

Students: Chris Brown, Drew Christensen, Joy Larson, Elora Leene, Ben Ponkratz, Daniel Putman, Brittany Whited and Amy Zagar

- Oral Presentations: UWEC Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2012
- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2012
- Oral Presentations: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2012
- Poster Presentations: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2012
- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ April 2012
- Oral Presentations: (3) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ November 2011
- Oral Presentations: (3) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ November 2011

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Michael Dabat, Samantha Faber, Daniel Hartson, Tony Navara, John Pepler and Justin Prah

- Poster Presentations: (3) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2012

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Lauren Buxton, Matthew Porwoll, Chaid Przybelski, Jeremy Schmitt, Ben Streeter and Jay Tsogtbaatar

- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2012

2010-2011 Projects

Project: Exploring Ways to Increase the Fruit and Vegetable Intake of Wisconsin Children

Students: Tyler Christiansen, Laine Hoffman, Kevin Reinhold, Liz Reinke, April Ross, Laurelyn Wieseman and Aaron Wingad

- Oral Presentations: UWEC Provost Research Symposium ~ May 2011
- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ May 2011
- Oral Presentations: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2011
- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ April 2011
- Oral Presentations: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ December 2010
- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2010

Project: Global Warming/Climate Change Project

Students: Isaac Borofka-Webb, Drew Christensen, Joy Larson, Ben Ponkratz and Matthew Sackmann

- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ May 2011
- Oral Presentations: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2011
- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ April 2011
- Oral Presentations: (2) Wisconsin Economics Association Meeting ~ December 2010
- Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2010

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Stephen Fisher, Ben Heidke, Pippa Mansdorf, John Pepler, Justin Prah and Ben Streeter

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ May 2011
- Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2010

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Lauren Buxton, Zach Hines, Eric Nohelty, Matthew Porwoll and Brian Wood

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ May 2011
- Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2010

Project: The Recessionary Impact on Funding and Demand for Services for the Chippewa Valley Free Health Clinic

Student: Dan Smith

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ May 2011

Project: Effects of Health Indicators on Wage Differentials, Employment, and Employer Discrimination

Student: Justin Mork

-With Professor Wayne Carroll

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ May 2011

2009-2010 Projects

Project: An Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program in Eau Claire Elementary Schools

Students: Blake Barnes, Amber Jamelske, Bryan Reinhold, Kevin Reinhold and Liz Reinke

-Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2010 ~ **2nd Place in the Behavioral Social Sciences**

-Oral Presentation: UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity ~ April 2010

-Oral Presentation: Wisconsin Economics Association ~ November 2009

Project: What do UWEC Students and Chippewa Valley Residents Think About Global Warming?

Students: Isaac Borofka-Webb, Nick Kuqali, Ben Ponkratz, Matthew Sackmann and Paul Stroik

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2010

-Oral Presentation: UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity ~ April 2010

-Oral Presentation Economics Department Seminar ~ April 2010

-Oral Presentation: Wisconsin Economics Association ~ November 2009

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Drew Christensen, Jared Farmer, Thomas Michels, April Ross and Laurelyn Wieseman

-Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2010 ~ **5th Place in the Behavioral Social Sciences**

-Oral Presentations: (2) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2009

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Alex Brueggen, Zach Hines, Eric Nohelty, Matthew Porwoll, Alex Trow, Brian Wood and Ben Ziemann

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2010

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2009

2008-2009 Projects

Project: An Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program in Eau Claire Elementary Schools

Students: Kathryn Glodowski, William Hendricks, Amber Jamelske, Beth Lutz and Ellie Lutz

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2009 ~ **1st Place in the Behavioral Social Sciences**

-Poster Presentation: Posters in the Rotunda, Wisconsin Capitol ~ April 2009

-Oral Presentation: Wisconsin Economics Association ~ October 2008

Project: An Analysis of Local/Regional Food Systems in Western Wisconsin

Students: Isaac Borofka-Webb, Jared Farmer, Corey Hilber, Jared Koerten, Ellie Lutz, Bryan Reinhold and Anne Werner (Partnership with UW Extension Chippewa and Barron Counties)

-Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2009

-Poster Presentations: (2) WI Local Food Summit ~ January 2009

-Oral Presentation: Menu for the Future ~ Eau Claire Library ~ December 2008

-Oral and Poster Presentation: Cultivating Sustainable Agriculture Conference ~ November 2008

-Oral Presentation: Wisconsin Economics Association ~ October 2008

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Erik Amend, Blake Barnes, Ross Hewitt, Mark Lund, Adam Meyer, Thomas Michels, Dustin Moltz and Justin Roettger

