

Curriculum Vitae Lew E. Brinkley, Ph.D.

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Education:

Trezevant High School (now West Carroll near Atwood, Tennessee)
Trezevant, Tennessee, 1960

B.S. in Economics; Minor in Chemistry,
Lambuth University, Jackson, Tennessee, 1964

M.S. in Agricultural Economics; Marketing and Price Analysis Emphasis Area,
University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee, 1966

Ph.D. in Agricultural Economics; Minors in Economics and Industrial
Management
University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tennessee, 1969

Professional Experience:

Emeritus Professor - Retired in May, 2005, but continue to teach one Agricultural Economics compressed video course per semester for Jonesboro and Beebe students.

First Year Experience Instructor in addition to regular teaching, 2000-2005

On leave to shadow agricultural and other business leaders, 1998-1999

Academic Coordinator, College of Agriculture, 1997-1998

Professor of Agricultural Business and Economics, 1988-2005

Associate Professor of Agricultural Business and Economics, 1977-1988

Associate Professor and Chairman, Department of Agriculture, 1978-1984
Assistant Professor, Arkansas State University, 1969-1977

Taught variety of courses over the years pertaining to Agricultural Business Management, Marketing, Finance, Real Estate Law, Land Economics, International Commodity Trading, Cooperatives, Statistics, and First Year Experience Seminars

Research and service in areas of food and fiber marketing, rural development and rural sociology. Some articles published in regional magazines and journals

General farming experience on a small family farm in West Tennessee

Heekin Can Co., Food Canning Division, Cincinnati, Ohio, Summers 1962 and 1963

Quality Control laboratory work, DuPont Chemical Company, New Johnsonville, Tennessee, Summer, 1961

Construction and maintenance work on Lambuth University campus in Jackson, Tennessee, Summer, 1960

Professional Activities:

Was member of American Agricultural Economics Association for many years. Served as one of the national judges for student quiz bowl competition. Presently active in Memphis Agriculture Club

Continuing Education:

National Resource Center For The First-Year Experience And Students in Transition Session, Houston, Texas, 2001

National Association of College Teachers of Agriculture Technology and Distance Learning Session, Iowa State University, 1997

Center of Learning Technology computer applications and distance learning course, Arkansas State University, 1997

Farm Appraisal Standards course, Kelton Real Estate School, Jonesboro, Arkansas, 1992

Computer applications class, Arkansas State University, 1987

Completed Arkansas Appraisal School taught by American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers, 1975

Professional Activities and Awards:

Jonesboro Area Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Agricultural Business Leader for 2005

Advisor for ASU Beebe Community College students participating in distance learning programs from Jonesboro campus

Currently teaching distance learning course through compressed video simultaneously with course offered on main campus in Jonesboro

Agricultural Business Club advisor for many years; helped coach students to compete in Quiz Bowl competition. Team won national contest in 1994 at San Diego, California

Numerous interviews on local radio and television dealing with outlook for agriculture and the economy. Recent interviews dealing with history of the college as part of century celebration.

My wife and I hosted students from Brazil as part of exchange program dealing with GIS/GPS Precision Agriculture, 2002-2005. Cooperating colleges and universities included Jackson State Community College at Jackson Tennessee,, Western Illinois University at Macomb, Illinois, Southeastern Community College at Burlington, Iowa and Arkansas State University, Jonesboro, Arkansas

Was involved in project dealing with swine marketing for small family farms as they produced pork in pastures in the Delta in late 1990's

External reviewer for Southern Illinois University Agribusiness Economics Department, April 10-11, 1997

Research Team Presentation for Arkansas State University and Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department. "The Regional Economics Models, Inc. (REMI) Transportation Tool." Newport, AR. December 1996

Coordinated livestock marketing section of Agriculture Business Conference, Arkansas State University in recent years

Taught session for 13 member international delegation [Managing Price Risk Using Commodity Options Markets](#), Missouri Organization for Trade and Agri-Business Development/Southeast Missouri training program. Cape Girardeau, Mo. September 16, 1994

"Agricultural Economics Outlook" speech to E. Ritter Company managers strategic planning meeting, Memphis, TN. June 1, 1994.

General recruiting visits and "Opportunities in Agriculture at Arkansas State University" speeches given to regional high schools and community colleges over the years

Visited extension service field days, toured farms, and food and fiber processing facilities all over the region in recent years

Worked with colleagues in Colleges of Business and Science over the years in economic development projects such as aspects of United States Department of Agriculture project pertaining to Upper Strawberry River Watershed proposal for Arkansas and Impact of Limited Access Highways on Tourism in Arkansas sponsored by Arkansas Highway Department

Personal Interests:

Church activities

Travel with wife; spending time with children and grandchildren in East Tennessee and Western Arkansas

Cattle operation at Cedar Grove, Tennessee