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**PUBLICATIONS:**

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### **INVITED AND PEER-REVIEWED PRESENTATIONS:**

#### ***Invited Papers and Presentations:***

Thilmany, D. The Real Economics of Local Foods: A Look at Farms, Supply Chains and Communities. Invited speaker to University of Wisconsin ARE Seminar series. January 2020. Madison WI.

Thilmany, D. Local and Community Food Systems: An Overview of Public Health, Rural Community and Environmental Impacts. Invited speaker to A Workshop to Review the Evidence on Food Policy, Sustainable Food Systems, and Nutrition. November 2019. University of Maryland.

Thilmany, D. Emerging State Food Policy Trends and Issues. Presentation to the National Caucus of Environmental Leaders. Nashville TN. August 2019

Thilmany, D. Local Foods Engagement. Invited presentation to the Dubuque Food Policy Council. June 2019.

Thilmany, D. and M. Sullins. Identifying Profitable Markets. Invited presentation to the National Incubator Farm Training Institute. Boulder CO. November 2018.

Thilmany, D. Local Food Systems and State's and Provinces' Efforts to Support Entrepreneurship. 2018 Chairs Summit. State Ag and Rural Leaders. January 2018. Kansas City MO.

Thilmany, D. Partnerships for the Future. Session at the Federal Reserve/USDA Regional Food Systems Publication **Harvesting Opportunity**: Release Event. August 2017. Washington DC.

Thilmany, D., D. Hughes and M. Rahe. Workshop on Estimating the Economic Impacts of Local Food Systems Initiatives. Local Foods Impact Conference. George Washington University. April 2017. Washington DC.

Thilmany, D. "Local Food Systems: How Consumers and Communities Influence Supply Chains." Invited presentation to Montana Ag Outlook Conference. November 2015. Bozeman MT.

Thilmany, D. "The Role of Economics in Multifunctional Food Supply Chains." WAEA Presidential Address. July 2015. San Francisco, CA.

Thilmany, D. "Colorado Perspectives on the Organic Market." Is Organic an Option For Me? Boulder County Open Space Workshop. April 2014. Boulder, CO.

Thilmany, D. "Market Performance in the Era of Buy Local: A Welfare Analysis of Colorado Apples to Assess Winners and Losers." Invited Seminar at Washington State University. April 2013.

- Thilmany, D. "Direct Marketing your Produce and Farm: Understanding Consumer Motivations and Interests." Invited talk to the New Jersey Producers Association. February 2013. Atlantic City, NJ.
- Thilmany, D. "Understanding Alternative Livestock Marketing Dynamics: The Case of Colorado Homestead Ranches." Invited talk at USDA SARE's Strengthening Agriculture's Infrastructure: Adding Value, Breaking Down Barriers, Increasing Profits. December 2012. Portland, OR.
- Deselnicu, O., M. Costanigro, D.M. Souza-Monteiro and D. Thilmany McFadden. "What Drives the Premium for Origin in Food? A Meta-Analysis of Geographical Indication Studies." Invited presentation to the Grenoble Applied Economic Laboratory. May 2012.
- Thilmany, D. "Local Food Market Dynamics: An Analysis of Consumer Motivations, Marketing Choices and Welfare Implications." The Ohio State University Van Buren lecture. April 2012.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "What Is Driving Consumer Demand for Local Foods?" Presentation at the USDA Ag Outlook Forum. February 2012. Washington, DC.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Local Food Consumers: How do Values and Confidence Influence Food Choices?" Invited presentation at Linfield College Economic Series. October 2011.
- Thilmany McFadden, D."The Local Food Consumers: A Changing Perspective on Value, Confidence and Welfare." Invited presentation to the Consumer and Market Demand Network Workshop. August 2011. Guelph, Ontario, Canada.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Colorado's Green, Ag and Processing Industry Employment: Trends and importance to the State." Invited presentation to the 2011 UC-Davis Immigration Conference. May 2011. Washington, DC.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Consumer demand and marketing outlets for pasture based livestock products." Invited paper in session, "Green" Grazing for Enhancing Food and the Environment. America-Soil Science Society of America Annual Meetings. November 2010. Long Beach, CA.
- Thilmany, D. "Economic and Policy implications of GMO crops in Sustainable Ag Systems." Panel member on Boulder County Park and Open Spaces Sustainable Ag Forum panel. November 2010. Longmont CO. 85 in attendance.
- Onozaka, Y., G. Nurse and D. Thilmany McFadden. "Defining Sustainable Food Market Segments: Do Motivations and Values Vary by Shopping Locale?" Invited paper Session for 2010 AAEEA meetings. Denver CO.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Are Local Food Consumers Civic Minded or Seeking Assurances? Defining Policy Implications and the Research Agenda." C-FARE Lunch and Learn with Ag Committee Staff. Washington, DC. June 2009.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Consumer Demand for Local Foods: Civic Minded or Seeking Assurances?." Invited talk at the USDA ERS Local Food Systems Conference. Washington, DC. June 2009.
- Thilmany, D., H. Bahn and S. Sureshwan. "Serving the Needs of the Next Generation of Agricultural and Resource Economics Leaders." Invited Presentation to USDA Webinar and Western Agricultural Economics Association. March and June 2009.
- Thilmany McFadden, D., J. Hernandez and A. Pena. "Economic Implications of Labor and Immigration Policy for Colorado's Ag Industry and Communities." Immigration Reform: Implications for Farmers, Farm Workers, and Communities. Washington, DC. May 2009.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Consumers of Local Foods: Civic Minded or Seeking Assurances?" Presentation at Northeast Rural Economic Development Center conference on Enhancing Local and Regional Food Systems: Exploring the Research, What Works, and What We Need to Learn. May 2009. Hudson Valley, NY.

- Thilmany, D. "The Multi-Faceted Organic Consumer: Motivations and Perceptions." Invited Presentation to the CSU Lillian Fountain Smith Conference. June 2008.
- Thilmany, D., J. Hernandez and A. Pena. "Food, Horticulture and Ag Workers: Sectoral Trends and Potential Policy Implications for Colorado." Invited Presentation to *Immigration Reform: Implications for Farmers, Farm Workers and Communities*. Washington, DC. May 2008.
- Thilmany, D. "Resources to Support Local Food Systems Buy Local Programs." Invited Speaker to the Southwest Marketing Network Conference, Santa Fe, NM. May 2008.
- Thilmany, D. "Agritourism in the West: Understanding The Visitors and Emerging Opportunities." Invited Speaker to the Southwest Marketing Network Conference, Santa Fe, NM. May 2008.
- Thilmany, D. and M. Sullins. "Agritourism in Colorado." Invited Speaker to the National SARE Conference. Kansas City, MO. March 2008.
- Thilmany, D. "Marketing Natural Meats: Targeting Consumer Segments in your Marketing Plan" Invited Speaker to the National SARE Conference. Kansas City, MO. March 2008.
- Thilmany, D. and M. Sullins. "Agritourism in Colorado: The Visitors, the Economics and the Opportunities." Invited Speaker for the *Colorado Ag Outlook Forum*. Denver, CO. February 2008.
- Thilmany, D. "Organic Agriculture in the USDA: Increasing Partnerships within USDA and Among Land Grant and other CSREES Partners." Invited Presentation to the American Tri-Society Meetings. November 2007. New Orleans, LA.
- Thilmany, D. "Integrating Economic Questions into Your Research. Invited presentation to the American Plant Pathology Society Meetings. August 2007. San Diego, CA.
- Thilmany, D. "Emerging Immigration and Farm Labor Issues in the Mountain West." Invited paper to Immigration Reform: Implications for Farmers, Farm Workers, and US Agriculture. Washington DC. June 2006.
- Thilmany, D. "The Role of Public Research and Outreach in a Maturing Organic Agricultural Sector." Invited Presentation to the USDA-ERS Food for Thought Seminar Series. June 2006.
- Thilmany, D. "Tapping into USDA's Organic Programs and Services." Invited paper to All Things Organic, 2006 Organic Trade Exposition. Chicago IL. May 2006.
- Thilmany, D. "Coming of Age: The Role of Public Research and Outreach in a Maturing Organic Agricultural Sector" Invited paper and interview for USDA-CSREES. November 2005.
- Thilmany, D. "The Changing Face of Rural Areas in the Intermountain West." Presented at *The Changing Face of Rural America Conference*, Asilomar, CA, May, 2003.
- Thilmany, D. "The Hispanic Labor Force in Colorado's Agricultural and Rural Economy." Presented at *The Colorado-Mexico Connection: Agricultural Trade, Labor & Other Factors*. **2002 Colorado Agricultural Outlook Forum**. February, 2002. Denver CO.
- Thilmany, D. "Farm Labor Trends for the Mountain and Northwest Regions." Presented at the *NAWS at 10* Conference. Davis, CA. October 2000.
- Thilmany, D. "Immigration to Rural Utah Communities: The Role of Agriculture and Rural Development." Presented at *Immigration and the Changing Face of Rural America* in Ames, Iowa, July 1996.
- Thilmany, D. and R. Carkner. "Immigration Issues in Rural Washington." Presented at *Immigration and the*

*Changing Face of Rural America* in Ames, Iowa, July 1996.

**Organized Papers and Sessions:**

- Deller, S., S. Low, H. Stephens and S. Tuner. How can regional and rural development economists be more effective about informing public policy? A panel discussion. Organized Track Session for the 2020 AAEA Annual Meetings.
- Mark, T. and D. Thilmany. Hemp Economics, Marketing, and Risk Management. Organized Session for USDA National Hemp Conference. July 2020. Virtual conference.
- O'Hara, J., R. Rainey, K. Liang and D. Thilmany. Best Practices in Providing Technical Assistance to Food System Practitioners. Organized Track Session for the 2019 AAEA Annual Meetings. Atlanta GA.
- Schmidt, C., D. Thilmany, D. Singh-Knights and L. Quella. Understanding Agricultural Producer's Challenges with Agritourism and Direct Sales Enterprises. Organized Track Session for the 2019 AAEA Annual Meetings. Atlanta GA.
- Thilmany, D., B. Hueth, R. Dunn, S. Low, M. Castilo, M. Bass and J. O'Hara. Agricultural and Food Supply Chain Dynamics under Changing Market and Policy Environments: Leveraging New Data and Geographic Approaches to Explore Employment Dynamics. Organized Track Session for the 2019 AAEA Annual Meetings. Atlanta GA.
- Low, S., D. Thilmany and M. Castillo. The Local Food Scene: How Place-Based Factors Influence the Existence, Location, and Dynamics of Food Manufacturing Establishments and Employment Paper in Organized Session on Regional and Rural Development. North American Regional Science meetings. November 2018. San Antonio TX.
- Thilmany, D, B. Jablonski, M. LeRoux, D. Tropp and T. Kovacs. Guiding Farmers and Communities with Benchmark Data. Presentation to the 2018 USDA Direct Marketing Summit. Washington DC. September 2018.
- Thilmany, D., B.B.R. Jablonski, A. Bauman, S. Mendis and A. Bonanno. Exploring the Farmer in Farm to School: An Initial Look at Farmer Financial Outcomes from Participation in Intermediated Sales. AAEA CRENET/FSN Track Session, The Impact of Food System Transformations on Community Development. AAEA Track Session. Washington DC, August 2018.
- Thilmany, D. and M. McKendree. Agricultural Economists Engaging our Communities: Exploring Barriers and Opportunities for Extension and Local/State Community Development and Policy Careers. CWAE and CRENET AAEA Track Session. Co-organizer and presenter. Washington DC, August 2018.
- Jablonski, B.B.R., M. Sullins and D. Thilmany. The Farm and Ranch Profitability Impacts of Sales through School Market. Paper for Organized Symposium, Effectiveness of Farm-to-School Programming: Data Availability and Preliminary Evidence organized session at the 2018 WAEA Annual Meetings. Anchorage AK. June
- Bonanno, A., B.B.R. Jablonski, B. Cleary, S. Mendis and D. Thilmany. Financial Performance Implications of Sales Through Direct and Intermediated Markets: Current Research and Future Needs to Support Extension Programming. Western Extension Committee organized session at the 2018 WAEA Annual Meetings. Anchorage AK. June
- Thilmany, D., B. Jablonski, J. O'Hara and B. Raison. Farm to School and your Local Economy: How can you Explore the Linkages? Session for the 2018 National Farm to School Conference. Cincinnati, OH. April 2018.
- Roy, P., B. Angelo, D. Thilmany, and B. Jablonski, Navigating strategic food system change: A road map for community food and agriculture plans. National Good Food Conference. Albuquerque, NM. March 2018.

