

# Centre for Agricultural Economics and Development

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*CAED provides world-class economic research and advice on emerging agricultural issues of regional, national, and global significance and their impact on food systems, producers, the natural environment, and socio-economic development in Australia and globally.*

## RESEARCH AREAS

- Adoption of novel technologies and practices
- Decision making and prioritisation
- Sustainable farming systems
- Climate change adaptation and mitigation
- Food product development
- Agribusiness and farm management
- Commodity markets and trade
- Impact of RD&E investments
- Supply chain analysis
- Agricultural and rural development



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*Our Centre consists of highly qualified academic staff, postdoctoral research fellows, adjunct fellows, a team of postgraduate research students, and an extensive network of collaborators from leading research institutions and producer organisations.*

*Based within the UWA School of Agriculture and Environment, our Centre is one of the largest groups of its kind in Australia.*





*We work collaboratively with industry and government professionals to deliver quality, evidence-based research, practical tools and advice, and online training packages.*

*A key feature of our Centre is our regular engagement with stakeholders and focus on real world applications.*



## RESEARCH PARTNERSHIPS

- Australian Research Council
- Australian and international universities
- Meat & Livestock Australia
- Australian Pork Limited
- Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research
- WA Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development
- Grains Research and Development Corporation
- AgriFutures
- Dairy Australia
- Australian Eggs

## RESEARCH SERVICES & EXPERTISE

- Behavioural economics
- Experimental economics
- Benefit-cost and cost-effectiveness analysis
- Consumer preferences and market analysis
- Non-market valuation, including benefit transfer
- Risk analysis and evaluation of performance
- Facilitating information collection through interviews, focus groups, and workshops
- Transdisciplinary and multidisciplinary research design and management in collaboration with R&D organisations, industry and regulatory bodies
- Tailored training packages, including workshops and knowledge-sharing activities

