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Presentations

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2017


2016


Brink, Lars. "Agricultural policy and trade in Central Asia and the South Caucasus in the context of WTO rules" presented at the conference Regional and International Cooperation in Central Asia and South Caucasus: Recent Developments in Agricultural Trade, Samarkand, Uzbekistan, November 2-4.


2015


Brink, L. "50 years of measuring support to agriculture in Canada: Overview and interpretation," presented at the Focus on Fellows Symposium: The Evolution of Policy Directions for Agriculture in Canada Annual meeting, Canadian Agricultural Economics Society (CAES), Newport, Rhode Island, USA, 28-30 June.


2014


- Invited session presentation by Caesar B. Cororaton, A General Equilibrium Analysis of the TPP Agreement.


2013


2012

28th Triennial Conference of the International Association of Agricultural Economists (IAAE), Foz do Iguaçu, Brazil, August 18-24:

- Invited session presentation by David Orden on "NTMs, Agricultural and Food Trade, and Competitiveness," organized symposium on "WTO Disciplines on Agricultural Support--Do They Matter?" and selected papers presented on "BT Cotton Adoption and Wellbeing of Farmers in Pakistan" and "Do Free Trade Agreements Increase Members' Agri-Food Trade."

2011


- Orden, David. Made a presentation on “Implications for food security of the WTO rules on agricultural domestic support.” David Laborde, IFPRI, made a presentation on “From self-sufficiency to food security: changing minds, changing market access policies.” The session was moderated by Christian Häberli, World Trade Institute, Bern, Switzerland and former Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture. Discussants were Frank von Tongeren, OECD, Paris, France and Kostas Stamoulis, FAO, Rome, Italy.

IAMO Forum 2011 Will the BRIC Decades’ Continue Leibniz Institute of Agricultural Development in Central and Eastern Europe (IAMO) Halle, Germany, June 23-24:

- Orden, David. Presented the paper “The BRICs in Global Agriculture: A View through the Lens of WTO Support Disciplines”.

ICTSD Seminar, Geneva, Switzerland, June 22:


OECD Special Session of the Committee for Agriculture Beyond Doha: A New Paradigm for Measuring Support and Protection in Agriculture Paris, June 20:

- David Orden, David Blandford, Tim Josling and Lars Brink. Participated in a three-hour panel discussion held as part of the Committee’s celebration of the 50th anniversary of the OECD. Panel was followed by a one-hour luncheon seminar on WTO Disciplines on Agricultural Support for the Committee delegates.

IFPRI Policy Seminar on Agricultural Support in Doha and Beyond: Experience to Date and Assessment (video available) June 7:

- Presentation by David Orden, David Blandford and Tim Josling. Discussion by Ambassador Clayton Yeuter, former Secretary of Agriculture and U.S. Trade Representative. Moderated by Jerry Hagstrom, agricultural journalist.

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA, Riverdale, Maryland, February 17-18:

- Cororaton, Caesar. Conducted a training on the U.S. lemon model.

- Peterson, Everett. Conducted a seminar on trans-log expenditure function.
USDA Economists Group Seminar, Washington, DC. February 15, 2011:

- Orden, David. Presented the paper U.S. Farm Policy Through a WTO Lens

2010


During 2010, presentations were made concerning WTO disciplines on agricultural domestic support at sessions organized at five public and professional meetings:

- WTO Disciplines on Domestic Support and Market Access, International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium Annual Meeting, December 2009
- Domestic Support Disciplines and Policies: Past Experience and Future Prospects, UK Agricultural Economics Society Annual Meeting, March 2010
- WTO Disciplines on Agricultural Support: Political Economy, Experience and Prospects for the EU, US and Japan, IFPRI Public Seminar, April 2010
- Domestic Support in Developing Countries, International Food and Agricultural Trade Policy Council (IPC) Plenary Meeting, October 2010

In addition to presentations by authors of chapters in the forthcoming book WTO Disciplines on Agricultural Support, distinguished discussants and participants in these sessions included Dr. David Walker, Chairperson of the WTO Special Session of the Committee on Agriculture; Ms. Valeria Csukasi, Chairperson of the WTO Special Session of the Committee on Agriculture; Dr. Joseph Glauber, Chief Economist, U.S. Department of Agriculture; and Dr. Bob Young, Chief Economist, American Farm Bureau Federation.