- Thilmany McFadden, D., S. Low and M. Castillo. Rural Development Implications of Foodie Culture: What factors drive food and beverage manufacturing firm dynamics? Organized session for the 2017 North American Regional Science Association meetings. November 2017.
- Hill, R. D. Thilmany, M. Sullins, A. Van Sandt, S. Hardesty and C. Snyder. Agritourism in the West: Outreach approaches and strategies that work for producers and communities exploring new and expanded efforts. Organized symposium for the 2017 WAEA Annual Meetings. Lake Tahoe, CA. July.
- Thilmany, D., A. Bauman and B.B.R. Jablonski Exploring regional dimensions of farm financial performance among those targeting direct and intermediated food markets. NE-1049 Session at the Western Regional Science Association. February 2017.
- Thilmany, D., J. Laughlin, S. Warshawer, and J. O'Hara. Using Benchmarks to Develop Local Food System Businesses. Organized Session for the 2016 FDRS Conference.
- Thilmany, D., A. Bauman and B.B.R. Jablonski. 2016. The financial performance implications of differential marketing strategies: Exploring farms that pursue local markets as a core competitive advantage. CRENET Track Session at the 2016 AAEA meetings. August 2016. Boston MS.
- Thilmany, D. Moderator for Transformations in Food Systems: Opportunities and Challenges for Alternative Food Systems. FAMPS Track Session at the 2016 AAEA meetings. August 2016. Boston MS.
- Thilmany, D. and R. Hill. Trends in US agritourism: Exploring Traveler Behavior and Producer Strategies. Moderator and Opening Section of 2016 WAEA Organized Symposia. Victoria BC. June 2016.
- Sullins, M., J. Christensen and D. Thilmany. Exploring the Challenges and Dynamics of Local Food Market Price Reporting: The Case of Colorado. Organized Symposium for the Southern Ag Economics Association. February 2016. San Antonio, TX.
- Jablonski, R., T. Schmit, D. Thilmany and C. Laughton. Local Foods Benchmarking and Outreach: The Farm Credit Council's Lending to the Next Generation of Agriculture Conference. Session at Farm Credit Young, Beginning and Small Conference. September 2015. Louisville KY.
- Thilmany McFadden, D., D. Conner, S. Deller, D. Hughes, T. Schmit, D. Swenson, A. Bauman, R. Hill, B. and B.R. Jablonski. "Enhancing the Applied Knowledge of Local Food Systems' Economic Impacts: A National Research and Training Effort." Track Session at the 2015 AAEA Annual Meetings. July 2015. San Francisco, CA.
- Thilmany, D., R. Jablonski, T. Schmit, B. Angelo, and D. Hughes. Assessing the Economic Impact of Local Food Systems: Framing a Meta-Analysis for the US. Session at the 2015 National Value Added conference. Austin TX.
- Thilmany, D., R. Hill and L. Lohr. Defining Best Practices for Economic Development Assessment and Evaluation for Food System Initiatives. Organized Workshop at the 2014 North American Regional Science Meetings. Washington, DC. November 2014. Organizer and presenter.
- Thilmany, D., M. Marshall and M. Sullins. Local Food Systems as a Catalyst for Innovation. Organized Session at the 2014 American Applied Economics Association meetings. July 2014. Minneapolis MN. Organizer
- Thilmany, D. A Reflection on the Agricultural/Applied Economics Profession through the Lens of Our Veterans. Presenter at CWAE/COSBAE Organized Session. 2014 American Applied Economics Association meetings. July 2014. Minneapolis MN.
- Thilmany, D. Leveraging Federal Data Sources: The Case of Local Food Assessments. CRENET Organized Session at the 2014 American Applied Economics Association meetings. July 2014. Minneapolis MN. Presenter.

- Thilmany, D., M. Marshall and M. Sullins. Food Systems and Entrepreneurship. Organized Session at the 2014 National Value Added conference. May 2014. Baltimore MD. Organizer
- Thilmany, D. "Developing a Public-Private Partnership to build an electronic food supply chain." Panel member in Organized Symposium at the 2013 Food Distribution Research Society meetings. October 2013. Chicago IL.
- Grebitus, C., C. Schroeter and D. Thilmany. "Is it Healthier, Tastier, and Who Buys it? Current Issues Surrounding Organic Food Production and Consumption." FAMPS Section Organized Symposium at 2013 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Meeting. Washington DC.
- Thilmany, D. C.W. Gray and J. Warner. "Building Farmers in the West: Innovative Approaches to Engage and Evaluate a New Set of Stakeholders. Organized Symposium at the 2013 Western Agricultural Economics Association meetings. Monterey, CA.
- Thilmany, D., A. Gunter and E. Tegegne. "Toward a Typology of Economic Impact and Welfare Analysis for Local and Regional Food Systems. Part of Organized Session on Local Foods. 2013 Southern Regional Science Association Meetings.
- Ahearn, M., P. Davis, J. Ifft, S. Low and D. Thilmany. "Issues and Opportunities Surrounding Small Farm Transition and Succession." Organized panel for the 6<sup>th</sup> National Small Farms Conference. Memphis, TN. Sept. 2012.
- Thilmany, D. Panelist in Session, To Nest in the Wind - Implementation and Impacts of Career Development for Women in Personal Growth and Balancing Life. 2012 AAEA Annual Meetings. Seattle, WA.
- Thilmany, D. Moderator and Discussant for Session, Understanding the Multiple Impacts from Marketing Locally Grown Food, Food Products, and Agri-Recreational Services. 2012 AAEA Annual Meetings. Seattle, WA.
- Thilmany, D and M. Costanigro. Ethical Considerations in Food Labeling. For Organized Session, Ten Thousand Labels: Credence Attributes, Product Differentiation, and Information Flows in the Food System. 2012 AAEA Annual Meetings. Seattle, WA.
- Thilmany, D., M. Costanigro and S. Kroll. Integrating Sensory Analysis in a Valuation Study of Credence Attributes: Joint Sensory and Economic Analysis Organized Session. 2011 Food Distribution Research Society Meetings. Portland, OR.
- Thilmany, McFadden, D. Data Issues for Local Food System Analysis. Presenter in AAEA post-conference for 2011 Annual meetings. Pittsburgh, PA.
- Thilmany, McFadden, D. Economic Contributions from a More Localized Food Systems. Coordinator and Moderator. CENET Organized Symposium proposed for 2011 AAEA Annual meetings. Pittsburgh, PA.
- Gunter, A., D. Thilmany McFadden and M. Sullins. "Farm to School: Tools to Assess and Evaluate Impacts on Producers and Regions." Paper presented in Symposium Economic Contributions from a More Localized Food Systems. 2011 AAEA Annual meetings. Pittsburgh, PA.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Local Food, Organics and Sustainability." Paper presented in Symposium, The Federal Policy Role In Today's Food and Agricultural Markets. 2011 AAEA Annual meetings. Pittsburgh, PA
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Participatory Food Assessments: Integrating Diverse Perspectives and Building Local Leadership." Organized session for the 2010 Community Food Security Coalition Annual Meeting. October 2010. New Orleans, LA. (with Wendy Moschetti and Cindy Torres)
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Comparison of Efforts to Establish Local and Regional Food Systems", as part of the session "Making Local and Regional Food Systems Successful." With USDA Rural Development. 2010



AAEA Annual Meetings. Denver, CO.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Unique Characteristics of Direct Market Producers", as part of the session "Exploring the Interface Between Local Food Systems and Community Economics ". CENET track session. 2010 AAEA Annual Meetings. Denver, CO.

Thilmany McFadden, D., G. Nurse, Y. Onozaka and M. Costanigro. "So you Want to Run an Experiment? Opportunities and Potential Pitfalls." Presented to the 2009 Food Distribution Research Society. Broomfield, Colorado.

Locavores and Fresh Produce Markets: Motivations, Shopping Behavior and Potential for Growth. Invited paper for Principal Paper Session: The Growing Market for Local Foods. July 2008. Orlando FL. (with C. Bond and J. Keeling-Bond)

The Economic Impact of Animal Disease on the Food Marketing Sector. *Farm Foundation Showcase Project Program*. Organized, Secured Funding and Presented CSU Research. July 2003. Denver CO

***Selected Paper and Poster Presentations:***

Love, E., D. Thilmany and B.B.R. Jablonski. Baseline Economic Impact Assessment of School Food Spending before CO HB19-1132 and Additional Barriers School Districts Face When Aiming to Purchase More Colorado Products. Selected paper for the 2020 AAEA Annual Meetings.

Edmondson, H. and D. Thilmany. Price Premiums for Wheat Attributes throughout the Wheat Value Chain: Hedonic Price Analysis of Flour and Sandwich Bread. Selected paper for the 2020 WAEA Annual Meetings.

Love, E., D. Thilmany and B.B.R. Jablonski. Exploring Colorado Potato Market Trends, Integration and Opportunities for Strengthening Rural-Urban Market Linkages. Selected paper for the 2019 Food Distribution Research Society meetings. Seattle WA. October 2019.

Bauman, A., B.B.R. Jablonski and D. Thilmany. Exploring the Underlying Economics of Local Food Producers: Opportunities for Rural Economic Development. Selected paper for the 2019 AAEA Annual Meetings. July 2019. Atlanta GA.

Castillo, M., S. Low and D. Thilmany. Local Foods as a Catalyst of Rural Manufacturing: The Role of New and Small Food Innovators in Employment Dynamics. Selected poster for the 2018 AAEA Annual Meetings. Washington, D.C., August 2018.

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Thilmany, D. "Farm2Fork: Bringing Food to your Table." Featured speaker. Sponsored by CSU Extension-Weld County and West Greeley Conservation District. September 2012.

Hoffman, L. and D. Thilmany McFadden. "Regional Food System Assessments – Central Ohio and Northern Colorado." Webinar for CDC's State Health Network for Sustainable Food Systems. June 2012.

Card, A. and D. Thilmany. "Sustainable Enterprises on the Urban Corridor of Colorado." Tour and Presentations to the SARE Fellows tour of Colorado. May 2012.

Thilmany, D. "Effective Marketing: Partners and Planning Principles." Presentation to the Colorado Department of Agriculture- Marketing your Food Product Workshop." April 2012. Aurora, CO.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Food Systems Planning-A Colorado Perspective." Presentation to American Planning Association-Colorado Chapter. Fort Collins CO. March 2012.

Thilmany McFadden, D., M. Sullins and W. White. "Introducing the Farm to School Applications on Colorado MarketMaker!" Webinar for Colorado Farm to School Network. Winter 2012.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Building Community and Capacity in Beginning Farmer Communities." Presentation to the USDA BFRDP meeting. November 30, 2011. Fort Collins, CO.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Production Planning and Budget Calculator." Presentation to the Boulder Building Farmers Program. November 2, 2011. Boulder, CO.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Strategic Business Planning." Presentation to the Denver County Building Farmers Program. October 19, 2011. Denver, CO.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Strategic Business Planning for Beginning Farm Enterprises." Presentation to the Boulder Building Farmers Program. October 18, 2011. Boulder, CO.

Thilmany, D. "Strategic Planning for Consumer Driven Markets." Presentation to the Great Basin Women and Youth in Ag conference. June 2011. Las Vegas NV.

Thilmany, D. "Panel on the Farm Bill & food assistance, food security and production." 2011 Colorado School of Public Health Conference. April 2011. Fort Collins CO.

Thilmany, D. "Cost Effective Marketing Plans and Resources." Presentation to the Colorado Department of Agriculture- Marketing your Food Product Workshop." April 2011. Aurora, CO.

Thilmany, D. "CSU as a Partner in Assessing Food Systems: An Example from Northern Colorado." Presentation to the Colorado Food System Advisory Council. March 2011. Fort Collins CO.

Thilmany, D. "Marketing your Agritourism Enterprise: Managing Risk, Identifying Markets and Reaching New Customers." Presentation to the Agritourism: New Opportunities for Park County. March 2011.

Thilmany, D. and L. Hoffman. "Northern Colorado Food System Assessment: Final Report." Presentation to the Boulder County Commissioners of Agriculture. Boulder CO. February 2011.

