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1.Title [How a Government Shutdown Would Affect Academe](#)

Author Kelly Field, Paul Basken, and Jennifer Howard

Journal The Chronicle of Higher Education September 30, 2013

Abstract If Congress fails to reach agreement on a stopgap spending bill and the government shuts down on Tuesday, the impact on colleges, students, and university scientists would be minimal, at least at first. But researchers who depend on government-run archives, libraries, and museums could see their work interrupted, and some university employees whose salaries are paid by the federal government may have to wait for their paychecks.

Database The Chronicle of Higher Education

2.Title [Federal Web Sites Go Dark Amid Shutdown](#)

Author Megan O'Neil

Journal The Chronicle of Higher Education October 2, 2013

Abstract Some education and government resources, including those of the Library of Congress and the National Science Foundation, were shuttered. Others aren't being updated. The budget impasse that brought nonessential operations of the federal government to a halt on Tuesday also had a major impact on Web sites used by many educators, researchers, and students.

Database The Chronicle of Higher Education

3.Title [Federal Shutdown Hits the Classroom, Limiting Research and Fieldwork](#)

Author Lindsay Ellis

Journal The Chronicle of Higher Education October 4, 2013

Abstract After Wednesday's meeting of his research-methods class, Richard A. Williams, an associate professor of sociology at the University of Notre Dame, told students to light a candle in the university's grotto, an outdoor stone hollow where community members pray, for the government shutdown to end soon. His request was in jest, but Mr. Williams said that the inconveniences brought by the government shutdown are affecting faculty members and students alike.

Database The Chronicle of Higher Education

4.Title [Issues of ICT Usage among Malaysian Secondary School English Teachers](#)

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Journal English Language Teaching. 2013, Vol. 6 Issue 9

Abstract This study explored on perception, usage and obstacles of using ICT in teaching English Language among secondary school English teachers. The advancement of technology has given a space for teachers to boost teaching and learning of English language in secondary schools. It is believed that integration of ICT could enhance quality of teaching and make learning very effective. This paper first examined on secondary school English teachers' perception about the integration of ICT in teaching English lessons. It is found that the majority of teachers have positive views about the integration of ICT in teaching English. Then, the study revealed about the usage level of ICT among secondary school English teachers. The findings showed that teachers are utilizing ICT equipments only for certain tasks such as finding for information and preparing PowerPoint presentations. They do not have much exposure about the other opportunities provided by ICT. Next, researchers identified the dominance of obstacles faced by secondary school English teachers in ICT integration with English lessons. Finally, this study provides some implications of the study and recommendations which are useful for researchers to expand their study in this area. In addition, this study too provides information for teachers on the advantages of ICT. Therefore, teachers could make adjustment to their teaching methodology which may lead to effective ICT integrated teaching and learning of the English language.

Database Education Research Complete

5.Title [SCHOOL LIBRARIAN + TECHNOLOGY SPECIALIST](#)

Author Johnston, Melissa P.

Journal Knowledge Quest. Sep/Oct2013, Vol. 42 Issue 1

Abstract The article discusses the need for technological advancement for school librarians. It states that technologically skilled professionals should build school libraries for learners. It also describes the importance of instructional technologists, who work closely with teachers to provide effective technology integration in libraries.

Database Education Research Complete

6.Title [From Moodle to Facebook: Exploring students' motivation and experiences in online communities](#)

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Journal Computers & Education Volume 68, October 2013

Abstract The present paper documents a qualitative study that examines the motivating and inhibiting factors that influenced students' engagement in online discussions via Moodle and Facebook. The data was collected through individual interviews with 14 pre-service teachers. Using the Activity Theory as a lens, the study reveals a set of factors concerning the technical tools, subjective perceptions, goals of online discussion, social presence within a community, rules for participation, and roles of the participants that affect their online engagement patterns. The findings of the study inform educators and software designers of how online discussions can be better promoted among students, and how a web-based environment more conducive to learning can be created.

Database ScienceDirect

7.Title [Does Industry Affiliation Influence Wages? Evidence from Indonesia and the Asian Financial Crisis](#)

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Journal World Development Volume 51, November 2013

Abstract We exploit panel data and large, abrupt, and unusual dislocations of Indonesian workers in the wake of the Asian Financial Crisis to investigate the robustness and persistence of inter-industry wage differentials (IWDs). Unobserved worker characteristics explain 36% of IWDs. IWDs persist through the post-crisis decade, although, consistent with a rent-sharing explanation, they shift alongside sectors' terms of trade in the wake of the crisis. Agriculture pays a wage penalty, and manufacturing offers a statistically significant but small premium. Most IWDs do not seem to be driven by minimum wage laws, worker monitoring costs, the disagreeability of the work, job-specific skills, industry-specific human capital, nonwage benefits, or contracting terms.

Database ScienceDirect

8.Title [Are Carbon Taxes Good for the Poor? A General Equilibrium Analysis for Vietnam](#)

Author Ian Coxhead | Anan Wattanakuljarus | Chan V. Nguyen

Journal World Development Volume 51, November 2013

Abstract We evaluate effects of an environmental tax using a general equilibrium model linked to a household database. The burden of the tax, applied mainly to energy, is passed forward by non-tradable industries and backward by tradable industries facing fixed world prices. The tax is thus equivalent to a real exchange rate appreciation, and since export industries are labor-intensive, reduces employment, and increases poverty, especially when labor supply is responsive to wages. The use of revenues to increase transfers to households can offset poverty increases, but does not create jobs; thus the tax will likely conflict with other development policy objectives.

Database ScienceDirect

9.Title [The Politics of Implementing Philippine Tourism Policy: A Policy Network and Advocacy Coalition Framework Approach](#)

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Journal Asia Pacific Journal of Tourism Research Volume 18, Issue 8, 2013

Abstract To examine the complexity of tourism policy implementation, this paper considers the case of Pamilacan Island, the Philippines. It uses the advocacy coalition framework (ACF) and network analysis. Consistent with policy process theories, findings show that individual policy beliefs might lead to implementation networks, but the degree of network integration determines progress in policy execution. The study reinforces the importance of key factors pertinent in policy implementation such as knowledge and resources of actors, as well as contextual conditions including ties of solidarity. Mediating them are micro-implementation processes and informal codes of conduct. This paper not only increases the number of in-depth case studies on tourism policy and clarifies issues in the policy process, but also stresses that there are multiple policy executions when a particular policy decision is implemented. Finally, it adds a layer of complexity to the ACF and calls for its re-examination when applied to a developing country.

Database Taylor & Francis

10. Title [The Impact of Sports Events on Inbound Tourism in New Zealand](#)

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Journal Asia Pacific Journal of Tourism Research Volume 18, Issue 8, 2013

Abstract Sports events are an instrument of destination marketing for host countries. Over the past 40 years, New Zealand has held sports events such as the Commonwealth Games and the America's Cup and many international tourists have visited New Zealand during these events. While past studies have examined the economic value of such tourism at a generic level, the impact of mega sports events at more specific levels is unknown. Thus, this study examines not only the impact of eight mega sports events upon New Zealand's international tourist arrivals over the 1983–2005 period at the overall level, but also the number of tourist arrivals from participating countries for each event. Results suggest that the 1990 Commonwealth Games, the 2000 America's Cup (yachting) and the 2005 British and Irish Lions Tour (rugby) had a significant impact on tourist arrivals overall and on arrivals from each participating country.

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