



1st Annual Research Conference on Mathematical Statistics and Economics

Summer 1935*

Harold Hotelling, Columbia University, "Generalized Multiple Correlation for Pairs of Sets of Economic Variates"

Alfred Cowles 3rd, Cowles Commission, "Multiple Correlation Analysis of Intercorrelated Variates"

Charles F. Roos, Cowles Commission, "Lag Analysis with Special Reference to the Building Industry"

Harold T. Davis, Cowles Commission and Indiana University, "The Statistical Validity of Harmonic Analysis"

Thomas H. Rawles, then of Yale University, now of Colorado College, "The Mathematical Theory of Index Numbers"

August Loesch, University of Bonn, Germany, "The Location and Development of Economic Areas"

August Loesch, University of Bonn, Germany, "Business Cycles and Population Waves"

Herbert E. Jones, hydraulic engineer and statistician, now of the Cowles Commission, "The Economics of Overhead Costs with Applications to Pumping"

*The Cowles Commission Research Conferences originated in a series of informal sessions during the summer of 1935 after the meeting of the Econometric Society at Colorado Springs on June 22–24 of that year. At these gatherings various papers were presented and discussed by economists who remained in the vicinity. The meetings were so successful that it was decided to continue them in subsequent years. The scope of the Conferences has grown steadily. In 1935, the first year, there were 8 papers presented by 7 different lecturers, the total number attending being 25 of whom 5 were from out-of-town.