Thilmany, D. and L. Hoffman. "Northern Colorado Food System Assessment: Final Report." Presentation to the Colorado Big and Small Conference." Brighton CO. February 2011

Thilmany, D. and L. Hoffman. "Northern Colorado Food System: Final Report." Presentation to the Colorado Ag Outlook Forum. Denver CO. February 2011.

- Thilmany, D. "Strategies to Connect with Customers: Colorado MarketMaker as a Promotional Resource." Presentation to the Colorado Big and Small Conference." Brighton CO. February 2011.
- Thilmany, D. and A. Gunter. "Colorado MarketMaker as a Tool to Connect Producers and Schools." Presentation to the Colorado Farm to School Conference. January 2011. Brighton, CO.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Initial Conclusions on the Northern Colorado Food Assessment." December, 2010. Windsor, CO
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Strategic Business Planning." Presentation to the Boulder County Building Farmers Program. October 19, 2010. Boulder, CO.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Strategic Business Planning for Beginning Farm Enterprises." Presentation to the Durango Building Farmers Program. October 18, 2010. Durango, CO.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Northern Colorado Food Assessment Phase One report to Larimer County." October 5, 2010.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Colorado MarketMaker: A new Tool for Colorado State University Extension." Presentation at CSU Extension Annual Forum. September 2010.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Colorado MarketMaker: Ideas for Promoting and Evaluating the Program in Colorado" Presentation to Colorado Department of Agriculture Markets Division. September 2010.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Natural Resources Issues in the Northern Colorado Region." Poster session at the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Open House. August 2010. (with Drew Moxon, Sarah Powell and Linda Hoffman; did not attend by helped with development of posters).
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Farm Production and Farmer Demographics in the Northern Colorado Region." Poster session at the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Open House. August 2010. (with Sarah Powell, Megan Phillips and Linda Hoffman).
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Exploring Markets in the Northern Colorado Region." Poster session at the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Open House. August 2010. (with Allie Gunter, Cathy Thomas, Martha Sullins, Sarah Powell and Linda Hoffman).
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Public Health and Food Security in the Northern Colorado Region." Poster session at the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Open House. September 2010. (with Livewell Colorado personnel, Martha Sullins, Megan Phillips, Sarah Powell and Melinda Sloan).
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Initial findings from the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment: Boulder County." Presentation to Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Open House. July 2010. 26 in attendance
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Initial findings from the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment: Larimer County." Presentation to Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Open House. July 2010. 22 in attendance
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Initial findings from the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment: Weld County." Presentation to Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Open House. July 2010. 48 in attendance
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Marketing your Agritourism Enterprise: Managing Risk, Identifying Markets and Reaching New Customers." Presentation to Western Slope Agritourism Conference. Grand Junction, CO. September 2010.
- Thilmany McFadden, D. "Marketing Your Agritourism Business: Using Research to Develop a Strategy." Presentation to Southern Colorado Agritourism Conference. Walsenburg, CO. April 2010.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Marketing your Agritourism Enterprise: Pricing and Reaching New Customers using Social Media." Presentation to Northwest Colorado Agritourism Conference. Steamboat Springs, CO. March 2010.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Essential Elements and Steps in a Food System Assessment." Presentation to the Northern Colorado Food System Assessment Steering Committee. December 2009. 17 in attendance.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Developing a Building Farmer Program in Southern Colorado." Presentation to the Pueblo Building Farmer Leadership Team. November 2009. Pueblo CO. 6 in attendance.

A Market Basket Budget Tool. Presentation to the Boulder County New Farmers Program. Longmont, CO. November 2009.

Thilmany McFadden, D. and M. Sullins. "Starting to Plan...What are important First Steps?." Presentation to the Boulder County Beginning Farmers Program. October 2009. Longmont, CO. 25 in attendance.

Thilmany McFadden D. "Integrating Local Food Systems Activities into CSU Extension Work Plans." Presentations to the Sustainable Community Development, Food Safety, Nutrition and Agribusiness Management Work Teams. CSU Extension Forum. October 2009. Fort Collins CO.

Murray, D. and D. Thilmany McFadden. "Certification Programs in Action: Market-Based Solutions for a Conscious Consumer Economy." Presentation at the 2009 Rocky Mountain Sustainable Living Fair. September 2009. Fort Collins CO.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Alternative Markets: Tools for Applying Sound Business Principles." Ag in Uncertain Times Webinar. September 2009. 52 online.

Thilmany McFadden, D., M. Sullins and M. Phillips. "Cost Effective Marketing Plans and Resources." Presentation to Colorado Department of Agriculture Marketing your Food Product Workshop." Aurora, CO. April 2009.

Thilmany McFadden, D., M. Sullins, W. Umberger and A. Ziehl. "How to Build a Successful Beef/Bison Business by Meeting Customer Needs." Presentation to the Southwest Marketing Network. Durango, CO. April 2009.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Going Local: Exploring Consumer Behavior and Motivations for Local and Organic Produce Purchases." Osher Lifelong Learning Local Food Systems class. Fort Collins CO. April 2009.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "Market Maker: A National Market Network for Colorado Producers." Presentation to Northwest Products Association and Community Ag Alliance. Steamboat Springs, CO. April 2009.

Nurse, G., D. Thilmany McFadden, and C. Thomas. "Exploring Motivations and Intent in the Local Food Market." Presentation to CSU DARE Research seminar. March 2009.

Thilmany McFadden, D. and M. Sullins. "Agritourism in Colorado: The Visitors, the Economics and the Opportunities." Presentation to CSU Integrated Resource Management graduate class. March 2009.

Thilmany McFadden, D. "The Colorado Wine Industry: Exploring its Role in the Economy, Tourism and Consumer Segments." Presentation to the Denver Association of Business Economists. March 2009.

Murray, D. and D. Thilmany. "From Conscious Consumer Economy to Conscious Consumer Trust: A Second Floor Vision for the Fort Collins Community Marketplace." Presentation to Fort Collins Downtown Development Authority." February 2009.

Thilmany, D. "2008 Farm Bill: Resources and Opportunities for Farmers." Presentation to the 2009 Colorado Big and Small Conference. Greeley, CO. February 2009.

Thilmany, McFadden, M. Phillips and M. Sullins “Branding Your Product & Strategic Positioning: Creating an Image for Your Operation.” Presentation to the Cortez Agritourism workshop. Cortez, CO. January 2009.

Thilmany McFadden. “Branding and Positioning your Enterprise: Marketing for Success.” Presentation to the Cortez Agritourism workshop. Cortez, CO. January 2009.

Thilmany McFadden, D. and M. Sullins. “Starting to Plan....What are important First Steps?” Presentation to the LaPlata County Beginning Farmer Program. January 2009.

Thilmany, McFadden, M. Phillips and M. Sullins. “Branding Your Product & Strategic Positioning: Creating an Image for Your Operation.” Presentation to the Byers Agritourism conference. January 2009.

Marketing Natural Meats: Targeting Consumer Segments in your Marketing Plan. Presentation to Marketing and Producing Natural Beef Workshop. Loveland CO. December 2008.

Initial Findings from Organic, Locality and Food Miles research project. Presentation to USDA Organic Working Group. Farm Foundation Workshop. Washington DC. December 2008.

A Market Basket Budget Tool. Presentation to the Boulder County New Farmers Program. Longmont, CO. November 2008. (with Anne Cure and J. Lloyd)

Developing a Local Food System Assessment. Presentation to the Boulder County Food Policy Council. November 2008.

Planning and Positioning for Success. Presentation to the Boulder County New Farmers Program. Longmont, CO. October 2008. (with John Deering)

Marketing 101: Marketing Plans and More. Presentation to the National Cattlemen’s Beef Association. September 2008. Denver, CO.

Agritourism in Colorado: The Visitors, the Economics and the Opportunities. Presentation at the Southwest Marketing Network. Santa Fe, New Mexico, May 2008, 65 participants.

Developing a Marketing Plan. Presentation to Marketing your Food Product conference, sponsored by Colorado Department of Agriculture: Markets Division. April 2008. Aurora CO.

Agritourism: Is It For Your Farm or Ranch? Workshop. Cortez, CO. April 2008. (coordinated with M. Sullins, W. White and D. Kaan)

Agritourism: Is It For Your Farm or Ranch? Workshop. Delta, CO. April 2008. (coordinated with M. Sullins, W. White and D. Kaan)

Market Opportunities and Analysis. Presentation to the Colorado Food Policy Working Group. Boulder CO. March 2008.

Agritourism: Is It For Your Farm or Ranch? Workshop. La Junta, CO. March 2008. (coordinated with M. Sullins, W. White and D. Kaan)

Agritourism: Is It For Your Farm or Ranch? Workshop. Akron, CO. February 2008. (coordinated with M. Sullins, W. White and D. Kaan)

Agritourism: Is It For Your Farm or Ranch? Workshop. Steamboat Springs, CO. January 2008. (coordinated with M. Sullins, W. White and D. Kaan)

Colorado Agritourism: What are Visitors Looking For? Presentation to the Agritourism Mini-Conference of the 2007 Colorado Tourism Conference. Grand Junction, CO. October 2007. (with Martha Sullins)

Planning and Positioning for Success. Presentation to the Boulder County New Farmers Program. Longmont, CO. October 2007. (with John Deering)

A Look at Organics: What does Science tell us? How Consumers Respond. Presentation at the Rocky Mountain Sustainable Living Fair. September 2007.

News and Views From USDA: CSREES and the USDA Working Group. Presentation to the All Things Organic, 2007 Organic Trade Association meeting. Chicago IL. May 2007.

Developing a Marketing Plan. Presentation to Marketing your Food Product conference, sponsored by Colorado Department of Agriculture: Markets Division. April 2007. Aurora CO. Rated 4.7 on 5 point scale)

Effectively Assisting Direct Marketing Producers: Cooperative Extension and Government Outreach Professionals. Presentation to the 2007 Southwest Marketing Network Conference. Flagstaff AZ. March 2007.

Better Tasting Tomatoes: Agricultural Land Preservation, Urban Gardens, Farmers Markets. Presentation at the 2007 Rocky Mountain Land Use Institute Land Use Conference. Denver CO. March 2007.

National Organic Update. Presentation to the Colorado Big and Small Organic Conference. Greeley CO. February 2007.

Going Greener: The Emerging Organic Sector in the Green Industry. Presentation to the ProGreen Expo. Denver CO. January 2007.

Market Potential, Winery Feasibility and Economic Impact of Colorado's Wine Industry. Presentation to the Rocky Mountain Vintners and Viticulturalists Association. Denver CO. December 2006.

Organic Research and Extension Programming at USDA. Presentation to the Iowa State Organics Conference. Ames IA. November 2006.

Direct Marketing Activities in Colorado. Presentation to the Market Maker Coordinating Committee. Chicago IL. November 2006.

Emerging Issues in the Economics of Livestock Disease. Panel discussion to the 2006 PREISM Update Conference. Washington DC. October 2006.

Potential for USDA CSREES and ARS Collaboration. Presentation to the 2006 ARS Specialty Crops/Organics Research Conference. Atlanta GA. October 2006.

Update on Direct Marketing Consumer Research. Presentation to the 2006 Specialty Crops Field Day. Fort Collins CO. September 2006.

Agritourism Research and Outreach Activities at Colorado State University. Presentation to the Larimer County Ag Advisory Board. September 2006.

Organic 101: Tap Into USDA's Tools for Your Organic Business. Presentation to the All Things Organic, 2006 Organic Trade Association meeting. Chicago IL. May 2006.

The Contribution of the Wine Industry to the Colorado Economy. Colorado and Company TV show. Denver CO. May 2006.

Enhancing your Marketing Plan to Target Consumers. Presentation to Marketing your Food Product conference, sponsored by Colorado Department of Agriculture: Markets Division. April 2005. Aurora CO. Rated 4.63 on 5 point scale)



How to Assist and Refer Producers to Public Marketing Assistance. 2006 Southwest Marketing Network Conference preconference for Extension agents. Grand Junction, CO, March 2006.

Alternative Marketing for Alternative Markets. Presentation in Alternative Marketing 101—Direct Marketing, CSA, Farmers Markets, E-commerce. 2006 Southwest Marketing Network Conference. Grand Junction CO. March 2006.

