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William W. Wilson, University Distinguished Professor and CHS Chair in Risk Management and Trading in the Department of Agribusiness and Applied Economics, teaches courses in risk and strategy. He is an internationally respected expert in his field, taking periodic sabbaticals at Stanford University. Wilson regularly advises major agribusiness firms, railroads and food companies, with clients and projects around the world. He has served on the Minneapolis Grain Exchange board, Federal Grain Inspection Service Advisory Board and is a board member of several regional ag technology and venture capital firms. Wilson also created the NDSU Commodity Trading Room, a state-of-the-art teaching and research facility. Recognized as one of the top 10 agricultural economists of 1995, Wilson more recently was named among the best one percent of agricultural economists by Research Papers in Economics. In 2016, he was named CHS Chair in Risk Management and Trading at NDSU and in 2017, he was awarded the American Agricultural Economics Association's Distinguished Teaching Award.

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Wilson's lecture will examine the evolution of world trade in commodities during the past three decades, and consider factors that may impact future competition. He will intertwine novel research in trade, technology development and logistics.