

March 13, 2015

Professor Russell Davidson
President, Canadian Economics Association
McGill University

Dear Professor Davidson,

According to the lead story of the February issue of CAUT Bulletin about the economics department at the University of Manitoba, economics professors constitute orthodox and heterodox religious orders. Perhaps this is not surprising considering that economic theory is founded on mathematical and logical errors that have not been corrected for decades. A sample of these errors can be found in my Open Letter of September 2014 to Professor Nordhaus, President of the American Economic Association (posted at <http://scientificmetrics.com/publications.html>). He has not refuted any of the statements in that letter: demand theory includes contradictory results, utility theory and game theory are founded on errors, etc.

Errors in economic theory must be corrected rather than defended as they affect the education of a large number of students.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'J. Barzilai'.

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