The Role of Public Research and Outreach in a Maturing Organic Agricultural Sector. Presentation to Colorado Agriculture “Big and Small” Conference. March 2006. Greeley CO.

Direct Marketing: Assessing and Acting on Colorado’s Opportunities. Presentation to the 2006 Colorado Ag Outlook Forum. Denver CO. February 2006.

American Farmland Trust: Using New Partners to Foster AgriEconomic Development. Presentation to the 2006 National American Farmland Trust conference. Denver CO. January 2006. 45 in attendance.

Financial and Business Organization Issues for Niche Beef Producers. Presentation to the Northern Arizona Grassfed Beef Coalition. Flagstaff AZ. October 2005.

Identifying and Targeting Niche Beef Consumers. Presentation to the Northern Arizona Grassfed Beef Coalition. Flagstaff AZ. October 2005.

Emerging Production and Marketing Issues for Niche Beef Producers. Presentation to the Northern Arizona Grassfed Beef Coalition. Flagstaff AZ. October 2005.

Issues in Colorado Fruit, Wine and Vegetable Marketing. Presentation to S-1019 Regional Research Group on Fruit and Vegetable Marketing. Washington DC. October 2005.

Farm to School Opportunities in Northern Colorado. Presentation to the Boulder-Adams Food Policy Group. September 2005.

Northern Colorado’s Food Policy Council. Presentation to the Colorado State Food Policy Conference. August 2005. Brighton CO.

Potential Value-Added Business Strategies for Small Wine Grape Growers. Meeting with individual Wine Producers. May 2005.

Developing a Marketing Plan. Presentation to Marketing your Food Product conference, sponsored by Colorado Department of Agriculture: Markets Division. April 2005. Aurora CO.

Business Planning and Financing your Operation. Presentation to the Southwest Marketing Network. March 2005. (with J. Wilson and A. Ziehl)

Grass-Fed Livestock Production. Presentation to the Southwest Marketing Network. March 2005. (with W. Umberger)

Alternative Agriculture: Grassfed Beef Enterprise Budgets. Presentation to Colorado Organic Producers Association Annual Meeting. (with J. Wilson and J. Tranel). March 2005. Brighton CO.

Colorado Crop to Cuisine: Progress on Specialty Crops Research. Presentation to Colorado Organic Producers Association Annual Meeting. (with J. Wilson). March 2005. Brighton CO.

Exploring Needs and Interest in Local Food Policy. Presentation to Northern Colorado Food Policy Council: Boulder Chapter. February 2005. Lafayette CO.

The Potential for Food Policy Councils in Northern Colorado. Presentation to Northern Colorado Food Policy

Council: Larimer Chapter. February 2005. Fort Collins CO

Potential Linkages between CSU and the Rural Health Center. Discussion with Colorado Rural Health and Economic Development leaders. January 2005. Denver CO.

Developing a Market Plan: Skill Building. Presentation to the Value-Added Business Workshop. Eads CO. January 2005.

What is the Next Step in Developing your Value-Added Marketing Plan? Presentation to the Value-Added Business Workshop. Eads CO. January 2005.

Farm to Table: Understanding Local Food Links. Presentation to Fort Collins food policy group. November 2004. (with Katy Pepinsky and Adrian Card).

The Economic Contribution of Colorado's Golf Industry. Presentation to the Colorado Golf Association's Governors Outing. June 2004. Firestone CO. (with S. Davies and P. Watson)

Financial feasibility of a Beef Processing Plant. Presentation to Colorado Homestead Ranches. May 2004. Paonia CO. (with A. Ziehl)

Developing a Market Plan. Presentation to Marketing your Food Product conference, sponsored by Colorado Department of Agriculture: Markets Division. April 2004. Denver CO. 4.44 on a scale of 5.

Economic Outlook for the Colorado Landscape Contracting Sector. Presentation to the Northern Colorado Association of Landscape Contractors. March 2004. Fort Collins CO.

New Retail and Direct Sales Opportunities for Northern Colorado Food Producers. Presentation at Colorado Harmony Market. March 2004. Fort Collins CO.

Skill Building for Marketing Plans. Presentation to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Southwest Marketing Network Conference. March 2004. Flagstaff AZ.

Effectively Investing your Limited Resources. Presentation to the Colorado Organic Conference and Trade Show. March 2004. Brighton CO.

Organizational Issues for Niche Beef Marketing and Production Enterprises. Presentation to the Niche Beef Workshop. February 2004. Montrose CO.

Marketing and Organizational Experiences of Colorado Homestead Markets. Field trip discussion to the Niche Beef Workshop. February 2004. Montrose CO.

Organizational Issues and Risk Management for Niche Beef Marketing and Production Enterprises. Presentation to the Niche Beef Workshop. February 2004. Colorado Springs CO.

Retail Business Planning, Organizational Development and Strategic Planning. Presentations and meetings with Harmony Farmers Foundation, Rocky Mountain Farmers Union, Tres Rios Cooperative, Colorado Agricultural Marketing Cooperative and various potential partners in the proposed Fort Collins-based Harmony Market. March-December 2003.

Golf Course Industry Survey, Analysis and Educational Programming development. Presentations and meetings with the Colorado Golf Association, Golf Course Managers and other Allied Golf Organizations. April-December 2003. 5 meetings with an average of 8 participants.

Initial Findings of the Colorado Golf Industry Surveys. Presentation to the Colorado Golf Course Managers Association. November 2003.

Contribution of the Green Industry to Colorado's Economy, 1994-2002. Presentation to the GreenCO Owners and Managers Meeting. November 2003. Vail, CO. 52 in attendance.

Evolving Consumer Preferences, Sustainable Livestock Trends and Funding Opportunities. Presented at Planning Meeting for Westward Slow! A Rocky Mountain Slow Food Convivia. June 2003.

Opportunities for Local Value-Added Agriculture. Presentation to the Larimer County Land Planning Commission. June 2003. Fort Collins CO.

Overcoming Barriers to Local Food Marketing. Invited presentation to *Colorado Sustainability Summit: Forging Solutions at Colleges and Universities*. April 2003. Boulder CO.

Assessing the Economic Impact of the Colorado Golf Course Industry. Presentation to Colorado Golf Association Allied Member Board. March 2003. Teleconference. (with Steve Davies)

Direct Marketing to Chefs: The Case of Colorado Crop to Cuisine. Presentation to the Southwest Marketing Network Conference. March 31, 2003.

Cultivating Local Foodlinks: Barriers and Motivators to Institutional Food Sales. Presentation to the Southwest Marketing Network Conference. March 31, 2003.

Business Planning, Product Development and Educational Programming for Chef Marketing and Distribution. Presentation to the Colorado Crop to Cuisine Board of Directors. Various group and individual meetings. March-November, 2003. (with American Farmland Trust and CCC Board).

Direct Marketing for your Small Business: Strategic Marketing and Management Plans. Presentation to Elbert County Small Business owners. January 2003. (with S. Hine)

Lessons Learned from Local, Direct Marketing Efforts. Presentation to *Chew on This! Get to Know your Food* conference. Telluride, CO. December 2002.

Colorado Homestead Ranches: Value Added Beef Products and the Local Retailing Efforts. Presentation to Colorado Homestead Ranches leadership. November 2002.

Employment and Revenue Trends for the Colorado Green Industry, 1994-2002. Presentation to the GreenCO Owners and Managers Meeting. November 2002. 58 in attendance.

Understanding the Economic Impact of the Green Industry on the Colorado Economy. Presentation and discussion with the GreenCO executive director, Board members, Colorado Department of Agriculture and state data agencies. Denver CO. August 2002.

Motivators for Buying Local Food Products. Presentation to the Delta County, Colorado Commissioners. Delta CO. July 2002.

Market Potential for Ready-to-eat Beef Entrees in Western Colorado. Presentation to Colorado Homestead Ranches. Paonia CO. July 2002.

Localizing our Food Choices. Presentation at *Reinventing the Meal: Educational Symposium by the Sierra Club Lifestyles Committee*. Denver CO. April 2002.

Coordinating the Local Market. Presentation for the 2002 Colorado Crop to Cuisine Producer-Chef Alliance. Fort Collins CO. March 4, 2002.

Colorado Workforce Trends. Presentation to the 2002 Colorado State University Cooperative Extension In-Service. Fort Collins CO. February 28, 2002. (with E. Garner)

CSUCE Resources for Successful Employment Transitions. Presentation to the 2002 Colorado State University Cooperative Extension In-Service. Fort Collins CO. February 28, 2002. (with Jacque Miller)

Integrating Financial and Appraisal Principles into CSU's Agribusiness Curriculum. Presentation to the Association of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers Annual Meeting. Loveland CO. February 21, 2002.

The Hispanic Labor Force in Colorado's Agricultural and Rural Economy. Presentation to the 2002 Colorado Agricultural Outlook Forum. Denver CO. February 19, 2002.

Local Connections: Producers and Buyers. Presentation at the Human Side of Farming Conference. Loveland CO. February 1, 2002. (with Garry Auld)

Celebrating Colorado Cuisine: Procuring & Promotion Colorado Foods. Presentation to the 2002 WestEx, Rocky Mountain Regional Hospitality Exposition. Denver CO. January 29, 2002. (with Wendy White)

Farmer-Chef Marketing Alliances. Presentation to the ACF Culinarians of Colorado. Golden CO. November 12, 2001.

The Keys to Preparing Successful Research Grant Proposals. Presentation to the Agricultural Economists Young Professionals Conference. Keystone Resort, CO. June 2001.

Marketing Issues and Feasibility of a Farmer-Chef Collaborative. Presentations at Fort Collins FoodLinks (February 2001), Denver FoodLinks (March 2001) and Fort Collins Farmer's Market (March 2001) Meetings.

Integrating Marketing Plans Effectively in Your Business. Presentation to the Western Colorado Horticultural Society Annual Convention. Grand Junction, CO. January 2000.

Market Assessment for Colorado Apples. Presentation to the 1999 Apple Buyer's Luncheon. Denver CO. October 1999.

Immigration and Farm Labor Issues in Colorado. Presentation to the WCC-76--Committee on the Globalization of Rural America. Davis CA. September 1999.

Migrant Worker Trends and Issues in Colorado. Presentation to the National Advisory Council on Migrant Health. Denver, CO. April 1999.

Hiring, Managing and Motivating Workers. Presentation to the 1999 Cattle College of the Colorado Livestock Association. Milliken, CO. March 1999.

Basic Needs Assessment for Migrant Populations. Presentation to NOWCAP (Northwest Community Action Programs of Wyoming) and other Wyoming State Agencies. February 1999.

Using Distributors and Brokers to Market Food Products: A Marketing Seminar for Colorado Food Companies. Panel Moderator and Assisted in Organizing with Colorado Department of Agriculture. November 1998.

Macedonian Agriculture: Building Trust. CSU International Connections Talk. November 1998.

Trends and Issues in Financial Management. Presentation at the Mega-Trends in Agriculture Cooperative Extension In-Service Program. February 1998.

Moderated Agribusiness Panel at 1998 Colorado State University Business Day. February, 1998.

Managing Financial and Legal Risks. Presented at the 1998 Colorado Farm Show. Greeley, CO. January 1998.

Landscape Management Teleconference Satellite Broadcast Program 1997: The Economics of Landscape Maintenance, Utah State University, September 1997. (With L. Rupp, L. Sagers, Roger Kjelgren and Fred

Liljegren)

Cooperatives: Instructional Plan. Presented to Annual Meeting of Utah Vocational Agriculture Instructors, 1996.

Financial Issues in U.S. Agriculture. Presented to Belorussian delegation to Utah State University, December 1995.

Case Studies of California Farm Labor Contractors. Presented at WRCC-76 Meetings in Tucson, AZ, Feb. 1995.

