

The Graduate Program in Agricultural and Resource Economics University of California, Berkeley

I. Program

Academic Support

1 Faculty Member : 3.25 Students
Time to degree: 4-5 years on average.
6-10 degrees awarded annually.

Financial Support

85% of students have full financial support
58% of students receive financial support as research assistants.
14% of students receive financial support as teaching assistants. No classes offered in the department are taught exclusively by graduate students.
100% of students have health insurance.

II. Students

Student Body

65 total graduate students
Median GRE Scores: 600 verbal,¹ 790 quantitative
35 men, 30 women
8% minority students
37 international students

Alumni

63% of recent alumni have taken positions as professors upon graduation
Other alumni have taken employment at:
Federal Trade Commission
US Agency for International Development
Instituto de Pesquisa Economica Aplicada, Rio de Janiero, Brasil
Chase & Co.
Bio-Economic Research Associates

III. Faculty

Areas of Study

Agricultural and Resource Policy
Environment and Resources
Development
Applied Econometrics
Intellectual Property Rights/Biotechnology
Agribusiness
International Trade

Faculty Statistics

19 Total Graduate Program Faculty
16 Full Professors
3 Assistant Professors
1 Associate Professor
2 Adjunct Professors
3 Affiliated Professors

¹ The verbal score is lower due to the large number of non-native English speakers in the program.

2 Active Emeriti

3 Cooperative Extension Specialists

An assistant professor and an affiliated professor will join the program in the fall of 2007.

16 men, 3 women

Federal Support

8 Active Grants totaling \$1,000,000

3 affiliated faculty members have grants totaling an additional \$2,000,000

Selected Faculty Associations

2 American Academy of Arts and Science Fellows

9 American Agricultural and Resource Association Fellows

2 Association of Environmental and Resource Economists Fellows

3 Econometric Society Fellows

Selected Faculty Awards

8 Honorary Degrees

16 Teaching Awards

25+ Research Awards

Order of Bronze Tower, Government of South Korea

Irma Adelman, 1971

Gold Medal for Professional Contributions to the International Organization of Vines and Wine

Kirby Moulton, 2000

AERE Publication of Enduring Quality

Anthony C. Fisher, 1995 , W. Michael Hanemann, 1999

AAEA Publication of Enduring Quality

Gordon C. Rausser, 1993, David Zilberman, 2005

Crop Science Society of America's Outstanding Paper on Plant Genetic Resources

Brian D. Wright, 2001

Cozzarelli Prize from the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences

Max Auffhammer 2007

Selected Faculty Service

American Agricultural Economics Association

American Council for an Energy Efficient Economy

Agency for International Development

American Economic Association

American Statistical Association

Association of Environmental and Resource Economists

(See <http://are.berkeley.edu/department/AREservice.html> for a full list of faculty service)