

# Editors' Report—January 16, 2014

## 1. 2013 JAAE Editorial Performance Statistics

Total number of manuscripts handled:	154
Number of new submissions:	93
Number of resubmissions:	61
Number of manuscripts accepted:	27
Number of manuscripts returned for revision:	65
Number of manuscripts rejected:	48
Number of Manuscripts Withdrawn:	1
Average turnaround time (number of days from submission to decision):	51

## 2. Changes to the Editorial Council

Seven members rotate off the Editorial Council as of the February 2014 meetings. The members that will rotate out and recommended replacements are as follows:

### *Giovanni Anania replacement*

Alexander Sarris (International Trade)  
Professor of Economics, University of Athens,  
Greece

### *Jean Paul Chavas replacement*

Loren Tauer  
Professor, Cornell University

### *Patricia Duffy replacement*

James Richardson (Agricultural Policy, Price  
Analysis)  
Regents Professor Texas A&M University

### *Barry K. Goodwin replacement*

Ashok K. Mishra (Labor and Household  
Economics)  
Don Welge Professor  
Louisiana State University

### *Catherine Kling replacement*

Craig Landry (Environmental and Resource  
Economics)  
Associate Professor, East Carolina  
University

### *Dawn Thilmany McFadden replacement*

Rudy Nayga (Food Marketing)  
Professor and Tyson Chair in Food Policy  
Economics, University of Arkansas

### *Jutta Roosen replacement*

Kaliappa Kalirajan (Macroeconomics and  
Trade Policies)  
Professor, Australian National University

## 3. The 2013 JAAE Outstanding Journal Article Award

The 2013 award covers articles in the November 2012, February 2013, and May 2013 issues. The selection process involved rankings by the Editorial Council. In the first stage, five or six Council members were randomly assigned to each volume with instructions to select the best three articles. These responses were then collated to identify the top four picks. In the second stage, all 16 Council members were asked to rank their first, second, third, and fourth choices from the top four picks. We then used a rank-ordered analysis to choose the winning article. Based on this process, the winner is:

Reimer, J.J., X. Zheng, and M.J. Gehlhar.  
“Export Demand Elasticity Estimation for  
Major U.S. Crops.” *Journal of Agricultural and  
Applied Economics* 44,4(November 2012):501–  
515.

## 4. Editorial Team

In June 2013, Krishna Paudel and Andrew McKenzie took over the role of Editors from Mary Marchant and Darrel Bosch. All four editors met in Blacksburg in June to ensure a seamless editorial transition. As new editors, we are very thankful to Mary and Darrell for their guidance and their contributions to JAAE. We are also thankful to the Southern Agricultural Economics Association for giving us this opportunity to serve the profession, the

Editorial Council members for their expert advice, and the reviewers for timely review of the manuscripts and giving their valuable time for the advancement of the agricultural economics field.

Although we took over the editorship of the Journal in June 2013, Marchant and Bosch were responsible for August 2013, November 2013, and February 2014 issues. Marchant and Bosch will share responsibilities with Paudel and McKenzie for the May 2014 issue. Paudel and McKenzie will be solely responsible for all issues further beyond May 2014. Henry Kinnucan took over the role of Associate Editor from Michael Wetzstein in 2013. Wetzstein oversaw the August 2013 Proceedings issue and Kinnucan will take responsibility for the August 2014 Proceedings issue. The Proceedings issue will be published online only.

We are embarking on a very exciting phase of the Journal. As the Journal gets published through a well-respected publisher starting 2015, we hope the Journal will be successfully listed in ISI in the near future.

## 5. Sheridan Press

The Vol. 41, April 2009 issue was the first to be published by the Sheridan Press. The contract

with Sheridan Press has been extended to cover 2012–2014 (Issues 44–46). Thanks are extended to Lisa Small, Cindy Fullerton, and Sheridan Press for their services. The team of copyeditors, proofers, and production managers are very efficient in dealing with galley proofs and handling of the publication. Thanks to the team for publishing all 2013 issues on time.

Sheridan Press provides the editors with PDF versions of the articles published in the issues. Starting in 2010, the SAEA and Sheridan Press have published four issues in each volume: February, May, August (Proceedings Issue), and November. Editors place the volume and each issue on the *AgEcon Search* web site.

## 6. Reviewers

Two hundred seven reviewers provided reviews to the Journal in 2013. They were selected on the basis of their expertise in the subject matter, but also their willingness to provide constructive comment in a timely fashion. Their names are listed in the appendix to this report.

Respectfully submitted,

**Krishna Paudel and Andrew McKenzie**

*JAAE Editors*

## Appendix I: 2013 JAAE Reviewers

Alexander, Corinne	D'Antoni, Jeremy	Hardesty, Shermain
Alwang, Jeffrey	Davis, George	Harrison, Wes
Ames, Glenn	de la Torre Ugarte, Daniel	Hendricks, Nathan
An, Henry	Debnath, Deepayan	Hernandez, Manuel
Anania, Giovanni	Detre, Joshua	Higgins, Nathaniel
Antle, John	Devadoss, Stephen	Hilmer, Christiana
Arita, Shawn	Dicks, Michael	Hinson, Roger
Atallah, Shadi	Disdier, Anne-Celia	Hite, Diane
Awondo, Sebastain	Dixon, Bruce	Hobbs, Jill
Baerenklau, Kenneth	Dorfman, Jeffrey	Holcomb, Rodney
Bailey, DeeVon	Duffy, Patricia	Horowitz, John
Banerjee, Swagata	Duke, Joshua	Hudson, Darren
Barkley, Andrew	English, Burton C.	Ibendahl, Gregory A.
Beddow, Jason	Epplin, Francis	Interis, Matthew
Behe, Bridget	Epplin, Francis M.	Isengildina-Massa, Olga
Belcher, Kenneth	Espey, Molly	Jensen, Kimberly
Benson, Geoffrey	Fausti, Scott	Karali, Berna
Bertold, Jason	Favero, Alice	Kauffman, Nathan

Berhane, Guush	Featherstone, Allen	Kelly, Peter
Berning, Joshua	Fell, Rick	Ker, Alan
Bessler, David	Ferreira, Gustavo	Keskin, Pinar
Bitsch, Vera	Ferrell, Shannon	Kiatpathomchai, Sirirat
Boland, Michael	Feuz, Dillon	Kim, C.S.
Bontemps, Christophe	Fonsah, Greg	Kinnucan, Henry
Brennan, John P.	Fuglie, Keith	Kishore, Joseph
Briggeman, Brian	Fullerton, Thomas	Klaiber, H. Allen
Cai, Ruohong	Gao, Zhifeng	Knight, Thomas
Caliendo, Frank	Gauthier, Wayne	Kuchler, Fred
Capps, Jr, Oral	Gedikoglu, Haluk	Kuethe, Todd
Carpenter, Brent	Gillespie, Jeffrey	Kurkalova, Lyubov
Carpio, Carlos	Gloy, Brent	Lambert, Dayton
Cerroni, Simone	Goodwin, Barry	Langemeier, Michael
Chakir, Raja	Gottshall, brian	Larson, James A.
Chavas, Jean-Paul	Grosche, Stephanie	Lehmann, Niklaus
Chen, Yong	Guilfoos, Todd	Leister, Amanda
Coble, Keith	Gupta, Rangan	Li, Yarui
Couture, Stéphane	Haight, Robert	Lloyd, Timothy
Cruz-Saco, Maria	Hall, Larry	Lopez, Jose
Luckstead, Jeff	Pannell, David	Tewari, Rachna
Lusk, Jayson	Park, Timothy	Thilmany McFadden, Dawn
Malcolm, Scott	Parks, Joanna	Thompson, Henry
marotta, giuseppe	Patrick, George	Thomsen, Michael
Martin, Philip	Paulson, Nicholas	Thurman, Walter
Martin, Steven	Peel, Derrell	Timmons, David
McBride, William	Peri, Massimo	Tol, Richard
McCarl, Bruce	Petrolia, Daniel	Tumusiime, Emmanuel
Mehlhorn, Joseph	Piggott, Nicholas	Upadhyaya, Kamal
Miao, Ruiqing	Plattner, Kristy	Vestal, Mallory
Michetti, Melania	Popp, Jennie	Vickner, Steven S.
Mitchell, Paul	Popp, Michael	Wallander, Steven
Moeltner, Klaus	Poudel, Biswo	Wang, Chenggang
Moon, Wanki	Rainey, Ronald	Watkins, Bradley
Mooney, Daniel	Ramirez, Octavio	Weber, Jeremy
Morgan, Kimberly	Reed, Michael	Weissleder, Lucie
Moss, Charles	Rejesus, Roderick	Wetzstein, Michael
Mottaleb, Khondoker	Rucker, Randal	Whitacre, Brian
Muhammad, Andrew	Saak, Alexander	White, Eric
Mullen, Jeffrey	Sanders, Daniel	Wilde, Parke
Nalley, Lawton	Sauer, Johannes	Willis, David
Nazarro, Concetta	Savage, Jeffrey	Wohlgenant, Michael
Norwood, Bailey	Schmitz, Troy	Wolf, Christopher
Novakovic, Andrew	Schroeder, Ted	Woods, Timothy
Okrent, Abigail	Scorsone, Eric	Woodward, Richard
Olimov, Jafar	Seale, James	Yang, Seung-Ryong
Olson, Kent	Seavert, Clark	Yeboah, Osei
Olynk, Nicole	Secchi, Silivia	You, Wen
Ortiz-Bobea, Ariel	Shaik, Saleem	Yue, Chengyan
Palma, Marco	Tack, Jesse	Zapata, Hector
Pandit, Mahesh	Taheripour, Farzad	Zhou, Zhang