## Department of Economics Honor Students

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Name	Title	Thesis Advisor	<b>Honors Designation</b>
William Belliveau	"How the Principal-Agent Problem Affects Energy Consumption in the Commercial Sector"	Jonathan Hughes	Magna Cum Laude
Richard Bohm	"Bank Lending Behavior Prior to the Financial Crisis"	Martin Boileau	Magna Cum Laude
Gregory Carlson	"An Empirical Study of the Ricardian Equivalence Hypothesis, National Savings, and Interest Rates"	Murat Iyigun	Magna Cum Laude
Hanhan Fan	"Migration of Foreign Students for Higher Education to the United States"	Michael Greenwood	Magna Cum Laude
Alexander Fulton	"The Effect of Estimation Methods on Weather-Index Insurance Contracts	Carlos Martins- Filho	Magna Cum Laude
Erin Grffin	"Decision Making and the Ultimatum Game: The Influence of Prediction and Induced Emotional States on Elicited and Revealed Preferences"	Nicholas Flores	Summa Cum Laude
Erin Gleason	"Medicare Part D, Elderly Health and Expenditures"	Tania Barham	Summa Cum Laude
Rodrigo Gonzalez	"Cyclical Characteristics of Firm Leverage Along the Business Cycle"	Devrim Demirel	Magna Cum Laude
Justin Holstein	"Land Redistribution and Poverty Effects"	Francisca Antman	Magna Cum Laude
Annie Lawson	"The Determinants of Food Security in Rural Ethiopia"	Jeffrey Zax	Summa Cum Laude
Andrew Roe	"The Schengen Agreement and Skill-Based Wage Differentials"	Brian Cadena	Magna Cum Laude
Jesse Sexton	"Interstate Migration: An Empirical Comparison of the Last 40 Years"	Michael Greenwood	Summa Cum Laude
Christopher Sichko	"The Influence of the Suez Canal on Steam Navigation"	Ann Carlos	Summa Cum Laude
Elizabeth Thurston	"Trends in Intergenerational Status Transmission Across Three Generations	Jeffery Zax	Summa Cum Laude

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