Hedging Potential Across Hedging Objectives, Time, Space, and Product Form: The Case of California Cattle.  
Presented to several *Cattle Producer Association Meetings* in California, 1993-95. (With S.C. Blank)

***Media, Popular Press and Book Reviews (Contributor to media stories)***

Amid the pandemic, hog farmers face a crisis: Too many pigs, nowhere to go. Interview with NBC news. May 2020. Online at: <https://www.nbcnews.com/video/amid-the-pandemic-hog-farmers-face-a-crisis-too-many-pigs-nowhere-to-go-84033605950>

US meat plants close, but supply strong for grilling season. Interview with Breitbart News. April 2020. Online at: <https://www.breitbart.com/news/us-meat-plants-close-but-supply-strong-for-grilling-season/>

Lawmakers prod USDA to aid local food growers hit by pandemic. Interview with Ellyn Ferguson, CQ-Roll Call, Apr 10, 2020. Online at: <https://www.arcamax.com/business/businessnews/s-2349627>

Farmworkers risk coronavirus infection to keep the U.S. fed. Interview with National Geographic. April 2020. Online at: <https://www.nationalgeographic.com/science/2020/04/farmworkers-risk-coronavirus-infection-keep-us-fed/>

Farmers markets get creative in midst of pandemic. Interview and policy brief cited in Ag Journal. March 2020. Online at: <https://www.agjournalonline.com/news/20200327/farmers-markets-get-creative-in-midst-of-pandemic>

As Coronavirus Ravages Businesses, Small Farms and Independent Restaurants Rally for Economic Relief. Interview and policy brief cited in: Civil Eats. March 2020. Online at: <https://civileats.com/2020/03/24/as-coronavirus-ravages-businesses-small-farms-and-independent-restaurants-rally-for-economic-relief/>.

COVID-19 Could Cause \$689-Million Decline in Sales for Farmers. Interview and policy Brief cited in Modern Farmer. March 2020. Online at: <https://modernfarmer.com/2020/03/covid-19-could-cause-689-million-decline-in-sales-for-farmers/>

Hemp's growing pains continue. AgriView. December 26, 2019. Posted at: [https://www.agupdate.com/agriview/news/business/hemp-s-growing-pains-continue/article\\_0d038d2b-5315-511c-86d4-81599a047079.html](https://www.agupdate.com/agriview/news/business/hemp-s-growing-pains-continue/article_0d038d2b-5315-511c-86d4-81599a047079.html)

Exploring a Decade of Big Changes in Local Food. Civil Eats 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Feature Roundtable Discussion. November 2019. Posted at: <https://civileats.com/2019/11/19/exploring-a-decade-of-big-changes-in-local-food/>.

Colorado ranchers bracing for continued low cattle prices through 2017. High Plains Public Radio. <http://hpr.org/post/colorado-ranchers-bracing-continued-low-cattle-prices-through-2017>. January 31.

Did the Local Food Movement Trickle Down to Local Farmers? Union of Concerned Science Network, UCS | August 25, 2016. <http://blog.ucsusa.org/science-blogger/did-the-local-food-movement-trickle-down-to-local-farmers>

Tapping into the earth's energy to grow local food. Harvest Public Media. February 5, 2016. <http://harvestpublicmedia.org/article/tapping-earths-energy-grow-local-food>

Agritourism a growing opportunity on the farm. Local Harvest Media. June 12, 2014.

These mushrooms come from Colorado. The Greeley Tribune. March 2014.

Thanks to new farm bill, organic farming now has more backing. The Fence Post. February 24, 2014.

Winemakers boost state, local economy. Grand Junction Sentinel. January 18, 2014.

Running a CSA can be a tricky business. Harvest Public Media story. June 2013.

A growing market: Developing CSA opens local avenue for consumers and growers. Greeley Tribune article by E. Brown. March 2013.

Berry's Bringing It to the Table: A call to honor farming and food. Book Review of Bringing It to the Table: On Farming and Food by Wendell Berry. *Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems and Community Development*. Fall 2010.

Small Farmers Creating a New Business Model as Agriculture Goes Local. New York Times article by K. Johnson. July 2012.

Organic production not keeping up with demand; Weld in prime place for needed growth, experts say. Greeley Tribune story by E. Brown. May 2012.

Hiring Locally for Farm Work Is No Cure-All. New York Times article by K. Johnson. May 2011.

Why a Local Food System? KUNC Radio program with Gailmarie Kimmel (Co-Director, Be Local NC); Linda Hoffmann (Planning Director, Larimer County); Garry Auld (Food Science & Nutrition, CSU); Dawn Thilmany McFadden (Ag Economics, CSU). Spring 2010.

Love of local: Could Boulder County supply its own food? Boulder Camera. December 2009.

Buying direct from producers gains consumer support. Fresh from the Field Agri-Bytes, Newsletter for Citrus Industry published by the Packer, June 2009.

Fruits, Vegetables and Specialty Crops: Increasing Demand and Local Markets. Future of Colorado Agriculture Blog, January 2009.

Importance of Agricultural Workers, Future of Colorado Agriculture Blog, December 2008.

Ag industry holding its own during economic turmoil. Featured interview. Colorado Springs Business Journal. October 24, 2008.

Why Localism Matters. Radio interview to KGNU in Boulder. March 2008.

State of the State: Travel; Agritourism on the rise. Featured research in article by Bob Kretschman. Colorado Biz Today. March 2008.

Buying direct from producers gains consumer support. Research featured in The Grower magazine. January 2008.

Interviewed and featured in: "Culinary getaways: Boulder County's 'agritourism' business is booming" Boulder Daily Camera, Meg Tilton, Monday, November 26, 2007

Research cited in "CSU research details growing economic windfall of agritourism," High Plains Journal, December 17, 2007

Research cited in “Agritourism an Economic Farm Windfall, Colorado Report Finds” Western Stockman October 24, 2007.

Research cited and interviewed for: “Agriculture tourism sprouts fields of green Farms, ranches helped harvest \$2.2 billion in '06.” Rocky Mountain News, Joanne Kelley, Thursday, October 11, 2007

Research cited in and interviewed for, “Visitors lured to state for taste of the how-to's of food,” The Coloradoan, by Trevor Hughes, August 15, 2007.

Immigration: Migrating Views from Rural Colorado. Colorado Confidential. December 2006.

Colorado Crop to Cuisine: A Match Made at Market. CSU Vice President of Research Newsletter. Winter 2006.

Thilmany, D. Review of Agri-Food Globalization in Perspective: International Restructuring in the Processing Tomato Industry. In *Agribusiness: An International Journal* 21(2005): 287-88

Review of *Immigration Reform and U.S. Agriculture*. In *American Journal of Agricultural Economics* 77(1995).

Putting Down Roots. *The Salt Lake Tribune*. December 29, 1996. Major contributor to lead article on Hispanic migrants to rural Utah, Shawn Foster.

The Farm Bill's Effect on Utah Agribusiness. *Utah Farm Bureau Spokesman*. November 1996.

Minimum Wage Debated in Cache Valley. *The Logan Herald Journal*, June 24, 1996. Main contributor.

**GRANTS: Over \$3.5 million in grant funding, with over 70% returned to DARE or Extension colleagues.**

Cross-State Heterogeneity of Farm-Scale Hemp Production Costs. Subcontract with University of Kentucky and Cooperative Agreement with the USDA Ag Marketing Service. \$360,000. With D. Mooney and R. Hill.

Local and Regional Food Systems COVID-19 Rapid Response. Subcontract with University of Kentucky and Cooperative Agreement with the USDA Ag Marketing Service. \$135,000. With B. Jablonski.

Planning and Technical Support to Diversify Economic Opportunities in Colorado: A Proposed Technical Assistance Project. Proposal to the Economic Development Administration. \$575,000. With S. Weiler, S. Shrake, A. Sintas, R. Hill and in cooperation with Delta County.. August 2020-March 2022.

Keeping Up with Raising Rents: In Search of Equity and Food Security for Our Children through SNAP Housing Policy that is More Responsive to Housing Markets and Rapidly Raising Rental Costs Experienced in Many Communities. Unfunded proposal to the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation with Hunger Free Colorado. \$50,000. With B. Cleary and J. Berning. March 2020-February 2021.

Improving the Quality And Availability Of Financial And Market-Based Benchmarks For Diverse, Small And Mid-Sized Farms And Ranches. Proposal to USDA NIFA with U of Minnesota and U of Kentucky. \$250,000. June 2020-May 2022.

Estimating the Potential Impact of Expanded Healthy Food Incentives: Exploring Food System Impacts. Contract agreement with the SPUR, the San Francisco Bay Area Planning and Urban Research Association. \$125,000. With B. Jablonski and A. Bauman. January 2020-March 2021.

Exploring the Market Dynamics and Economic Implications of Regional Food Start-Ups and their Supporting Food Business Ecosystem. Cooperative Agreement with the USDA Ag Marketing Service. \$133,200. with The Food Corridor. October 2019-March 2021.

Colorado Hemp Advancement and Management Plan (CHAMP). Interagency agreement with the Colorado

Department of Agriculture. With E. Kelly, R. Hill and MPG group. \$250,000. August 2019-August 2020.

Gig Economy Focus Groups. Proposal to the Colorado Department of Labor and Employment. With R. Hill. \$25,000. August-December 2019.

Application to Establish the USDA-NASDA Foundation Farm to School Accelerator Train-the-Trainer Program (F2S Accelerator Program) For Enhancing Producer Participation in Farm to School Programs. Unfunded subcontract to the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture. With B. Jablonski and A. Bauman. February 2019-July 2021. \$180,000 subcontract for \$2 million cooperative agreement.

Emerging market opportunities for Colorado craft beverages: How will access to grocery and convenience stores influence consumer choices, marketing strategies and supply chains? With Marco Costanigro and in collaboration with the Colorado Brewers Guild, the Brewers Association and the CSU Fermentation Science and Technology Program. \$136,000. Funded by the USDA Ag Marketing Service Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program. October 2018-September 2020.

Outreach and Training on New Tools and Resources for Assessing Economic Impact of Local Food Systems (Economic Benchmark Data, Economic Impact Calculator, and New Case Study Material). \$27,000. Cooperative Agreement with the USDA-Ag Marketing Service. October 2018-September 2019. (with R. Jablonski)

Integrating Community and Modeling Efforts to Evaluate Impacts and Tradeoffs of Food System Interventions, lead PI B.B.R. Jablonski. With A. Bonanno, M. Pagliassotti, E. Ryan, L. Bellows, R. Cleary, O. David, R. Boone, M. Carolan, P. Meiman, and J. Quinn. Foundation for Food and Agricultural Research (FFAR), \$1,000,000 (FFAR); \$1,000,718 (match); \$2,000,718 (total)

Rural Community Impacts of Farm to School: Food Supply Chains, Educational Programming, and Household Food Purchases, with B.B.R. Jablonski, A. Bonanno, M. Costanigro, and M. Prescott. U.S. Department of Agriculture, National Institute of Food and Agriculture, \$574,420.

Connecting and Strengthening Livestock Supply Chain Nodes: Managing Risk and Assessing New Market Opportunities for Small to Mid-Sized Livestock Production and Processing in Colorado. \$50,000. 2018-2020. Collaborator. Co-PIs Mooney and Sullins.

Colorado Farm Show Economic Contribution. \$15,000. 2018. Collaborator with Weiler and Hill.

Rural Wealth Creation. Funded proposal to the Vice President for Research's Office, Colorado State University. Catalyst for Innovative Partnership, Collaborator, \$200,000. 2017-2010. Collaborator. Co-PIs Jablonski and Carolan.

Improving the quality and availability of financial and market-based benchmarks for diverse, small and mid-sized farms and ranches. Unfunded \$500,000 proposal to USDA NIFA AFRI. 2018-2020. (PI with A. Bauman and B. Jablonski).

Evaluating Management Interventions to Enhance the Sustainability for US Agricultural Production in a Changing Climate. Resubmission of \$1.2 million proposal to USDA NIFA AFRI Climate Variability and Change Challenge Grant program. (w. S.M. Ogle, D.T. Manning, K. Paustian, F. Cotrufo)

Colorado Food Blueprint: Opportunities for Colorado's Food System. Internally funded research and outreach project for CSU Ag Experiment Station. \$106,000. October 2016-December 2017. (with B. Jablonski and G. Graff)

Rural Employment Sustainability and Establishment Dynamics. \$65,000 Cooperative Agreement with the USDA-Economic Research Service. October 2016-September 2018. (with S. Low and M. Castillo).

Toolkit 2.0: Integrating Community Cases and Planning Aids. \$144,000. Cooperative Agreement with the USDA-



Ag Marketing Service. October 2016-September 2018. (with R. Jablonski)

Rural community impacts of farm to school: the intersection between food supply chains, school policies, and household purchasing habits. USDA NIFA AFRI. Funded for \$500,000 March 2017-December 2020. (B. Jablonski, M. Costanigro, M. Prescott, A. Bauman, A. Bonanno, and USDA personnel).