-Poster Presentations: (3) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2009

-Oral Presentations: (3) UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2008

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Alex Brueggen, David Hennick, Ryan Tessmer, Alex Trow and Ben Ziemann

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2009

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ February 2009

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2008

2007-2008 Projects

Project: An Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program in WI Schools

Students: Anjali Anand Kathryn Glodowski, Brandon Lauersdorf and Beth Lutz

- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2008
- Oral Presentation: UW Symposium Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2008
- Oral Presentation: Wisconsin Economics Association ~ October 2007

Project: A Quantitative & Qualitative Analysis of Health Care Coverage & Concerns in Western WI

Students: Kathy German, Ian Hansen McKenzie Johnson and Carleigh Nelson

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2008
- Poster Presentation: UW Symposium Undergraduate Research/Creative Activity ~ April 2008
- Oral Presentation: Wisconsin Economics Association ~ October 2007
- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2007

Project: An Analysis of Local/Regional Food Systems in Western Wisconsin

Students: Julie Baewer, Isaac Borofka-Webb, Christina Hansen, Corey Hilber, Jared Koerten, Ellie Lutz, Jodi Nueman, Jenna Pultz and Matthew Rick (Partnership with UW Extension Chippewa and Barron Counties)

- Poster Presentations: (2) WI Local Food Summit ~ January 2008
- Poster Presentations: (2) UW Symposium on Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity ~ April 2008
- Poster Presentations: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2008

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Erik Amend, Levi Funk, Casey Kettler, Joel Kleven, Adam Meyer, Thomas Michels, Matthew Pehler and Kathryn Steines

- Poster Presentations: (3) UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2008
- Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2007

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Hugh Bealka, David Hennick, Dan Platta, Eric Pritzl and Ryan Tessmer

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ April 2008
- Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2007

2006-2007 Projects

Project: An Evaluation of the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program in WI Schools

Students: Anjali Anand Kathryn Glodowski, Brandon Lauersdorf and Beth Lutz

- Poster Presentation: (2) UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2007
- Oral Presentation: UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity ~ April 2007
- Poster Presentation: (2) UW Symposium for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activity ~ April 2007
- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2006
- Oral Presentation: Wisconsin Economics Association ~ October 2006

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Casey Farrell, Joel Kleven, Dan Mauer and Erin Shaw

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day Spring 2007

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Sally Merrill, Dan Platta, Todd Swenson and Ryan Tessmer

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2007

Project: A Profile of Visitors to the 2006 Northern Wisconsin State Fair

Student: Andrew Klapperick

- Oral Presentation: Northern Wisconsin State Fair Board of Directors ~Spring 2007

Project: Local and Regional Economic Snapshots

Students: Levi Funk, Michael Garten, Christina Hansen and Leslie Sutton

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2007

Project: Local Wage Analysis: An Initial Look at Data from the Eau Claire Chamber of Commerce

Students: Julie Baewer, Nick Gumtz, Adam Meyer and Ron Rowlett

- Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2007

Project: Local Home Construction and Home Sales Analysis

Student: Thomas Michels

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2007

2005-2006 Projects

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Emily Ley, Beth Lutz, Erin Nicksic, Eric Ristau, Matthew Titze and Matthew Weiss

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2006

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2005

Project: The Eau Claire Basket Investment Track

Students: Casey Farrell, Dan Platta, Ryan Tessmer and Jason Windsor

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2006

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2005

2004-2005 Projects

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Emily Ley, Nathan Pforr, Eric Ristau and Matthew Titze

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ May 2005

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2004

Project: Eau Claire Stock Basket: A Comparison of Investment Alternatives

Students: Casey Farrell, Dan Platta, Matthew Titze and Jason Windsor

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ May 2005

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ December 2004

2003-2004 Projects

Project: Assessing the Support for the Switch to Automated Collection of Solid Waste with Single Stream Recycling in Madison, WI

Student: Steven Wessling

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ May 2004

-Poster Presentation: UWEC Student Research Day ~ Spring 2004

Project: Developing Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Students: Brian Christianson and Sarah Williams

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ May 2004

Project: Developing a Local Stock Index

Students: Matthew Seppala and Aaron Vanden Hoogen

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ May 2004

2002-2003 Projects

Project: Economic Indicators for the Chippewa Valley

Student: Lance Leonhard

-Oral Presentation: UWEC Economics Department Seminar ~ May 2003

ACADEMIC INTERNSHIPS & TUTOR MENTORING

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2017-18

Students: Austin Roesler (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2014-15

