

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education

Ph.D., Agricultural and Resource Economics, University of Maryland, 2009
M.Sc., Agricultural Economics, University of Saskatchewan, 2004
B. Commerce, Accounting, University of Saskatchewan, 1998

Major Research Interests

Environmental and resource economics; environmental policy; agricultural policy

Professional Experience

Associate Professor, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics, University of Manitoba, March 30, 2015 to present
Assistant Professor, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics, University of Manitoba, September 2009 to March 2015

Teaching

ABIZ 0440: Agricultural Economics and Marketing 1 (Fall 2010-2015)
ABIZ 3550: Environmental Policy (Fall 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013)
ABIZ 3500: Agricultural and Food Policy (Winter 2014)
AGEC 4510: Agro-ecology Capstone Course (Economics module; Winter 2010, 2011)
ABIZ/ECON 7430: Advanced Theory of Natural Resource Economics (Winter 2015, 2016)

Publications

Refereed Journal Articles

Lawley, Chad and Wanhong Yang. 2015. "Spatial Interactions in Habitat Conservation: Evidence from Prairie Pothole Easements," *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*, 71: 71-89.
Cardwell, Ryan, Chad Lawley, and Di Xiang. 2015. "Milked and Feathered: The Regressive Welfare Effects of Canada's Supply Management Regime," *Canadian Public Policy*, 41(1): 1-14. (**Awarded 2015 John Vanderkamp Prize for best article in *Canadian Public Policy***)

- Lawley, Chad. 2014. "Changes in Implicit Prices of Prairie Pothole Habitat," *Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 62(2): 171-190.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. 2014. "Capitalized Costs of Habitat Conservation Easements," *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 96(3): 657-672.
- Lawley, Chad. 2013. "Protectionism versus Risk in Screening for Invasive Species," *Journal of Environmental Economics and Management*, 65(3): 438-451.
- Towe, Charles and Chad Lawley. 2013. "The Contagion Effect of Neighboring Foreclosures," *American Economic Journal: Economic Policy*, 5(2): 313-335.
- Lawley, Chad, Erik Lichtenberg, and Doug Parker. 2009. "Biases in Nutrient Management Planning," *Land Economics*, 85(1): 186-200.
- Lawley, Chad and Hartley Furtan. 2008. "The Political Trade-off between Environmental Stringency and Economic Development in Rural America," *Journal of Regional Science*, 48(3): 547-566.

Book Chapters

- Costello, Christopher, Chad Lawley, and Carol McAusland. 2009. "Pre-empting Non-indigenous Species Introductions: Targeting Policy," ed. Kevin Ghallagher, *Handbook on Trade and the Environment*, Edward Elgar Press.

Research Reports

- Nadella, Karthik, Brady Deaton, Chad Lawley, and Alfons Weersink. 2013. "Does Tenure Status Influence the Adoption of Agricultural Management Practices?" Linking Environment and Agriculture Research Network 2013 Preliminary Report.
- Hink, Matthew, Ryan Cardwell, and Chad Lawley. 2012. "An Empirical Investigation into the Determinants of Trade Policy Bias," CATPRN Working Paper 2012-01.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. 2012. "Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements," Linking Environment and Agriculture Research Network Project Report (PR-01-2012).

Research Funding

- SSHRC Insight Development Grant, *Determinants of Public Support for Supply Management: A Randomized Survey Experiment*, Amount: \$69,233, 2016-2018 (with Ryan Cardwell).
- SSHRC Partnership Development Grant, *Returns to Land Conservation Investment in Canada*, Amount: \$174,783, 2016-2018 (with Charles Towe and Nick Lapointe (Co-PIs); Manitoba Habitat Heritage Corporation and Nature Conservancy Canada (Partners)).
- Sustainable Prosperity, *Household responses to the BC carbon tax*, Amount: \$8,000, 2014.
- University of Manitoba UM-SSHRC RGP, *Capitalized costs of flooding in the Red River Valley*, Amount: \$6,800, 2012-2013.
- University of Manitoba Graduate Enhancement of Tri-Council Stipends, *Crowding In and Crowding Out: Public and Private Investment in Conservation Easements*, Amount: \$8,571, 2013.