Public Perceptions of Agriculture in Colorado: An Update of the 2016 Public Attitudes About Colorado Agriculture. \$35,000. June 2016-July 2017. (co-led by M. Martin)

Economic Impact of U.S. Farm to School Sales. Invited Proposal to the US Farm to School Network, USDA AMS and USDA FNS. \$30,000. September 2016-August 2017. (B. Jablonski, A. Bauman, A. Bonanno, D. Tropp and A. Joshi).

Engaging Undergraduates Students in Food Systems Education and Experiential Learning. \$300,000. October 2016-September 2018. (led by M. Pagliassotti, M. Martin and M. Bunning).

Exploring the Relationship between Specialty Crop Supply Chain Strategies, Marketing Efficiency and Profitability. Unfunded Application to the Specialty Crop Research Initiative. \$2,990,000. October 2016-September 2019. (with R. Jablonski, M. Sullins, R. Rainey, G. Matteson, L. Gwin and T. Schmit)

Outreach, Training and Proof of Concept of USDA AMS Economic Impact Assessment Tool Kit. \$125,000. Cooperative Agreement with the USDA-Ag Marketing Service. October 2015-September 2016. (with B.B.R. Jablonski)

Market Channel Assessments for Colorado Fruit and Vegetable Growers. \$108,000 Federal State Marketing Improvement Program grant from the USDA Ag Marketing Service. December 2015-March 2017. (led by R. Jablonski, with the Colorado Department of Agriculture, Martha Sullins and Tim Woods)

Colorado Building Farmers: Deepening our Investments in Diversified and Emerging Agricultural Operations. \$750,000. Unfunded Proposal to the USDA Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Grant. October 2015-September 2018. (with M. Sullins, A. Card, B. LaShell, K. Ricketts).

Colorado Blend Sensory Panels, Valuation and Labeling. \$23,000. Specialty Crop Grant subcontract from the Colorado Wine Industry Development Board. October 2014-December 2015. (with M. Costanigro)

Evaluating the Rural Economic Impacts of Local Food System Activity. \$30,000 Cooperative Agreement with USDA Economic Research Service. July 2014-June 2016. (Becca Jablonski PI).

Evaluating the Role of Small and Mid-Size Farms and their Impacts in Local and Regional Food Systems. \$249,000 subcontract to Oklahoma State University for \$500,000 project. Funded by the USDA-AFRI Small and Midsize Farm Grant program. April 2014-December 2017. (with A. Bauman)

Place Based Innovation: An Integrated Approach to Agritourism Development in the Western US. \$495,000 Funded proposal to USDA-AFRI Entrepreneurship, Technology and Innovation program. January 2014-December 2017. (with R. Hill, M. Sullins, UC-Davis and U. of Northern Colorado).

On-farm Cyanobacterial Bio-fertilizer Production to Reduce the Carbon Footprint of Organic Fruit and Vegetables. Funded proposal to Western SARE for \$125,000. January 2014-December 2017. (Jessica Davis PI).

Colorado Irrigation and Dairy Efficiency Analysis . \$10,000. Funded proposal to the Colorado Office of Energy. March 2014-July 2014. (with C. Weiner).

Development of a Standardized Evidence-Based Economic Impact Assessment Toolkit for Food System Clusters. \$135,000. Cooperative Agreement with the USDA-Ag Marketing Service. October 2013-September 2014.

Risk Management Training and Budgeting for the Costs of Food Safety on Colorado Farms. \$49,995. Funded by

the Western Center for Risk Management Education. (led by M. Sullins and M. Bunning). July 2013-June 2014.

Pueblo County Food Assessment. \$28,000. Funded by Pueblo County and subcontract through WPM Consulting. (with A. Colpaart and M. Sullins). February 1, 2013-September 30, 2013.

Food Safety and Risk Management Education and Outreach for Cottage Food Producers . \$24,000. Funded by the Colorado Department of Agriculture (with M. Sullins and M. Bunning). \$35,749. July 2012-March 2013.

The Grape and Wine Industry's Impact on the Colorado Economy. Funded by the Wine Industry Development Board. (with M. Costanigro). \$30,000. August 2012-June 2013.

The Harvest Plan: A Feasibility of Operations and Financial Viability. Project with the Volunteers of America. Ongoing. \$25,000. July 2012-October 2013.

Building Environmental Leaders in Animal Agriculture (BELAA) . Funded by the University of Nebraska. (with M. Sullins). \$14,000. August 2011-August 2012.

Building Farmers In The West: Strengthening Foundations and Fortifying the Community Supporting Specialty Producers. Funded by the USDA Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program. \$540,000. 2012-15. (with Martha Sullins, James Pritchett, Kellie Enns and Adrian Card).

Be Local Winter Farmers Markets: Expansion and Strengthening Producers through Season Extension, Value-Added development and Economic Development. Funded by the USDA Farmers Market Promotion Program with Be Local Northern Colorado. \$50,000. 2011-12.

Colorado Public Attitudes about Agriculture. Funded by the Colorado Department of Agriculture. \$24,900. 2011-12. (with Martha Sullins).

Consumer Ranking and Valuation of Credence Attributes in Fluid Milk. Funded proposal to Aurora Organic Dairy. \$20,000. (with M. Costanigro). 2010-11.

Regional Food System Assessment. Funded proposal by Larimer, Boulder and Weld County to Colorado Department of Local Affairs. \$35,500. 2009-2010. (with Linda Hoffman and Martha Sullins)

Building Farmers in the West: Creating New Capacity, Community and Opportunities For Specialty Producers. Subcontract to Washington State University for the USDA Beginning and Young Farmer Grant program. \$320,000. Funded for 2009-2012 (with M. Sullins and A. Card)

Educating Wholesale buyers and consumers to Use MarketMaker as a Research Tool to Locate Colorado wine and food and agritourism related experiences. Funded by USDA FSMIP with Colorado Department of Agriculture. \$42,000 (with Martha Sullins). 2009-2011.

Local Food Systems: Using Extension as a Platform to Connect and Inform Producers, Consumers and Policy. CSU Extension Venture Capital Grant. Funded for \$14,604. 2009-2011.

A Proposal for Support to the Community Marketplace Project. Funded project with the Fort Collins Downtown Development Authority. \$135,000. With Doug Murray and Hill Grimmitt. 2009-2010.

Colorado Building Farmers Program: Creating New Capacity and Opportunities. Funded by the Western Center for Risk Management Education. \$50,000. With A. Card, M. Sullins and 5 County-based Extension professionals. 2009-2011.

Developing Values-Based Distribution Networks to Enhance the Prosperity of Small- and Medium-Sized Producers. Subcontract to UC-Davis USDA NRI Grant. CSU Subcontract funded for \$90,000. 2009-2011.

Borlaug Africa Organic Certification Program. \$40,000. Funded by USDA. August-December 2008. (with N. Irlbeck, J. Davies, A. Elliott and F. Stonaker).

Building Farmers Program. \$15,000. Funded by Extension Innovation Grant and Western SARE Mini-Grant program. (with A. Card).

Licensure and Access to the Market Maker Software and Website. \$52,000. Funded by Colorado Department of Agriculture. July 2008-June 2009.

Economic Contribution of Colorado's Green Industry, Update for 2002-07. \$15,000 Funded by GreenCO. December 2007-September 2008.

Organic, Locality and Food Miles-Implications for Trade, Supply Chains, Environment and Consumer Welfare. Funded by USDA NRI Markets and Trade Program. \$462,000. June 2007-January 2011. With Yuko Onozaka and Marisa Bunning, in collaboration with Marco Costanigro and Stephan Kroll.

Under the Radar. Federal State Marketing Improvement Program funded proposal with the National Bison Association. \$45,000. Funded October 2007-December 2008. (with Dave Carter)

Agritourism Development in Colorado: Improving Decision-Making Tools for an Emerging Income Diversification Strategy. Funded by the Western Risk Management Education Program. \$48,599. Fall 2007-Fall 2009. (led by Dennis Kaan and Martha Sullins).

Enhancing Agritourism Enterprises through Community Partnerships. Funded by Western SARE Professional Development Program. \$59,973. October 2007-September 2009. (with Martha Sullins, Andy Seidl, and Yuko Onazaka)

Animal Disease Economic Impacts. Cooperative Agreement with USDA-APHIS. \$45,151. October 2006-September 2007. (with Dustin Pendell)

Creating and Enhancing Business Opportunities in Rural Colorado through Agritourism and Heritage Tourism Training and Promotion. CSU Cooperative Extension Venture Capital Fund Grant \$15,000. (with Martha Sullins and Josh Wilson)

Exploring Consumer Preferences and Travel Plans for Agritourism in Colorado. Funded Federal State Marketing Improvement Program proposal. \$48,000. August 2006-December 2007. (with Martha Sullins and Josh Wilson).

Agritourism Development in Colorado. Unfunded reproposal to the Western Center for Risk Management Education. \$42,000. July 2006-October 2007. (with Martha Sullins and Josh Wilson)

High tunnel Season Extension and Market Growth for Cut Flowers on the West Slope. CSU Specialty Crops grant program. \$24,000 proposal funded at \$12,000. January-December 2006. (with A. Krest)

Economic Impact of Colorado's Wine Industry. Proposal funded by Colorado Wine Industry Development Board. \$12,000. August 2005-May 2006. (with George Kress and College of Business).

Grand Valley Winery Cooperative . Proposal funded by Colorado Value-added Program in Collaboration with the Western Colorado Business Development Corporation and Rocky Mountain Vintners and Viticulturalists. \$15,000. July 2005-May 2006.

Colorado Crop to Cuisine: Enhancing Value-Added Product Offerings and More Diverse Marketing Channels. Funded proposal to the CSU Specialty Crops Program. \$15,800 requested, \$7800 funded. (through Colorado Crop to Cuisine). February-December 2005.

Economic Analysis of Water Resource Use Efficiency in Golf. Funded proposal to the United States Golf Course

Superintendents Association. \$18,950. (with P. Watson and E. Schuck).

Differentiating Small Farm Produce Offerings through Nutritionally Superior Cultivars, Marketing, and Extension Programs. Funded proposal to the USDA NRI Small Farms Grant Program \$450,000 (with Cecil Stushnoff, Pat Kendall and Frank Stonaker).

Colorado Crop to Cuisine: Strengthening Market Relationships between Chefs and Specialty Crop Producers. Grant from CSU Specialty Crops Program. \$10,000 funded of a \$19,000 budget. (through Honeyacre Enterprises). March 2004-January 2005.

Rocky Mountain Regional Rural Cooperative Development Grant proposal. Funded subcontract with Rocky Mountain Farmers' Union Cooperative Center. \$40,000 of a \$323,000 total grant. March-December 2004. (with S. Hine)

Book Work Plan: Livestock Insurance Products. Funded by USDA-APHIS. \$25,000. September 2003-September 2004. (with D. Hoag)

Business Planning for Niche Beef Markets. Funded by the Western Center for Risk Management Education. \$25,000. Fall 2003-Winter 2004. (Submitted by American Farmland Trust).

Timing of Green Manure Use in Organic Vegetable Production Systems: Impact on Soil Fertility and Pest Management. Submitted to the Organic Farming Research Foundation. \$14,306. January-November 2004. (with Frank Stonaker, Jessica G. Davis, Howard Schwartz, Whitney S. Cranshaw and Scott J. Nissen)

Colorado Crop to Cuisine: Exploring Farmer-Chef Marketing Opportunities. Funded by the Colorado Agricultural Experiment Station. April-November 2003. \$4500. (with Colorado Crop to Cuisine Board)

The Economic Impact of Animal Disease on the Food Marketing Sector. Funded Farm Foundation Showcase Project. March 2003-January 2004. \$20,600. (with James Pritchett and Kami Rosenstiel).

Economic Impact of Colorado Golf Industry. Funded by the Colorado Golf Association. \$32,000. June 2003-February 2004. (with S. Davies and P. Watson).

The Effect of Retail Marketing Trends on Animal Product Purchases and Prices. Cooperative Agreement with the USDA Economic Research Service Animal Products Division. \$20,000. September 2002-December 2003. (with James Pritchett)

The Economic Impact of Animal Disease in the United States. Cooperative Agreement with the USDA Economic Research Service Animal Products Division. \$20,000. September 2002-December 2003. (with James Pritchett)

Colorado Homestead Ranches: Retailing Convenient Beef and Local Food Offerings. Subcontract with Colorado Homestead Ranches USDA Value Added Development Grant. \$33,686 subcontract of \$143,000 total grant. January 2004-January 2005. (With Robbie Baird LeValley and David Peebles).

