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## EDUCATION

Ph.D. University of California – Berkeley, Agricultural and Resource Economics, 2017  
M.S. University of California – Berkeley, Agricultural and Resource Economics, 2013  
A.B. University of Chicago, Economics, 2012

## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor Mississippi State University, Agricultural Economics 2017 – present

## PRIOR EXPERIENCE

Graduate Student Researcher	University of California – Berkeley Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics	2012 – 2017
Student Trainee (Economics)	USDA Economic Research Service	Summer 2014
Research Assistant	University of Chicago Environment, Agriculture, and Food Working Group	2010 – 2012
Research Assistant	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities Department of Applied Economics	Summer 2009

## FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

Gamma Sigma Delta ( $\Gamma\Sigma\Delta$ ) Honor Society of Agriculture	2018
Graduate Student Teaching Award AAEA Teaching, Learning, and Communications Section	2016
Graduate Student Assessment Fellowship University of California – Berkeley, Center for Teaching and Learning	2015 – 2016
Chester O. McCorkle, Jr. Student Scholarship Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Trust	2015
Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award University of California – Berkeley Graduate Division	2015
Student Research Fellowship University of California Berkeley Food Institute	2015
University of Chicago T. Kimball Brooker Prize <i>Food for Thought: the History, Economics, and Politics of Agriculture</i>	2012

## RESEARCH

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Articles

- [4] Hilger, J., E. Hallstein, **A. W. Stevens**, & S. Villas-Boas (forthcoming). [Measuring Willingness to Pay for Environmental Attributes in Seafood](#). *Environmental and Resource Economics*.
- [3] **Stevens, A. W.** (2018). [Review: The economics of soil health](#). *Food Policy*, 80: 1–9.
- [2] **Stevens, A. W.** (2017). [Quinoa quandary: Cultural tastes and nutrition in Peru](#). *Food Policy*, 71: 132–142.
- [1] Berck, P., J. Moe-Lange, **A. Stevens**, & S. Villas-Boas (2016). [Measuring Consumer Responses to a Bottled Water Tax Policy](#). *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 98(4): 981–996.

### Other Publications

- Stevens, A.**, P. Berck, & S. Villas-Boas (2016). [Taxing Bottled Water as an Environmental Policy](#). *Agricultural and Resource Economics Update*, 19(4): 9–11. University of California Giannini Foundation of Agricultural Economics.

### Working Papers

- Burlig, F. & **A. W. Stevens**, Reap What Your Friends Sow: Social Networks and Technology Adoption. Revise and resubmit, *Review of Economics and Statistics*.
- Stevens, A. W.**, Assessing Student Learning Using a Digital Grading Platform. Revise and resubmit, *Applied Economics Teaching Resources*.
- Stevens, A. W.**, Temperature, Wages, and Agricultural Labor Productivity.
- Stevens, A. W.**, Fueling Local Water Pollution: Ethanol Refineries, Land Use, and Nitrate Runoff.
- Stevens, A. W.**, Estimating Agricultural Acreage Responses to Input Prices: Groundwater in California.
- Stevens, A. W.**, Labor Relations, Brand Value, and Trust in Agricultural Cooperatives.

## GRANTS

Mississippi Soybean Promotion Board (PI) – \$34,076 <i>Incorporating Crop Rotation Decisions into a Comprehensive Model of Soybean Yields</i>	2018 – 2019
Miss. State Univ. CALS/MAFES Undergraduate Research Scholars Program (PI) – \$3,000 <i>Crop rotations' effects on yield in Mississippi Delta agriculture</i>	2018 – 2019
Purdue University Center for Food and Agricultural Business (PI) – \$18,854 <i>Labor Relations, Brand Value, and Trust in Agricultural Cooperatives</i>	2018
Mississippi State University MAFES Multistate Project Travel Award - \$1,500 Annual Meeting for NC-1177: Agricultural and Rural Finance Markets in Transition	2018
Giannini Foundation Mini-Grant (with Dr. Larry Karp) – \$26,306 <i>Estimating Agricultural Acreage Responses to Input Prices: Groundwater in California</i>	2015
University of California – Berkeley Student Technology Fund – \$5,000 with the Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics (Janna Conway-Hamilton)	2015

## INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- 2019 University of Wisconsin–Madison, Agricultural and Applied Economics
- 2018 Minnesota State University Moorhead, Economics, Law, and Politics; Soil Health Institute; Mississippi State University, Center for Teaching and Learning
- 2017 USDA Economic Research Service; Resources for the Future; University of California – Berkeley, Summer Institute for Preparing Future Faculty; University of Idaho, Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology; University of Arizona, Agricultural and Resource Economics; National Socio-Environmental Synthesis Center; Mississippi State University, Agricultural Economics; Pennsylvania State University, Agricultural Economics, Sociology, and Education; Mount Holyoke College, Economics; Iowa State University, Economics
- 2016 University of Minnesota, Applied Economics; University of California – Berkeley, Economics Labor Lunch; University of California – Berkeley, Agricultural and Resource Economics; University of California – Berkeley, Center for Teaching and Learning
- 2015 University of Chicago, Program on the Global Environment; East Bay Alliance for a Sustainable Economy (Oakland, CA)
- 2014 University of Minnesota Applied Economics; USDA Economic Research Service (x2)
- 2012 Evangelical Lutheran Church in America World Hunger (Chicago, IL)

