

Biographical Sketch

DAVID ORDEN

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David Orden is a professor emeritus of Agricultural and Applied Economics at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. From 2007 to 2021 he held the position of Director of the Global Issues Initiative (GII) in the university's Institute for Society, Culture and Environment (ISCE). From 2003 to 2016 he held a joint appointment as Senior Research Fellow at the International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI).

Professor Orden remains engaged in research and public policy education programs on the economics and political economy of agricultural support policies, international trade negotiations, and technical barriers to trade. He has been a Visiting Fellow at the University of New South Wales in Australia (1990), chairman of the International Agricultural Trade Research Consortium (1996-1998), and Visiting Professor at Stanford University (1998-99). He is the author or editor of five books, including the award-winning Policy Reform in American Agriculture: Analysis and Prognosis (1999) and Agricultural Domestic Support under the WTO: Experience and Prospects (2023).

During 2011-2016, Professor Orden served as director of capacity strengthening for the IFPRI Pakistan Strategy Support Program which funded and mentored 71 competitively-selected research projects at Pakistani and international universities. He is a founding member of the Research Advisory Committee of the follow-up social sciences grants program Research for Social Transformation and Advancement (RASTA) launched in 2020 by Pakistan's Ministry of Planning, Development and Special Initiatives.

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Areas of Interest

International trade, agricultural policy, macroeconomic econometric modeling, economic development

Education

Ph.D., University of Minnesota, 1984, Economics
M.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech), 1977, Agricultural Economics
B.S., Cornell University, 1971, Agricultural Economics

Professional Positions

- Professor Emeritus, August 2023-present
- Professor, Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics, Virginia Tech, 1984-2023
- Director, Global Issues Initiative, Institute for Society, Culture and Environment, Virginia Tech, 2007-2021
- Visiting Senior Research Fellow (in residence), International Food Policy Research Institute, 2007-2016
- Senior Research Fellow, International Food Policy Research Institute, 2003-2007
- Visiting Professor, Department of Economics and Institute for International Studies, Stanford University, 1998-99
- Visiting Fellow, Department of Economics, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, April-December 1990, June-July 1991
- Resident Fellow, National Center for Food and Agricultural Policy, Washington D.C., January-March 1990

Books

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Orden, David, John Beghin and Guy Henry. 2012. "Key Findings of the NTM-IMPACT Project." The World Economy 35(8): 967-972.

Zulauf, Carl and David Orden. 2010. "The Revenue Program Option in the 2008 U.S. Farm Bill: Evaluating Performance Characteristics of the ACRE Program." Agricultural and Resource Economic Review 39(3): 517-533.

Peterson, Everett and David Orden. 2008. "Avocado Pests and Avocado Trade." American Journal of Agricultural Economics 90(2): 321-335.

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