Economic Contribution of Colorado's Green Industry, 2002. Funded by GreenCO. \$23,000. September 2002-September 2003. (With S. Davies)

New Opportunities to Cooperate and Educate: Promoting a CSU Interdisciplinary Program on Sustainable Agroecosystems (SAES). \$1500. Funded by Colorado Western SARE mini-grant program. Summer 2002.

Niche Beef Production and Marketing in Colorado. Funded by the Western Regional SARE Professional Development Program. \$60,000. Fall 2002-Fall 2004. (Submitted by American Farmland Trust).

Establishing Dialogue Between Alternative Agricultural Producers and the Land-Grant University in Colorado. Funded by the Western Region SARE Professional Development Program. \$60,000. (With Jessica G. Davis, W. Dennis Lamm, and Susan E. Hine).

Market Potential for a Farmer-Chef Distribution System USDA Federal-State Marketing Improvement Program (FSMIP). 2000-01. \$40,000 (With Carol Beaver and the CO Dept. of Agriculture).

Feasibility of Welfare-to-Work Food Safety Training Programs. USDA Food Safety and Quality National Initiative. 1999-2000 \$55,000. (With S. Hine, P. Kendall and Kenneth Smith)

Consumer Demand for Colorado Apples. Funded by the Colorado Apple Administrative Committee. 1999-2000. \$2500 (With J. Grannis, S. Hine and CSU NAMA)

Assessing the Market for Natural Pork and Beef Products in Intermountain States. Funded by Rocky Mountain Farmers Union, Rocky Mountain Beef Association and USDA-Rural Development. 1997-1999. \$25,000 (Led by Ed Sparling and E. Scorsone)

Improving Justification of Sustainable Landscaping and Water Conservation. Funded by Bureau of Reclamation for 1997, grant amount--\$30,000. (With L. Rupp and R. Kjelgren)

Migrant Workers: Fueling Utah Rural Development. Utah State University Faculty Research Grant, 1995-96, grant amount—\$14,900.

Trends in Rural Labor Markets and Their Role in Economic Development. Agricultural Experiment Station Project, UTA 091, 1995-2000, grant amount—\$88,750.

An Assessment of Farm Labor Contractors' Business Management and Its Effects on the California Farm Labor Market. Agricultural Personnel Management Program Grant, 1993. (With J. E. Taylor and P. Martin)

ISU Agricultural College Travel Grant to work with Agribiotechnologia de Costa Rica, S.V., Summer 1989.

### **TEACHING:**

Colorado State University:

Agricultural Sciences 120—Freshman Seminar for Agricultural Majors  
 AGRI 181 Guest Lecture, Fall 2019 at ARDEC  
 AREC 325 Personnel Management in Agriculture  
 AREC 308 Agricultural Finance, both classroom and Distance Education courses  
 Hort/Soil Crop Science 424 Topics in Organic Agriculture capstone course (team taught)  
 AREC 310 Agricultural Marketing, Honors section added 2014  
 AREC 428 Agribusiness and Cooperative Management  
 AREC 508 Graduate Agricultural Finance  
 AREC 530 Graduate Price Analysis (With Steve Davies)  
 AREC 580 Graduate Agribusiness Case Study Analysis (lead instructor of team)  
 AREC 328 Small Agribusiness Management  
 AREC 478 Ag Policy  
 AREC 492 Independent Study to Assess Market Strategy for AgriBusiness Association  
 AREC 792 Math Seminar to Accompany M315  
 AREC 792avAgribusiness Management and Marketing Seminar (with Steve Davies, Sue Hine, Wendy Umberger and Steve Koontz)  
 AREC 710 Agribusiness Marketing and Consumer Demand (with Marco Costanigro and Steve Koontz; Alessandro Bonanno added in 2016)  
 Honors Advised ShelbyLynne Enke (2019) Brooke Childers (2019) and Marin Jacobson (2018),  
 Committee member for Haydn Christensen and Dalten Fox

Denver University Enrichment Course. Food Systems. November 2017.

Member of Organic Program Steering Committee, 2006-present  
Advisor to the Farm Credit Service Student Board of Directors, 2008-2013  
Participated in 1997-98 CSU Multicultural Curriculum Infusion Project  
Mentored four students in the CSU Agricultural College Graduate Discovery Internship Program, 1998-99, 2002  
Guest Lectures in CSU Compost College, Hort 484, Hort 452, A 692, VS570 (Issues in Animal Agriculture) and A546, IRM Integrating Wildlife Enterprises into your Ranch Operation, FN 496B Sustainable Food issues, FN620  
Advanced Community Nutrition, SC171/H171 Environmental Issues in Agriculture, AREC 412 Commodity Marketing

Utah State University:

Graduate Agricultural Marketing and Consumer Demand, Agribusiness Management and Cooperatives,  
Applied Matrix Algebra, Agricultural Finance, Agribusiness Management for Non-Majors, Independent Study  
in Economics, Advised Travis Lybbert's Honors Project, Spring-Summer 1997

UC-Davis—Teaching Assistant for Intermediate Microeconomics and Financial Management

### **GRADUATE STUDENT COMMITTEES :**

Masters: Yasmin Adam (1997), Shailaja Akkapeddi (1997), Utah State University  
Lucretia Jones (2000), Michele Vonada (1999), Angela Gordon (2000), Nicole McKenna (2000), John McKenzie (2001), Megan Bruch (2002), Jen Batchelder (2002), Michelle Zielinski (2002), Heidi Montgomery (2003), Kami Rosenstiel (2004), Sondra Friou (2003), Andra Savage (2005), Katy Pepinsky (2005), Betty Kibaara (2005), Holly Malmstrom (2006), Jennifer Bruning (2007), Katy Jones (2007), Beth Coop (2010), Jennifer Lloyd (2008)\*, Brian Greathouse (2009), Jessica Hernandez (2011)\*, Melissa Kelley (2011)\*, Jennifer Loomis (2010), Megan Phillips (2011)\*, Allison Gunter (2011)\* Drew Moxon (2012), Lannea Russell (2009), Rebecca Goodman (2010), Chris Appleby (2012), Laura Markham (2013), Dominique Songa (2014)\*, Jose Zenozain Garcia (2014), Andrea Beam (2013), Laurie Rocharadt (2013), Kelsie Dunn (2014), Kelsey Snyder (2015), Abigail Roche (2015), Cherilyn Sprague (2015), Catherine Kouralis (2016), Anne Kozil (2016), Kristina Hughes (2017), Rebecca Shisler (2017), Jeremy Christensen (2017)\*, Chad Christenson (2018)\*, Kristen Lackey (2018), Alicia Groves (2018), Ellie Naasz (2018), Carolina del Sozo Aguilar (2019), Kathleen Clyne (2019), Hannah Gerardy (2020), Erin Love (2020), Hailey Edmondson (2021), Regan Gilmore (2021) Emilie Rayne Hebert (2021), Colorado State University

Doctorate: Jau-Rong Li (1997), Utah State University  
Vida Wilkinson (2008), Mike Miller (2008), Alejandra Engler-Palma (2002), Mahdi Alsultan (2002), Catherine Keske-Handley (2006), Gretchen Schorre (2009), Heather Troxell (2008), Karen Gebhart (2011), Mark Friedman (2013), Oana Deselnicu (2012), Rebecca Goldbach (2012)\*, Wenjing Hu (2012)\* Tessa Coleman (2014), Chuba Suntharalingam (2014), Michelle Kibler (2015), Samantha Mosier (2014), Anders Van Sandt (2018), Allie Bauman (2016)\*, Jenny Apriesnig (2017), Joanne Littlefield (2016), Ashley Colpaart (2017)\*, Nick Kacher (2019), Bharman Gulati (2019), Armen Ghazaryan (2020), Jonathan Care (2021), Nathan Palardy (2021), Colorado State University

### **GRADUATE COMMITTEES CHAIRED**

**Masters:** Jennifer Grannis, 1999  
Yassir Ahmed, 2000  
Amanda Ziehl, 2004  
Josh Wilson, 2005  
Jennie Lloyd, 2008  
Megan Phillips, 2011  
Allie Gunter, 2011  
Yuefeng Zhu, 2012  
Dominique Songa, 2014  
Szuyin Lee, 2015 (co-chair with Pendell)  
Ali Enkiabar, 2015  
Jeremy Christensen, 2017

Chad Christenson, 2018  
Erin Love, 2020

**PhD:** Jennifer Grannis, 2001  
Eric Scorsone, 2001 (co-chair with Davies)  
Luz Padilla-Bernal, 2001  
Phil Watson, 2006 (co-chair with Davies)  
Oana Deselnicu, 2012 (co-chair with Costanigro)  
Rebecca Goldbach, 2012 (co-chair with Davies)  
Wenjing Hu, 2012  
Michelle Kibler, 2016 (co-chair with Pendell)  
Allie Gunter, 2017 (co-chair with Goemans)  
Ashley Colpaart, 2017 (Interdisciplinary with M. Bunning in Food Sciences)  
Anders VanSandt, 2018

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:**

American Agricultural Economics Association, Western Agricultural Economics Association, Western Regional Science Association, WCC-76--Committee on the Globalization of Rural America, NE-162 Committee on Rural Economic Development, S-222 Fruit and Vegetable Marketing Innovations and Demand Assessment Committee for Women in Agricultural Economics, Committee on the Status of Women in the Economics Profession, International Agribusiness Management Association, National Association for Colleges and Teachers in Agriculture, Association of Christian Economists, Chef's Collaborative, Slow Food International, Colorado State Food Policy Council, USDA Sustainable Development Council, USDA Organic Working Group, North American Food Systems Network, eXtension Community, Local and Regional Food Systems cOp, National Good Food Network, National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals (NACDEP)

**SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP:**

*Outside CSU*

USDA National Agricultural Research, Extension, Education, and Economics (NAREEE), Advisory Board member, 2012-18.

Executive Committee 2015-17.

Relevancy and Adequacy Committee on Food Safety and Nutrition Programs. 2015-17

Science Advisory Council to the Chief Science Officer. 2015-17

Task Force on Research Rigor and Reproducibility 2016-17

Colorado Food Systems Advisory Committee, CSU rep 2013-present, Chair 2014-17

Supervisor for newly legislated staff, 2019-present

Colorado Department of Agriculture,

Search Committee, Plant Services Director, 2019

Ag Insights (formerly Markets Division Advisory Board) 1998-present

Ag Promotion Task Force, 2004-07

Market Maker Leadership Committee, 2007-present

Farmers Market Working group, 2009-2013

Colorado Tourism Office Destination Development Committee, 2017-present

Reviewer for Colorado CRAFT 101 grants, 2018

Food Distribution Research Society, Hosted 2009 meetings/program coordinator

VP for Research, 2017-19

Board Member, 2010-13

President (Elect in 2013-15; Active 2015-16; Past 2016-17)

Judge for Student Marketing Challenge, 2009-12

American Agricultural Economics Association:

President (Elect in 2019-20, Active 2020-21; Past 2021-22)

Government Relations, 2018-present  
 Executive Board, 2011-14  
 Trust Committee, 2011-14  
 Outreach Committee, 2010-14  
 Selected Papers Committee, Chair, 2003-06  
     Selected Papers Topic Leader, 1997-98, 2000-01; 2012-14; Reviewer, 1999-2003, 2008-present  
 Extension Section, Pre-Conference Tour Organizer, 2003-04  
 Elected to AAEA Foundation Governing Board, 2005  
     Programs Committee, 2005-2006  
 Young Professionals Conference Planning Committee, 2002-03; Panel member, 2001, 2003 & 2017  
 Priorities and Governance Ad Hoc Committee, 2001; Chaired Product Mix subcommittee  
 CHOICES Advisory Board, 1999-2001 & 2002-2005  
     Editor Selection Subcommittee, 2002  
 Outstanding Dissertation Award Committee, 1998-00; 2008-11  
 Judged Student Section Academic Bowl, 1997-98; 2006, 2011-12  
 Received Foundation Fellowship to attend CWAE preconference, 1994  
 Committee on Women in Agricultural Economics (CWAE)  
     Vice President, 1997-1999  
     Membership, Sylvia Lane Fellowship Fund, AAEA Tracking Survey and Graduate Student Committees  
     Developed and maintain CWAE Homepage, 1996-1999  
     Tracking Survey Advisory Board, 2006  
     Nominating Committee, 2011

