Students,

Good morning. Here are some announcements for this week. Hope everyone is doing well. I am sure you probably have had or will have some midterms in the next week. In addition, I will be sending out Spring Term Registration Information today following this email. Spring Registration will begin on **Sunday, February 24**. Please start signing up now to meet with me.

**Last day to Change to S/U and Withdraw:**
The last day to change grading A-F to S/U and withdraw from a course is **Friday, February 22**. For changing to S/U you will need a form signed by myself. I have the forms in my office. For withdrawing from a course, you can do this online. If any of you have questions on this, please let me know.

**Reminder - CAS Scholarships:**
The 2019-2020 CAS Scholarship Application is now available online in OSU ScholarDollars. The application deadline is February 15, 2019. All students (undergraduate, graduate, and post-bac) are encouraged to apply! [http://agsci.oregonstate.edu/scholarships](http://agsci.oregonstate.edu/scholarships) For full consideration for our Department of Applied Economics scholarships, please complete the application link above.

**Accelerated Master’s Platform (AMP):**
We have a program here that you can apply to our MS program during your Junior year. You need to have a 3.25 GPA and have completed at least 105 credits.

The application deadline will be Friday of Finals Week this Winter Term **Friday, March 22**. You apply through the Graduate School website. You will need to make sure you find the AMP application. In addition, you will need a code from myself. You won’t be charged an application fee.

How does it work? Successful applicants can apply a maximum of twelve graduate credits taken during their undergraduate senior year to both their undergraduate and master’s degrees. Students in this program will complete the same requirements as all MS students in Applied Economics, including choosing an area of concentration. If you have any questions on this, you can talk to me when you come in for Spring Term advising or if you want to schedule, a separate appointment that would be fine.

**Job/Internship Posting Information:**
When conducting your job or internship search it is important to be aware of any possible misrepresentations that may exist. Therefore, we encourage you to read the following information so that you avoid any unfortunate situations. Oregon State University College of Agricultural Sciences (CAS) makes no representation, warranty or guarantee about the positions listed. CAS does not prescreen employment or internship opportunities that are submitted. By using the
resources available, you are assuming full responsibility for your safety, security, wages, working conditions, fraudulent, or other aspects of any off-campus employment/internship opportunities that you discover while using CAS resources.

**Job, Internship and Scholarship Opportunities:**

Here is the link for jobs and internships. Please check it out.

http://agsci.oregonstate.edu/appliedecon/undergraduate-program/opportunities-employment-internships-scholarships

**Tesla Visit to Campus, Monday Feb. 11:**

- **Info session (Mon, Feb 11, 6-8:30 pm):** [https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/events/268034/share_preview](https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/events/268034/share_preview)

- **Non-engineering internships:**
  - Technical Writing Internship @ Tesla
    - [https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/jobs/2277361/share_preview](https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/jobs/2277361/share_preview)
  - Communications Internship @ Tesla
    - [https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/jobs/2270722/share_preview](https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/jobs/2270722/share_preview)
  - Government Relations and Policy Internship @ Tesla
    - [https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/jobs/2279317/share_preview](https://oregonstate.joinhandshake.com/jobs/2279317/share_preview)

**Oregon Seed Council Scholarship:**

The Oregon Seed Council will be offering three college scholarships this year in the amounts of $2,000, $1,000 and $500. These scholarships will be for students who have had a connection with the seed industry, without regard to what they plan to study in the future – a way to reward past service to the industry as someone potentially starts a new career path. This doesn’t mean a student wanting to study in crop science or agribusiness isn’t eligible; it just opens the pool of applicants to a broader audience.

A scholarship committee will review applications, conducting interviews and choosing the scholarship recipients. The scholarship will be available for college bound students who come from a farm involved in seed production, have worked on a seed farm or have worked for a seed company. High school seniors, home school seniors or current college students are eligible. Past winners are encouraged to apply.

Applications must include responses to a questionnaire, an essay of less than 500 words describing why the student deserves the scholarship, and three letters of reference. The complete eligibility rules can be found on the Oregon Seed Council website. Students interested in applying are encouraged to go to oregonseedcouncil.org under the “Info” tab [http://www.oregonseedcouncil.org/info/](http://www.oregonseedcouncil.org/info/) for the rules and scholarship application. **Applications are due March 1, 2019.**
That is all I have for now.

Have a good week.

Tjodie