- Canada-Manitoba Growing Forward Environment Information—Ecological Goods and Services Pilot Project Program, *Examining BMP Adoption in Manitoba and Ontario*, Amount: \$30,000, 2012-2013 (with Brady Deaton).
- Linking Environment and Agriculture Research Network, *Examining Rental Rates and Farmland Ownership in Ontario and Manitoba*, Amount: \$49,000 2012-2013 (with Brady Deaton).
- University of Manitoba Graduate Enhancement of Tri-Council Stipends, *Crowding In and Crowding Out: Public and Private Investment in Conservation Easements*, Amount: \$10,714, 2012.
- SSHRC Insight Development Grant, *Crowding In and Crowding Out: Public and Private Investment in Conservation Easements*, Amount: \$42,000, 2011-2013 (with Wanhong Yang).
- Linking Environment and Agriculture Research Network, *Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements*, Amount: \$17,200, 2011-2012.
- University of Manitoba UM-SSHRC RGP, *Economics of Habitat Conservation Easements*, Amount: \$6,800, 2011-2012.

Presentations

Presentations with Selection Committees

- Xiang, Di and Chad Lawley. “Assessing the Impact of British Columbia's Carbon Reduction Efforts on Residential Natural Gas Consumption: A Synthetic Control Approach,” Canadian Economics Association Annual Meeting, Ottawa, ON, June 4, 2016.
- Lawley, Chad and Wanhong Yang. “Spatial Interactions in Habitat Conservation: Evidence from Prairie Pothole Easements,” Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, July 29, 2014.
- Nadella, Karthik, Brady Deaton, Chad Lawley, and Alfons Weersink. “Do farmers treat rented land differently than the land they own? A fixed effects model of farmer’s decision to adopt conservation practices on owned and rented land,” Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, July 29, 2014.
- Lawley, Chad and Wanhong Yang. “Spatial Interactions in Habitat Conservation: Evidence from Prairie Pothole Easements,” World Congress of Environmental and Resource Economists, Istanbul, Turkey, June 30, 2014.
- Hink, Matthew, Ryan Cardwell, and Chad Lawley. “An Empirical Investigation into the Determinants of Trade Policy Bias,” Selected Paper, International Association of Agricultural Economists Triennial Meeting, Iguacu Falls, Brazil, August 2012.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. “Capitalized Costs of Habitat Conservation Easements,” Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meetings, Seattle, WA 2012.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. “Capitalized Costs of Habitat Conservation Easements,” Association of Environmental and Resource Economists Annual Meeting, Asheville, NC 2012.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. “Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements,” Canadian Agricultural Economics Society-Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting, Banff, AB, 2011.

- Hink, Matthew, Ryan Cardwell, and Chad Lawley. "An Empirical Investigation into Trade Biases in Agriculture," Selected Paper, Canadian Agricultural Economics Society-Western Agricultural Economics Association Annual Meeting, Banff, AB, June 30, 2011.
- Towe, Charles and Chad Lawley. "The Contagion Effect of Neighboring Foreclosures on Own Foreclosures," North American Regional Science Council Annual Meeting, Denver, CO 2010.
- Lawley, Chad. "Protectionism versus Risk in Screening for Invasive Species," International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium Annual Meeting, Scottsdale, AZ 2008.
- Lawley, Chad. "Non-indigenous Species and Pre-emptive Trade Policy," Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meetings, Orlando, FL 2008.
- Parker, Doug, Chad Lawley, and Erik Lichtenberg. "Biases in Nutrient Management Planning," 2008 USDA-CSREES National Water Conference, Sparks NV 2008.

Invited Presentations

- Lawley, Chad and Wanhong Yang. "Spatial Interactions in Habitat Conservation: Evidence from Prairie Pothole Easements," Department of Resource Economics and Environmental Sociology, University of Alberta, March 26, 2015.
- Cardwell, Ryan, Chad Lawley, and Di Xiang. "Milked and Feathered: The Regressive Welfare Impacts of Canada's Supply Management Regime," Faculty of Agricultural and Food Sciences Seminar Series, University of Manitoba, November 2014.
- Lawley, Chad. "Economic Incentives and Moral Suasion in Habitat Conservation," Canadian Agricultural Economics Society Annual Meeting, Vancouver, May 31, 2014.
- Cardwell, Ryan, Chad Lawley, and Di Xiang. "Milked and Feathered: The Regressive Welfare Impacts of Canada's Supply Management Regime," Economic Research Service, United States Department of Agriculture, November 2013.
- Cardwell, Ryan, Chad Lawley, and Di Xiang. "Milked and Feathered: The Regressive Welfare Impacts of Canada's Supply Management Regime," Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA, November 2013.
- Lawley, Chad. "Conservation Easements in Agricultural Landscapes: Win-win?" North American Waterfowl Management Plan—Prairie Habitat Joint Venture Advisory Committee, Winnipeg, May 21, 2013.
- Lawley, Chad. "Conservation Easements in Agricultural Landscapes: Win-win?" Faculty of Agricultural and Food Sciences Seminar Series, University of Manitoba, April 17, 2013.
- Lawley, Chad. "Protectionism versus Risk in Screening for Invasive Species," Environment, Resources, and Trade Conference, University of Manitoba, October 2012.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. "Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements," Institute for Wetlands and Waterfowl Research, Ducks Unlimited Canada, January 2012.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. "Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements," Canadian Land Trust Alliance Annual Conference, Kingston, ON 2011.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. "Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements," University of Manitoba Department of Economics, November 2011.
- Lawley, Chad. "Protectionism versus Risk in Screening for Invasive Species," University of California, Davis Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, January 2009.

