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Academic Appointments

2018- Assistant Professor, University of Arizona

Affiliations

Affiliate Faculty Global Change Graduate Interdisciplinary Program, University of Arizona Catalyst with Berkeley Initiative for Transparency in the Social Sciences

Education

Ph.D. Agricultural Economics, Purdue University, December 2017

Dissertation Title: Household Decision Making Under Stress: Three Essays on Agricultural Production in Southern Africa

M.S. Agricultural Economics, Purdue University, December 2013 *Thesis Title:* How Does Population Density affect Agricultural Intensification and Productivity?: Evidence from Ethiopia

B.S. Economics and Geology, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, May 2011

Publications and Presentations (*authors listed alphabetically)

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 Recovery. VoxEU & CEPR. [Also published as World Bank Working Paper 9556].

Policy & Working Papers and Conference Proceedings

• Dizon, F., A. Josephson, Z. Wang. Intra-Household Inequality in Food Consumption and Diets in the Philippines. World Bank Policy Research Working Paper, No. 10170. World Bank, Washington, D.C.

- o J. Bloem, J. Michler, A. Josephson, L. Rudin-Rush. (2022). Food Insecurity During the First Year of the COVID-19 Pandemic in Four African Countries. ERS COVID-19 Working Paper AP-102.
- Michler, J.D., A. Josephson, T. Kilic, S. Murray. (2021). Estimating the Impact of Weather on Agriculture. Policy Research Working Paper. World Bank Working Paper No. 9867. World Bank, Washington, DC.
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- Josephson, A., E. Kee-Tui, J. Michler, S. Perez. (2019). Dissemination and Adoption of Bundled Agronomic Practices. University of Arizona Cardon Research Papers in Agricultural and Resource Economics, No. 202002.
- Heady, D., M. Dereje, J. Ricker-Gilbert, A.L. Josephson, A. Seyoum Taffesse. (2013). Land Constraints and Agricultural Intensification in Ethiopia: Village-Level Analysis of High-Potential Areas. ESSP Working Paper 58, International Food Policy Research Institute.
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 year later: The economic consequences of COVID-19 in Arizona. College of Health Solutions, Arizona
 State University
- Acciai, F., A.C. McCarthy, K. Harper, A. Josephson, E.H. Belarmino, M.T. Niles, F. Bertmann, E. Biehl, R. DeWasse, S. Martinelli, R. Neff, P. Ohri-Vachaspati. (2021). Food insecurity and food program assistance participation in the U.S.: One year into the COVID-19 pandemic. College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University.
- Acciai, F., A. Josephson, S. Martinelli, A.J. Yellow Horse, T. Evans, P. Ohri-Vachaspati. (2021). COVID-19 Pandemic One Year Later: Food Insecurity and Food Assistance in Arizona. College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University.
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- o Driesen, F., F. Acciai, A. Josephson, A.J. Yellow Horse, S. Martinelli, P. Ohri-Vachaspati. (2020). Job Disruptions During the First Four Months of the COVID-19 Pandemic and Their Impacts on Food Security in Arizona. College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University.

o Harper, K., F. Acciai, A. Josephson, F. Bertmann, P. Ohri-Vachaspati, E.H. Belarmino, M. Niles, J. Robinson, R. Neff. (2020). Experiences of households with new and persistent food insecurity during the first four months of the COVID-19 pandemic. Johns Hopkins University COVID-19 Publications.

- o Acciai, F., E.H. Belarmino, A. Josephson, M.T. Niles. (2020). Changes in Employment Status and Food Security During the COVID-19 Pandemic. Arizona State University Food Policy and Environment Research Group, Arizona State University.
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 of COVID-19 on Food Security in Arizona. College of Health Solutions, Arizona State University.
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- Niles, M., A. Josephson, F. Bertmann, B.H. Belarmino, R. Neff. (2020). COVID-19 and Food Insecurity Impacts: A Follow Up Vermont Study. College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Faculty Publications. No. 26.
- o Schrank, H. and A. Josephson. (2020). Navigating a Crisis You Didn't Ask For. Purdue Institute for Family Business: COVID-19 Special Issue.
- o Josephson, A. (2019). Normalizing Failure in the Research Process: Review of Failing in the Field: What We Can Learn When Field Research Goes Wrong by Dean Karlan and Jacob Appel. Australian Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics 63 (3).
- o Josephson, A. (2019). Women, Children and Households Oh My! | Four Lessons from CSAE 2019. *Economics that Really Matters*, April 2019.
- Schrank, H., A. Josephson, M. Marshall. (2018). Sustainability: Some Tips on Protecting your Business from a Natural Disaster. *Purdue Initiative for Family Farms*, Fall 2018 Newsletter.
- o Dizon, F., A. Josephson. (2018). Five takeaways for better nutrition in South Asia and beyond. End Poverty in South Asia, The World Bank, October 2018.
- o Josephson, A., M.I. Marshall. (2017). The Family Business: Differentiation in Fairness by Leadership Type *Purdue Agricultural Economics Report*. Purdue University, February 2017.
- Josephson, A., M.I. Marshall. (2016). Small Business Administration Disaster Loans after Hurricane Katrina: Differences in Loan Applicants and Non-Applicants *Purdue Agricultural Economics Report*. Purdue University, March 2016.
- o Josephson, A., M. I. Marshall. (2014). Goals of Small Rural Midwestern Businesses *Purdue Agricultural Economics Report*. Purdue University, April 2014.

In Review

- Clay, L., N. Koyratty, S. Rogus, U. Colon-Ramos, A. Hossan, A. Josephson, R. Neff, R. Zack, M. Niles.
 Disaster Food Security Scale: Phase I Framework Development, Validation and Testing.
- Dizon, F., A. Josephson, Z. Wang. Intra-Household Inequality in Food Consumption and Diets in the Philippines.
- o Josephson, A. The Management of Joint Household Resources: Evidence from Malawi.

In Preparation

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- o Laborte, A., R. Datoon, M.L. Velasco, M.S. Valencia, H. Valera, C. Florey, A.C. Baradas, E. Cabrera, N.A. Averion, R. Castillo, A. Josephson, J.D. Michler. Alternative dissemination pathways for enhancing the adoption of the Rice Crop Manager (RCM) in the Philippines: Protocol for a randomized control trial.
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- o McGreal, B., J. Michler, A. Josephson. Beyond the Border: Weather, Measurement Error, and Political Boundaries.
- Furbush, A., A. Josephson, J. Michler. Hoping or Coping? Livelihood Diversification and Household Resilience to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Conference Presentations and Invited Talks (including scheduled, &canceled due to COVID-19)

2023: Ethics in Development Working Group (online); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Washington DC); Western Economic Association International Conference (Melbourne, Australia); University of Sydney (Sydney, Australia)

2022: Pacific Conference for Development Economics (online); University of Sussex (online); Swiss Society for Agricultural Economics and Agricultural Sociology Annual Conference (Frick, Switzerland); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Anaheim, CA); IFAD 2022 International Conference (Rome, Italy); Nordic Development Conference (Helsinki, Finland)

2021: Arizona Institutes for Resilience/Center for Climate Adaptation Science and Solutions & School of Geography, Development, and Environment (online); Data Development Group Online Learning Series (online); Frances McClelland Institute for Children, Youth, and Families (online); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Austin, TX); European Association of Agricultural Economics Annual Meeting (online); International Conference of Agricultural Economists Meeting (online); Pathways to Research and Doctoral Careers (online); American Public Health Association (online); Virginia Tech (online); Arizona Institutes for Resilience (Tucson, AZ); European Association of Agricultural Economists and Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Webinar Series (online); Research on Methods and Metrics for Northwestern Global Poverty and Research Lab & Innovations for Poverty Action (online); Land and Health Association - World Soil Day (online)

2020: Feed the Future: Afrilinks (online); African Development Bank (online); Data Development Group Online Learning Series (online); Purdue University (online); University and Industry Consortium (online); Online Agricultural and Resource Economics Seminar (online); NIFA Agricultural Policy Research Group Meeting (online); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (online); [&]University of Sussex (Brighton, UK); Data Development Group, World Bank (Washington DC); Africa Table Speaker Series, University of Arizona (Tucson, AZ)