Western Agricultural Economics Association:

President, -Elect, 2014-15, Acting, 2015-16, Past 2016-17  
 Vice President, 1998-99  
 Secretary-Treasurer, 2002-2004  
 Graduate Research Committee Chair, 2018  
 Co-editor, *Western Economics Forum*, 2002-2005  
 2004 Annual Meetings co-Coordinator, 2002-04  
 Board of Directors, 1996-98  
 Chair, Selected Paper Committee, 2001  
     Reviewer, 2002-present  
 Chair, Awards Committee, 1997  
 Assisted with Achieving Professional and Personal Success in Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness: A  
 National Conference for New Academics, sponsored by the WAEA, 1998 and 2001  
 Outstanding Quality of Research Award Committee, 1999, 2001, 2002  
 Web Coordinator, 1996-2004  
 Extension Award Committee, 2009, Chair 2010  
 Distinguished Scholar Selection Committee, 2010  
 Selected Papers reviewer, 2000-2010  
 Fellows Selection Committee, 2016-17, chair  
 WAEA Teaching Award selection committee, 2018  
 Graduate Paper Competition, Committee chair, 2018

American Journal of Agricultural Economics, Editorial Board, 2017-19

Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Editorial Board, 2012-19

Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Editorial Board, 2011-13

Journal of Agriculture, Food Systems and Community Development, Editorial Board, 2010-2015

NE-162/1049/1749—Rural Economic Development: Alternatives in the New Competitive Environment

Secretary, 1998-99

Chair, 1999-2000



Organized 3 sessions for the 2000 SRSA Meetings in conjunction with Annual meeting.

WCC-76—Committee on the Globalization of Rural America, 1994-2000

S-1019/S1050/S1067— Assessing the Consumer Behavior, Market Coordination and Performance of the Consumer–Oriented Fruit and Vegetable Sector, Regional Research Committee, 2006-present  
Chair, 2008-2010; Lead writer on new project for committee, 2008-10

Western Region Extension Marketing Committee, 2007-present

Good Food Commission, 2015-2017. Organized by FamilyFarmed with support from the Kellogg Foundation

Northern Colorado Food Cluster, Steering Committee, 2013-14

Larimer County Food Policy Committee, 2008-11

Fort Collins Winters Farmers Market Leadership Team, 2013-18

Downtown Development Authority Food Market Development Committee, 2008-2010

Be Local Northern Colorado: Board of Directors, 2008-2013

Larimer County Agriculture Advisory Board, 2003-05

National Institute for Consumer Horticulture, Economics committee, 2016-present

USDA-NIFA AFRI Rural Entrepreneurs and Communities Panel Manager, 2018

National Agricultural and Rural Development Policy Center Research Advisory Board. 2012-14

Farm Foundation Future of Animal Agriculture Food Safety Working Group, 2005-06

Farm Foundation Organics Working Group, 2008

USDA-ERS Food and Nutrition Research Program Review Panel, 2006

USDA Integrated Organic Program Grants Review Panel, 2006, 2010

USDA Markets and Trade NRI Competitive Grants Review Panel, 2004

USDA Rural Development NRI Competitive Grants Review Panel, 1999, 2000, 2002 & 2006

USDA Hazardous Occupations Safety Training for Agriculture Grants Review Panel, 2003

USDA and Small Business Administration SBIR Grants Review Panel, 2013. Chair, 2014

USDA Small and Midsize Farm Grant Reviews panel, 2014

USDA NIFA Innovations for Rural Entrepreneurs and Communities Panel Manager, 2018-20

USDA Ag Market Service Specialty Crops Research Initiative Review Panel, 2019

USDA Ag Marketing Service Federal State Marketing Improvement Program Review Panel Lead, 2019

USDA Ag Marketing Service Specialty Crops Block Grant Reviewer, 2019

Reviewer: USDA NRI Small Farms Competitive Grant Reviewer, 2004-06; USDA Markets and Trade NRI Competitive Grants Program, 1999, 2001, 2002; USDA Rural Development Competitive Grants Review Panel , 2003; USDA Small Business Innovation Research Grants Reviewer, 2004-09; American Journal of Agricultural Economics, 1993-present; Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, 1996-present; Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics, 1999-present; Contemporary Economic Policy, 2001; International Food and Agribusiness Management Review, 1998-present; CHOICES, 1999-2006; Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics, 2001-present; Review of Agricultural Economics, 2001-present; Journal of the Food Distribution Research Society, 2002; Food Policy, 2006; Economics of Education Review, 2006; Western Economics Forum, 2005-present, Economic Research Service Research Reports, Renewable Ag and Food Systems, Palgrave Macmillan, Food Policy, Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics Association, AJAE Editorial Board, 2018-present  
Agriculture, Food Systems and Community Development, Editorial Board, 2009-present

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Institute for Research in the Social Sciences, Advisory Board, 2020-present

Colorado Food Systems Advisory Committee Supervisor, hiring committee chair, 2019

One Health Strategic Planning committee, 2015-16

CSU Extension Food Systems Work Team, co-chair, 2010-17

CSU Extension Program Leadership Team, 2013-present

DARE Awards and Recognition Committee, 2002-present; Chair, 2002-03; 2017-present

CSU Committee on Responsibilities and Standing of Academic Faculty, 2009-15  
 CSU Extension Forum Planning Committee, 2009-10  
 CSU Extension Small Farms Hiring committee, 2010-11  
 CSU Cooperative Extension Community Resource Development Leadership Team, 2004-08  
 Co-chair, CSU Expanding Opportunities for Colorado's Employers and Workforce Team, 2000-2003  
 DARE representative to the Agricultural Sciences Scholarship Committee, 2001-06  
 Sustainable Agroecosystems Interdisciplinary Program Development Committee, 2001-2004  
 NIS Visiting Faculty Mentor, 1998-99, 2002-03  
 CSU Extension Associate Director Advisory Committee, 1998-00  
 DARE Advisor to FDRS Student Marketing Challenge, 2008-14 (only some years)  
 DARE Web Page Coordinator, 1998-2005; Social Media coordinators, 2013-present  
 CSU Farmers' Union student chapter Advisor, 2003-07  
 Farm Credit Services Student Board of Directors, Advisor, 2008-14  
 AgriBusiness Association Advisor, 1998-2000, Jr. Advisor 2007-08; Sr. Advisor, 2008-2009  
 Graduate Preliminary and Field Examination Committees, 1997-16  
 Faculty Search Committees:  
 Agribusiness Management, 1999-00; Specialty Crops Director, 2002; Regional Specialist, 2000 & 2001;  
     Natural Resource Economist, 2000-01; Natural Resources/Regional Economist, 2004; Regional  
     Economics, Chair, 2008-09; Landscape Design, 2004; Extension Information Specialist, 2005;  
     Agribusiness Mgmt, Chair, 2005; Vice Provost for Outreach and Strategic Partnerships, 2005-06;  
     Regional Economist, 2006; Agribusiness Mgmt, chair, 2012; Economics of Animal Agriculture, Chair,  
     2015-16; Ag Economics 2018  
 College of Agricultural Sciences Agribusiness Strategic Planning Committee, 2005-07  
 DARE Economic Development Strategy committee, 2005  
 DARE Executive Committee, 2003-05; 2008-09; 2010-12  
 DARE Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, 1998-2002  
 DARE Graduate Committee, 2002-present; Chair, 2007-present; Selection Committee, 2002-present  
  
 DARE Assessment and Strategic Planning Team, Research Chair, 2002-06  
 DARE Technical Advisory Committee, 2002-10  
 DARE Faculty mentoring committees: J. Bond, S. Kroll, M. Costanigro (chair), K. Enns, G. Graff, A. Leister  
     (chair), B. Jablonski  
 Faculty Marshall for Spring Commencement, 2002, 2013, 2016; Commencement Announcer, 2015  
 Ag Day Volunteer, 1999, 2001-present  
 Ag Adventure Advisor, 2007  
 Specialty Crops Program Advisory Board, 2002-06  
 Organic Curriculum Committee, 2006-2014  
 Gamma Sigma Delta, Secretary, 2004-05; VP, 2005-06; President, 2006-09

Utah State University:

Committees: Higher Education Technology Initiative Grant, Economics Dept. Head Search/Selection, College  
     of Agriculture Response to FAIR Act of 1996, Economics Department Virtual University, Faculty  
     Search/Selection, Economics Governance, Graduate and Undergraduate Curriculum, Summer Seminar Series

Reviewer for University of Nebraska Press, 2004.

Reviewer for McGraw-Hill Publishing, Farm Management, 1998.

Reviewer for McGraw-Hill Publishing, Agribusiness Management, 2000.

Reviewer for USDA Economic Research Service reports, 2006-present

Promotion and Tenure External Letter Writer, 13 total in 2019, 71 total over career

USDA Organic Working Group, 2006-07

SARE Preconference Organizing Committee, 2007-08

Colorado Future Farmers of America, State Sales Competition, Co-Chair, 1999-2004; Volunteer, 2005, 2006

Utah Future Farmers of America Association, Judged Various Leadership and Career Development Contests

UC-Davis Graduate Student Association: 1990-94; Co-Chair of GSA Assembly, 1993-1994  
Founded Graduate Student Emergency Loan Fund, Graduate Travel Grants and Graduate Service Center  
Chairman of the Board of Directors, UCD Community Housing Listing Service (CHLS)

Iowa State University Alumni Ambassador  
Northern California, 1990-94; Utah, 1994-97; Colorado, 1997-2001.

**AWARDS AND HONORS:**

AAEA George Goldman Award for Excellence in Regional Economic Development (with Allie Bauman), 2019  
The Charles M. Tiebout Prize in Regional Science, Graduate MS paper for Chad Christenson, MS advisee, 2019  
Western Ag Economics Association Fellow, 2018  
Mentored or co-mentored 5 AAEA Graduate Student Extension Competition National Finalists (three winners)  
AAEA Extension Project Award, Honorable Mention, 2017  
CSU College of Agricultural Sciences Team Research Award, Food Systems Team, 2017  
CSU Oliver Pennock Award for Distinguished Service, 2017  
FDRS Pankyo Award for Distinguished Service, 2016  
Western Extension Directors Awards for Colorado Building Farmers (with team), 2016  
CSU College of Ag Sciences Shepardson Award for Teaching, 2015  
F.A. Anderson Extension Award, 2013  
CSU College of Agricultural Sciences Service Award, 2013  
WAEA Extension Team Project Award, 2013-Building Farmers in the West, co-Lead  
FDRS Emerging Leader Award, 2012  
MarketMaker Innovation Award in Education, Research and Outreach, Colorado Team, 2012  
Friend of Colorado County Agents Award, 2009  
CSU Extension Team Award, Building Farmers Program. Team member. 2008.  
The Food Distribution Research Society Journal Award, 2007  
Rocky Mountain Farmers Union Century Award, 2006  
Farm Foundation Fellow, 2006-08  
WAEA Extension Project Award, 2006  
Research Poster Award, CSU Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Research Colloquium, 2006  
Golf Course Superintendents Assn of America President's Award for Environmental Stewardship Award, 2006  
AAEA Presidential Award for Service, 2005  
WAEA Outstanding Service Award, 2005  
Gamma Sigma Delta Faculty Award of Merit, 2004  
Research Fellow, University of California-Berkeley Rural Development Research Consortium  
Governor's Award for Excellence in Marketing, Colorado Crop to Cuisine, 2002  
Colorado State University AgriBusiness Association, Outstanding Faculty Advisor, 1999 & 2000.  
Utah State University Business College Research Award, 1996  
American Association of University Women Emerging Scholar Nominee, 1997  
Outstanding TA in Agricultural Economics, UC-Davis, 1993-94  
UC-Davis Professors for the Future Fellow, Jastro-Shields Research Scholarship and Fellowship  
Phi Kappa Phi, Mortar Board, Gamma Sigma Delta and Alpha Zeta Honorary Fraternities, 1988-present  
Mid-American Horticultural Society Research Award, 2nd Place, 1990

**LANGUAGES:**

Proficiency in reading, writing, and speaking Spanish.

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