

Agenda

- 10:00 a.m. -10:45 a.m. **Introduction and information sharing**
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. **Indiana Property Taxes: Updates & Outlook for Farms, Farmland, & Communities**
Dr. Larry DeBoer, Emeritus Professor in Agricultural Economics at Purdue University
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. **Lunch Break**
- 12:45 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. **Economic and Agricultural Impacts of the Russian-Ukraine Conflict**
Dr. Maxim Chepeliev, Research Economist with the Center for Global Trade Analysis in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Purdue University
- 1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. **Land Values and Rents Outlook**
Dr. Todd Kuethe, Associate Professor and hold the Schrader Chair in Farmland Economics in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Purdue University
- 2:45 p.m. – 3:00 pm **Wrap up, explore topics and dates for future meetings**

Speaker Bios

Larry DeBoer is an Emeritus Professor in Agricultural Economics at Purdue University who studies state and local government public policy, including such topics as government budget and taxing options, issues of property tax assessment, local government revenue options and the fiscal impact of economic development. He was the 2009 recipient of Purdue's Hovde Award for service to the rural people of Indiana and the 2010 recipient of the Indiana Association of Public School Superintendent's Distinguished Service Award. In 2013, he was named to Purdue's "Book of Great Teachers," and in 2015, he received the Murphy Award, Purdue's highest award for undergraduate teaching. Prof. DeBoer worked with the Indiana Legislative Services Agency on tax and finance issues from 1988 to 2014 and continues to contribute to LSA's annual property tax analysis. He directed a study on market value property tax assessment for the Indiana State Board of Tax Commissioners during 1995-97. He directed the staff work for Governor O'Bannon's Citizen's Commission on Taxation from 1997-98 and contributed research to Governor Daniels' Commission on Local Government Reform in 2007. He writes a monthly column about Indiana and national economic topics called Capital Comments and posts on Twitter under @INTaxRockStars.

Maxim Chepeliev is a Research Economist with the Center for Global Trade Analysis in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Purdue. He received his doctoral degree from the Institute for Economics and Forecasting at the National Academy of Science of Ukraine in 2016. His research activities and interests encompass: resource and environmental policy analysis, computational economics, trade Policies, energy economics, and climate change mitigation and adaptation. Most recently, Maxim presented his research on the impacts of a Russian energy import moratorium by the EU to the EU Parliament. He continues to explore the potential impacts of the Russian-Ukraine conflict and alternative policy proposals in response to Russian aggression in Ukraine.

Todd Kuethe is an Associate Professor and holds the Schrader Chair in Farmland Economics in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Purdue. Currently, Todd helps policymakers, farmers, and landowners make better decisions to ensure a safer, more flexible, and more stable agricultural economy. Todd's research interests are focused on farm real estate markets, agricultural credit, and agricultural policy. He has published more than 30 scholarly articles in leading field journals, such as American Journal of Agricultural Economics and Land Economics, and is also a regular contributor to University of Illinois' farmdocDaily. Todd is also a consultant in the research department at the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago and an Associate Editor of Agricultural Finance Review. His work has been profiled in a number of major media outlets including the Wall Street Journal, USA Today, New York Times, Washington Post, The Economist, National Public Radio, and VICE. His research has been recognized by awards from the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (AAEA), the AAEA's Agricultural Finance and Management Section, North American Regional Science Council, and the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy.