ECON Students Attend the “Introduction to Diversity in Doctoral Education and Scholarship” (IDDEAS) at Stanford University

Seniors Camilla Adams and Cecilia Moreira from Texas A&M’s Department of Economics were two of only fifteen students selected to participate in this year’s IDDEAS program at Stanford University.

The IDDEAS program is a two-day program for undergraduate students from diverse backgrounds interested in research and academia.

This immersion program held on May 17-18, 2018 attracted a diverse group of promising undergraduate students and introduced them to business research at the doctoral level. The goal of this program is to support and encourage student and faculty diversity. Participants had the opportunity to:

- Learn about doctoral-level research.
- Gain advice about graduate school opportunities and insights on the application process.
- Discuss academic careers in research and teaching.

All of the IDDEAS candidates are current college sophomores, juniors, or seniors with strong quantitative skills and academic records. Candidates also had strong academic recommendations from an advisor or faculty member knowledgeable about their experience or interest in research and/or teaching. Dr. Jonathan Meer, Director of Undergraduate Programs at Texas A&M Department of Economics, nominated Camilla and Cecilia.

Camilla Adams
Cecilia Moreira