Students: Mitchell Fischer and Jacob Raleigh (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2012-13

Students: Stephen Fisher and Daniel Putman (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2011-12

Student: Daniel Putman (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2011-12

Students: Stephen Fisher and Daniel Putman (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2010-11

Students: Drew Christensen, Stephen Fisher, Stephanie Mabrey, Hannah Miller and Ryan Nichols (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2009-10

Students: Erik Harelstad, Bryan Reinhold and Matthew Vorhees (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2008-09

Students: Bryan Reinhold (Econ 103-FYE, 303), Jared Koerten, Corey Hilber and Nicholas Kuqali (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2007-08

Students: Jared Koerten (Econ 103-FYE, 303) and Sarah Fisher, Mark Lund and Dan Platta (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2006-07

Student: Anjali Anand (Econ 103-FYE)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2005-06

Students: Eric Ristau (Econ 103-FYE) and Anjali Anand (Econ 303)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2004-05

Student: Chad Wade (Econ 103-FYE), Mike Bohmbach (Econ 103) and John Weiser (Econ 103)

-Economics Department Academic Internship 2003-04

Student: Steve Wessling (Econ 103), Rachel Lockett (Econ 103) and Josh Fraser (Econ 103)

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Principles of Microeconomics: Lecture Notes & Handouts ~ Annually 2003 - present

-Copyright: University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire Department of Economics and University Bookstore

Peer Review ~ February 2019

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Journal of Public Health

Peer Review ~ January 2019

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Social Science Research

Peer Review ~ December 2017

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Maternal & Child Nutrition

Peer Review ~ August 2017

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to International Journal of Climate Change Strategies and Management

Peer Review ~ January 2017

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to International Journal of Climate Change Strategies and Management

Peer Review ~ January 2017

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Social Science Research

Peer Review ~ January 2017

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Journal of Public Health

Peer Review ~ February 2016

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Population and Environment

Peer Review ~ December 2015

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Population and Environment

Professional Review/Focus Group ~ Spring 2014

-Panel focus group and review of economics learning system, Wiley Publishers

Peer Review ~ Spring 2012

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Higher Education

Peer Review ~ Spring 2012

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to Public Health Nutrition

Syngy Economic Development and Growth Conference ~ 2004 - 2007

-Planning and facilitation for annual conference.

Textbook Review ~ Summer 2007

-CoreEconomics, 1st edition, Gerald Stone, Worth Publishing Group, New York, NY

Peer Review ~ Summer 2006

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to the Journal of Environmental Management

Textbook Review ~ Summer 2006

-Microeconomics, 6th edition, David Colander, McGraw-Hill, New York, NY

Textbook Review ~ Summer 2006

-Microeconomics, 2nd edition, David Besanko and Ronald Braeutigam, Wiley & Sons, New York, NY

Textbook Review ~ Summer 2006

-Health Economics: Fundamentals and Flow of Funds, 3rd edition, Thomas E. Getzen, Wiley & Sons, New York, NY

Peer Review ~ Fall 2005

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to the Journal of Policy Analysis and Management

Peer Review ~ Summer 2005

-Referee report for a manuscript submission to the Journal of Policy Analysis and Management

Textbook Review ~ Summer 2005

-The Economics of Health and Health Care, 4th edition, Sherman Folland, Allen C. Goodman and Miron Stano, Pearson-Prentice Hall, Upper Saddle River, NJ

Textbook Review ~ Summer 2005

-Health Economics: Fundamentals and Flow of Funds, 2nd edition, Thomas E. Getzen, Wiley & Sons, New York, NY

News Article ~ Summer 2005

-*A Look at Wages and Income in the Eau Claire Metropolitan Statistical Area*, Chippewa Valley Business Report, Chippewa Valley Newspapers, Chippewa Falls, WI

Textbook Review ~ Spring 2003

-Principles of Microeconomics, 2nd edition, Robert H. Frank and Ben S. Bernanke, McGraw-Hill, New York, NY

MEMBERSHIPS

[Midwest Economics Association](#) ~ Regional Professional Association

[Wisconsin Economics Association](#) ~ State Professional Association

[Foundation for Teaching Economics](#) ~ Professional Teachers Association

[Omicron Delta Epsilon](#) ~ National Economics Honor Society ~ Lifetime Member

[Mortar Board](#) ~ Honorary Member ~ National Honors Society for Scholarship ~ Leadership & Service