2019: Allied Social Science Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA); Arizona State University (Phoenix, AZ); Center for the Study of African Economies Annual Meeting (Oxford, England); Women in Data Science - Tucson (Tucson, AZ); IRRI Workshop on Improving Impact Assessment, Monitoring, and Evaluation (Rome, Italy); World Bank-SAFANSI Roundtable: High Impact and Underrepresented Nutrition Sensitive Food Systems in South Asia (Bangkok, Thailand); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA)

2018: International Conference of Agricultural Economists Meeting (Vancouver, Canada); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Washington DC); University of Saskatchewan (Saskatoon, Canada); International Rice Congress (Singapore); World Bank-SAFANSI Roundtable: Putting the Lens on the Consumer in Nutrition-Sensitive Agriculture and Food Systems in South Asia (Colombo, Sri Lanka)

2017: American Economic Association Meeting (Chicago, IL); Center for the Study of African Economies Annual Meeting (Oxford, England); University of Arizona (Tucson, AZ); Mississippi State University (Starksville, MS); University of Florida (Gainesville, FL); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL); University of Saskatchewan (Saskatoon, Canada)

2016: African Association of Agricultural Economists Meeting (Addis Ababa, Ethiopia); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Boston, MA)

2015: International Conference of Agricultural Economists Meeting (Milan, Italy)

2014: Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Minneapolis, MN); Annual Conference of the International Institute for Infrastructure Renewal and Reconstruction (Lafayette, IN)

2013: Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Washington DC); International Food Policy Research Institute Emerging Land Constraints Meeting (Washington DC)

2012: North American Regional Science Council Regional Meeting (Ottawa, Canada); Agricultural and Applied Economic Association Annual Meeting (Seattle, WA); Spatial, Health, and Population Economics Annual Summit (West Lafayette, IN)

Grants, Fellowships, and Awards

External Grants			
Natural Hazards Center "A Disaster Food Security Scale for Rural Communities"	\$47,190	Co-I	2022-2023
NIFAs Hispanic-Serving Institutions Education Grant "Equitable Agriculture and Environmental Management"	\$1,000,000	Co-PI	2022-2024
USAID Bureau of Humanitarian Assistance "Enhancing Evidence for Humanitarian Action"	\$1,000,000	Co-I	2022-2023
World Bank Research Support Budget "Understanding households resilience to and recovery from COVID-19 in	\$95,000 Sub-Saharar	Co-PI n Africa"	2021-2022
USDA & Tufts: 25 Years of Food Security Measurement "Developing a Disaster Food Security Scale"	\$100,000	Co-I	2021-2022
Berkeley Initiative for Transparency in the Social Sciences Catalyst Grant "Transparency, Replicability, and Reproducability in Agricultural and Ap		Co-PI nics"	2020
NSF Extreme Events Research & CONVERGE Natural Hazards Center "Working Group on COVID-19 and Food Security"	\$1,000	Member	2020
Standing Panel on Impact Assessment Grant "Impact assessment of stress-tolerant rice varieties: Evaluating impact thremetric methods"	\$299,999 ough remote	Co-I sensing and e	2019-2023 cono-
AAEA Trust Grant "An Assessment of the Status of Women and Minorities in Agricultural a	\$25,678 nd Applied F	PI Economics"	2019-2020
President's SSHRC Research Fund, with University of Saskatchewan "Assessing Canadians' Willingness to Pay for local products or products	Can\$7,000 with Geograp	Co-I ohic Indicators	2017-18
U.S. Borlaug Fellowship in Global Food Security "Sorghum Consumption and Consumer Choice in Zimbabwe"	\$30,000	Fellowship	2016-17

Internal Grants and Fellowships

University of Arizona		
Environment & Resilience Vertically Integrated Projects	\$4,000	2022-2023
AIRES RISE Initiative24	\$44,000	2022-2023
Hispanic Serving Institution Faculty Seed Grants	\$25,000	2022-2024
Undergraduate Research Initiative: Increasing Access to Research	\$5,000	2021-2022
Arizona Institute for Resilience (AIR) Seed Grant	\$7,500	2021-2022
JumpStart Pilot Project (ASU) Seed Grant	\$17,837	2020-2021
CALS COVID-19 Pilot Project Seed Grant	\$13,275	2020-2021
Experiential Learning Design Accelerator Fellowship	\$22,000	2019
Commission on the Status of Women Faculty Affairs Committee Travel Grant	\$250	2019
Student / Faculty Interaction Grant	\$485	2018
Purdue University		
D. Woods Thomas Memorial Fund Award to Support International Activities	\$1,000	2016
Jim and Neta Hicks Small Grant	\$10,000	2015-17
Andrews Environmental Travel Grant	\$500	2014