Workshop Presentations

- Deaton, Brady and Chad Lawley. "Farmland ownership, rental rates, and BMP adoption," Joint WEB and LEARN Meeting, Government of Canada Conference Centre, January 23, 2013.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. "Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements," Linking Environment and Agriculture Research Network Workshop, Edmonton, AB, 2012.
- Lawley, Chad and Charles Towe. "Implicit Prices of Habitat Conservation Easements," Linking Environment and Agriculture Research Network/International Water Resources Economics Consortium Workshop, Banff, AB, 2011.

Graduate Student Committees

Completed

- Yuan Zhou, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2015-2016, Advisor
- Dexin Guo, University of Manitoba, Department of Economics (M.A.), 2015-2016, Advisor
- Lucas Adeoye, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2014-2015, Advisor
- Di Xiang, University of Manitoba, Department of Economics (Ph.D.), 2013-2015, Advisor
- Lukeman Awudu, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2012-2014, Advisor
- Karthik Nadella, University of Guelph, Department of Food, Agriculture, and Resource Economics (M.Sc.), 2012-2013, Co-advisor (With Brady Deaton)
- Matthew Hink, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2010-2011, Co-advisor (with Ryan Cardwell), Honorable Mention 2012 CAES Outstanding Master's Thesis Award

In Progress

- Patrick Ndolo, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2016-present, Advisor
- Olusola Oladesu, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2016-present, Advisor
- Tao Wang, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2016-present, Advisor

Graduate Defense Committee

- Joan Halstein, University of Manitoba, Department of Economics (Ph.D.), 2010-2015, Committee Member
- Janna Shymko, University of Manitoba, Department of Soil Science (Ph.D.), 2012, Chair of PhD Oral Defense Committee
- Vitor Dias, University of Saskatchewan, Department of Bioresource Policy, Business, and Economics (M.Sc.), 2011, External Examiner

Jason Jones, University of Manitoba, Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics (M.Sc.), 2009-2010, Committee Member

Awards

John Vanderkamp Prize, Canadian Economics Association, 2015

Joseph L. Fisher Dissertation Fellowship, Resources for the Future, 2008-2009

Graduate School Fellowship, University of Maryland, 2004-2006

Committee Service

Canadian Agricultural Economics Society Executive Councilor (2011-2014)

Awards Committee, 2011-2012

Chair of Program Committee, CAES Annual Meeting, 2013

Program Committee, CAES Annual Meeting, 2014

Program Committee, CAES Annual Policy Conference, 2014

Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences

By-Law Committee, 2012-present

Agro-ecology Program Committee, 2014-present

Department of Agribusiness and Agricultural Economics

Department Seminar Committee, 2010-present

Agribusiness Students Association, Faculty Representative, 2013-present

Department Graduate Advisory Committee, 2013-present

Graduate Program Curriculum Review Committee, 2014-present

Referee service

Academic Journals

American Journal of Agricultural Economics; Agricultural and Resource Economics Review; Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy; Canadian Journal of Agricultural Economics; Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics; Journal of the Association of Environmental Resource Economists; Journal of Environmental Economics and Management; Journal of Environmental Management; World Economy

Conferences and Grants

AAEA Annual Meeting Selected Paper Abstracts; CAES-WAEA Annual Meeting 2011 Selected Paper Abstracts; CAES Annual Meeting 2014 Selected Paper Abstracts; 28th Triennial Conference of the International Association of Agricultural Economists; OMAFRA-University of Guelph Research Program Grant Application; MITACS