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Heat and Hunger



Households depend upon food prices, incomes, and disease burdens that impact the ability to consume food. Climate change and extreme temperatures impact all of these factors. In this talk, David B. Lobell will focus on heat impacts in regions important for food prices. He will review recent research on heat impacts and discuss whether crop yields are becoming more or less sensitive to heat.

Lobell's research focuses on identifying opportunities to raise crop yields in agricultural regions, with an emphasis on climate change adaptation. His current projects span Africa, South Asia, Mexico, and the U.S. and involve tools such as remote sensing, GIS, and climate models.

Monday, March 25, 2013 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

Memorial Union, Mohave Room (236) Arizona State University, Tempe campus (lunch will be provided)



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