Awards

Outstanding Master's Thesis, Ag. and Applied Economics Association - Advisor - Emil Kee-Tui (2021 graduation): "Labor, Credit, and Markets: Evidence from the Philippines, 1971 - 2016" (2022)

Inclusive Leadership Cohort Certificate, University of Arizona (2019 - 2020)

Uma Lele Prize for Best Paper on Gender, International Association of Agricultural Economics (2018)

Ross Fellowship, Purdue University (2013)

Robert LaFleur Award for Excellence in Environmental Geoscience, RPI (2011)

Teaching and Professional Experience

University of Arizona

Primary Instructor, Sustaining Life: The Global Economy of Food, University of Arizona (Fall 2018-2021; Summer 2020-2022; Spring 2023)

Primary Instructor, Microeconomics of Development, University of Arizona (Fall 2020-2021)

Primary Instructor, Consumption Economics and Price Analysis (MS); University of Arizona (Fall 2018)

Purdue University

Primary Instructor, Principles of Macroeconomics, Purdue University (Summer 2015)

Teaching Assistant, Principles of Macroeconomics, Purdue University (Fall 2014, Spring 2015)

Other

Co-Instructor, Short Course in Impact Assessment in Los Banos, the Philippines (Winter 2019)

Consultant, World Bank Group

Co-Instructor, Short Course in Impact Assessment in Penang, Malaysia (Spring 2017)

Visiting Scholar, International Crop Research Institute in the Semi-Arid Tropics (2016-2017)

Student Advising and Collaboration (*Committee Chair/Co-Chair; AREC unless noted)

Current M.Sc Students: Dewan Al Rafi*, Lorin Rudin-Rush*, Chandrakant Agme*

Current Undergraduate Students: Jacob Taylor (Business Economics), Reece Branham (Business Economics & French), Samantha Wetherell, Andrew Soderberg

2022 Undergraduate Research Interns: Tatum Bingham, Reece Branham (Business Economics & French), Maxine Cruz (Ecology & Evolutionary Biology), Rodrigo Guerra Su, Chi Nguyen (Environmental Science), Hope Njuguna (Environmental Studies), Andrew Soderberg, Jake Thomason (Information Science)

Graduated PhD Students: Julia Davies (School of Geography)

Graduated M.Sc Students: Charles Meisch, Ann Furbush*, Emil Kee-Tui*, Laura McCann, Diana Githu* (School of Natural Resources and the Environment), Stephanie Perez, Matt Leib*, Husani Newbold

Graduated Undergraduate Students: Brenda Jimenez, Frederick Driesen

Professional Service

University of Arizona Agricultural and Resource Economics Club - Faculty Advisor (2020-present)

University of Arizona University Hearing Board - Member (2020-present)

University of Arizona Spectrum of Modalities Working Group - Member (2022)

AAEA International Section Leadership - Chair (2019-2022)

AAEA Communications Committee - Member (2019-present)

AAEA Committee for Women in Agricultural Economics Section Leadership

Survey Committee Chair (2018-2021)

Social Media Manager (2017-2019)

Refereeing: World Bank Economic Review (1); Journal of the Association of Environmental and Resource Economics (1); Review of Development Economics (1); Journal of the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (2) Nature Human Behaviour (1); Agricultural Systems (1); Applied Economics Teaching Resources (2); Journal of Development Studies (3); Oxford Development Studies (1); PLOS ONE (1); International Journal of Disaster Risk Reduction (1); Journal of African Economics (1); American Journal of Agricultural Economics (5); Journal of Economic Education (2); European Review of Agricultural Economics (1); Food Policy (7); Development Policy Review (1); Land Use Policy (1); Agricultural Economics (2); African Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics (2); World Development (3); American Entrepreneurship Journal (1)

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