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2019 Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (AAEA) Annual Meeting (Atlanta, GA) – *scheduled*; Midwest Economics Association (MEA) Annual Meeting (St. Louis, MO) – *scheduled*; Southern Agricultural Economics Association (SAEA) Annual Meeting (Birmingham, AL)
- 2018 National Conference for Food and Agricultural Business (West Lafayette, IN); AAEA Annual Meeting (Washington, D. C.); World Congress of Environmental and Resource Economists (Gothenburg, Sweden); Tennessee Empirical Applied Microeconomics Festival (TEAM-Fest; Knoxville, TN); SAEA Annual Meeting (Jacksonville, FL)
- 2017 Heartland Environmental and Resource Economics Workshop; IZA Workshop on Environment and Labor Markets; AAEA Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL); Allied Social Sciences Associations (ASSA) Annual Meeting (Chicago, IL)
- 2016 Heartland Environmental and Resource Economics Workshop; All-California Labor Economics Conference (Davis, CA); AAEA Annual Meeting (Boston, MA)
- 2015 AAEA Annual Meeting (San Francisco, CA); Association of Environmental and Resource Economists (AERE) Annual Summer Conference (San Diego, CA); Giannini Agricultural and Resource Economics Student Conference (Riverside, CA)
- 2014 Columbia University Interdisciplinary PhD Workshop in Sustainable Development; Giannini Agricultural and Resource Economics Student Conference (Davis, CA)
- 2012 University of Chicago Undergraduate Research Symposium
- 2011 Indiana University Hoosier Area Food and Sustainability Symposium; University of Chicago Undergraduate Research Symposium

## TEACHING

### Pedagogical Development

Graduate Student Inclusivity Training	2017
University of California – Berkeley Multicultural Education Program	
Certificate in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education	2015
University of California – Berkeley Graduate Division	

### Teaching Experience

Mississippi State University		
AEC 4803: Applied Quantitative Research (undergraduate) (×2)		2018 – 2019
AEC 8123: Analysis of Agricultural Markets (masters-level) (×2)		2018 – 2019
University of California – Berkeley		
IAS 106: Intermediate Microeconomic Theory (undergraduate)		
Lecturer (×1)		2017
Acting Instructor – Graduate Student (×1)		2016
EEP 162: Economics of Water Resources (undergraduate)		
Graduate Student Instructor (×3)		2014 – 2016
EEP 142: Industrial Organization with Applications to Agriculture and Natural Resources (undergraduate)		
Reader (×1)		2013
California State University, Fresno		
EES 270: Water Economics (masters-level; online)		
Lecturer (×1)		2015

## GRADUATE ADVISING

### Committee Member

Kaylee K. Wells, Mississippi State University, MS	expected, 2019
Thesis: “Valuing Sites of Cultural and Historical Significance in the Mississippi Delta”	

## SERVICE

### Profession

Delegate, National Economic Education Delegation (NEED)	2019 – present
Secretary/Treasurer of the AAEA’s Agricultural Finance and Management (AFM) Section	2018 – 2021
Reviewer for the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (AAEA) Annual Meeting (×2)	2018 – 2019
Mentor for AAEA Match-up program at the ASSA Annual Meeting (×2)	2018 – 2019
Reviewer for USDA NIFA Peer Review Panel: <i>AFRI – Economics, Markets, and Trade</i>	2017
Referee and review service for:	

*American Journal of Agricultural Economics; Applied Economic Perspectives and Policy; Applied Economics Teaching Resources; Economic Development and Cultural Change; Food Policy; Journal of Agricultural and Applied Economics; Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics; Journal of Development Economics; Natural Resource Modeling; PLOS ONE; Rhode Island Sea Grant*

## University

Instructional Technology Advisory Committee, Mississippi State University	2018 – 2021
Division of Agriculture, Forestry, and Veterinary Medicine (DAFVM) Faculty Senate, MSU	
Senator	2018 – 2021
Parliamentarian	2018 – 2019
Chair of the Charter and Bylaws Committee	2018 – 2019
Judge – Mississippi State University Undergraduate Research Symposium (×2)	2018
Judge – Mississippi State University Graduate Research Symposium	2018
Rules Officer – Graduate Assembly, University of California – Berkeley	2016 – 2017
University of California – Berkeley Academic Senate Committee on Courses of Instruction	2015 – 2016
Delegate – Graduate Assembly, University of California – Berkeley	2015 – 2016
Senior Class Gift Committee, University of Chicago	2011 – 2012

## Department

Seminar Committee, Mississippi State University Department of Agricultural Economics	2017 – 2020
Curriculum Committee, Mississippi State University Department of Agricultural Economics	2017 – 2019
Staff Search Committee, Mississippi State University Department of Agricultural Economics	2018
Faculty Search Committee, Mississippi State University Department of Agricultural Economics	2017 – 2018
Student Technology Committee, UC Berkeley Dept. of Agricultural and Resource Economics	2015 – 2017
Organizing Committee, Giannini Agricultural & Resource Economics Student Conference	2014 – 2016

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Agricultural and Applied Economics Association  
American Economic Association  
Association of Environmental and Resource Economists  
Southern Agricultural Economics Association  
USDA Economists Group

## POPULAR PRESS

[“An economist’s call for a politics of global solidarity,”](#) Book Review, *The Christian Century*, 135(24), pg. 42, November 21, 2018. (online: November 12, 2018)

[“Taxes on bottled water are better at raising money than reducing litter,”](#) LSE United States American Politics and Policy Blog, December 6, 2016

[“Consumers Respond to a Tax on Bottled Water,”](#) Guest Editorial, *Today’s Grocer*, 58(4), pg. 6, July, 2016

[Interview](#) *This Is Berkeley* podcast, April 27, 2016

[Interview](#) KALX 90.7 FM, *The Graduates*, June 3, 2014