Seminar: Development Resilience: Theory, Measurement & Implications

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Professor Barrett has published or in press 14 books and more than 260 journal articles or book chapters. These works have attracted more than 15,000 citations, according to Google Scholar. He has been principal investigator (PI) or co-PI on more than $28 million in extramural research grants from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the National Science Foundation, the Pew Charitable Trusts, the Rockefeller Foundation, USAID, and various other corporate, foundation, government agency, and nongovernmental organization sponsors. He has supervised more than 60 graduate students and post-docs, many of whom are now on leading faculties and in research institutes worldwide. He served as editor of the American Journal of Agricultural Economics from 2003–2008, edits the Palgrave Macmillan book series Agricultural Economics and Food Policy, and is presently an associate editor or editorial board member of the African Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics, the Egerton (Kenya) Journal of Humanities, Social Sciences and Education, the European Review of Agricultural Economics, the Journal of African Economies, the Journal of Agribusiness in Developing and Emerging Economies, the Journal of Development Studies, and World Development. He previously served as President of the Association of Christian Economists and on a variety of boards.

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