2009


Orden, David, Tim Josling, Munisamy Gopinath, Ambassador David Walker (Chairperson of the WTO Doha Round negotiations Special Session of the Committee on Agriculture) and Valeria Csukasi (Chairperson of the WTO


Cororaton, Caesar. Conducted a one-day "APHIS Workshop on Avocado Model", Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA, Riverdale, Maryland, June 16.

Cororaton, Caesar and David Orden. Presented seminars on the Pakistan’s Cotton-Textile Economy at the National Agricultural Research Centre (NARC, Islamabad), the Pakistan Institute for Trade and Development (PITAD, Islamabad), the Punjab Economic Research Institute (PERI, Lahore) and the University of Faisalabad, April 27-May 2.


2008

Cororaton, Caesar. Presented the paper “Philippine Agricultural and Food Policies: Implications on Poverty and Income Distribution” co-authored by Erwin Corong at the annual meeting of the International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium (IATRC), Scottsdale, Arizona, December 7-9.


Orden, David. Presented a lecture on Higher Food Prices and What the Mean to the Economy, Mercatus Center Capitol Hill Campus, Rayburn House Office Building, Washington D.C., June 19.

Orden, David. Participated as a panelist in a program on Rising Food Price on the nationally-broadcast Diane Rehm Show, WAMU Public Radio, April 16.


Orden, David. Served as a panelist for the session “Agricultural Negotiations under the DDA: Role of and Prospects for Latin America and the Caribbean” at the workshop The Doha Development Agenda: Current Issues and Prospects for Latin America and the Caribbean, Inter-American Development Bank Washington D.C., November 1.


Thomas, Marcelle. Presented the paper “Agricultural Trade Liberalization in West Asia and North Africa” by Nicholas Minot, Mohamed Chemingui, Marcelle Thomas, Reno Dewina, and David Orden at the American Agricultural Economics Association annual meeting, Portland, July 28-August 1.

Orden, David and Fuzhi Cheng. Gave a seminar on modeling phytosanitary barriers to trade at the Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences (CAAS), Beijing, July 12.

Cheng, Fuzhi and David Orden. Presented the paper “Exchange Rate Undervaluation and the Impact of Potential Revaluation on Chinese Agriculture.” International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium (IATRC), Beijing, July 9.

Orden, David. Lead a discussion on US farm policy at a roundtable with Zhang Xiangchen, China's chief World Trade Organization negotiator, hosted by Geoff Raby, Australian Ambassador to China, Beijing, July 8.

Orden, David. Participated in capacity-strengthening fellows program of the International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium (IATRC), Beijing, July 8-11.

Orden, David. Convened a public conference on Global Sugar Markets, Policies and Reform Options attended by representatives from embassies, the private sector, international institutions, and the U.S. government at the International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI), Washington D.C., June 1.


Orden, David. Gave the presentation “Industrial Agriculture Policy and Its Affects on Developing Countries” at the Mercatus Center policy course for congressional staff, Rayburn House Office Building, Washington D.C., May 17.
Orden, David and Fuzhi Cheng. Presented the paper “Currency Policy and Agriculture” at the symposium Toward a Global Food and Agricultural Policy for an Open International Economy at the Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, May 3-4. The symposium was held in honor of Regents Professor Emeritus G. Edward Schuh.

Orden, David. Served with Clayton Yeutter, former U.S. Secretary of Agriculture and Trade Representative, as discussant at the policy forum Freeing the Farm: A Farm Bill for All Americans, CATO Institute, Washington D.C., April 26.


Orden, David. Gave a seminar “What is the Farm Policy Future?” at the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, February 6.


Orden, David. Gave the seminar “Avocado Pests and Avocado Trade” at the Department of Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, January 22.