

Economic History Society (Virtual) Annual Conference

6 – 9 APRIL 2021

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

TUESDAY 6 APRIL

1200-1300 Student Ambassador Meeting

1300-1325 **NEW RESEARCHER POSTER SESSION**

Widows, money and credit: The Probate Inventories of London's Court of Orphans, 1660-1720
Jessica Ayres (York) (NR poster: Ayres)

Matrons, housekeepers and nurses: Food provision and power relations in Glasgow's early nineteenth-century hospitals
Eliska Bujokova (Glasgow) (NR poster: Bujokova)

Can colonial institutions explain income distribution? Evidence from rural colonial India
Jordi Caum Julio (Barcelona) (NR poster: Caum Julio)

That's settled: Economic relationships of settlers during the settlement of Iceland, c.870-930 CE
Cassidy Croci (Nottingham) (NR poster: Croci)

Selecting leaders by lot: Elite transformation in Basel, 1650-1798
Jonas Geweke (Zurich) (NR poster: Geweke)

A poverty of numbers: First poverty estimates for pre-industrial Germany, 1350-1800
Victoria Gierok (Oxford) (NR poster: Gierok)

Wage labour and living standards in early modern England: A case study of the Shuttleworth accounts, Lancashire, 1582-1621
Li Jiang (Exeter) (NR poster: Jiang)

Understanding Italian pre-unitary North-South gaps further: Literacy, Napoleon, and despotism
Marco Martinez (Scuola Sant'Anna) (NR poster: Martinez)

Merciful tyrants? Explaining rebel forgiveness and state capacity in Mughal India, 1556-1707
Safya Morshed (LSE) (NR poster: Morshed)

The crisis of the monetary system in Cromwellian Ireland, 1649-60
Christopher Whittell (Cambridge) (NR poster: Whittell)

1330-1500 **NEW RESEARCHERS' SESSION I** (7 parallel sessions)

NR1A: WORK AND WAGES (Room A)
(chair: Brian Varian)

Did the Ottomans import the low wages of the British in the nineteenth century? An examination of Ottoman textile factories
Tamer Güven (Istanbul)

Skill or Race? Inequality in the wage labour sector in British Tanganyika
Sascha Klocke (Lund)

NRIB: HUMAN CAPITAL (Room B)

(chair: Gabriele Cappelli)

British colonial institutions, pre-colonial ethnic centralisation and contemporary education in Africa

Leoné Walters (Pretoria)

The long-run effect of public libraries on children: evidence from the early 1900s

Ezra Karger (Chicago)

Withdrawal of the state: The provision of primary schooling in Mozambique under indigenato

Pablo Fernández Cebrián (Barcelona)

NRIC: INEQUALITY (Room C)

(chair: Markus Lampe)

Warfare and economic inequality: Evidence from preindustrial Germany, c.1400-1800

Felix Schaff (LSE)

Does transport infrastructure reduce or reinforce regional inequality? Evidence from the expansion of the railroad network in nineteenth-century Austria-Hungary

Alexander Reinold (Vienna University of Economics & Business)

NRID: POVERTY AND DISASTERS (Room D)

(chair: John Turner)

A Poor Inquiry: Poverty and living standards in pre-famine Ireland

Áine Doran (QUB)

Black market, blue uniform: Policing the Austerity Regime in Israel, 1950-51

Shlomi Chetrit (Hebrew University Jerusalem)

Coping strategies and government response to the humanitarian crisis during the Maoist period: A case study of the Great Flood of 1975 in Henan province, China

Roser Alvarez-Klee (Barcelona)

NRIE: MEDIEVAL (Room E)

(chair: Tony Moore)

Ora et gubernare: The economic impact of Benedict's Rule in medieval England

Federico Trombetta (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore)

The impact of missing data on network centrality measures

Joe Chick (Warwick)

Maritime averages, marine insurance and risk management in the Southern Low Countries, 15th-16th centuries

Gijs Dreijer (Exeter & Vrije Universiteit Brussels)

NRIF: WAR AND FINANCE (Room F)

(chair: Masato Shizume)

The war next door and the Reds are coming: The Spanish Civil War and the Portuguese stock market

João Pereira Dos Santos, José Tavares (Nova School of Business & Economics) & Jaime Marques Pereira (Bocconi)

Price convergence through a financial network: Does financial integration impact price integration in real sectors?

Zhihao Xu (UCLA)

The effect of World War II on the value of Turkish Lira

Ismail Altay (Recep Tayyip Erdoğan)

NRIG: MONETARY HISTORY (Room G)

(chair: Marc Flandreau)

Interwar Poland's late exit from gold: A case of government as 'Conservative Central Banker'?

Thea Don-Siemion (LSE)

Zombie international currency: The Pound Sterling, 1945-71

Maylis Avaro (University of Oxford)

1500-1530 Break

1530-1730 **ACADEMIC SESSION I** (8 parallel sessions)

ASIA: INFANT MORTALITY IN PORT TOWNS (Room A)

(chair: Angélique Janssens)

What was killing babies in Ipswich? An investigation of infant mortality using individual causes of death, 1871-1910

Eilidh Garrett (Edinburgh) & Alice Reid (Cambridge)

What was killing babies in Copenhagen? An investigation of infant mortality using individual level causes of death, 1862-1912

Anne Løkke, Louise Villefrance Isted Ludvigsen (Copenhagen) & Barbara Revuelta-Eugercios (Danish National Archive)

What was killing babies in Trondheim? An investigation of infant mortality using individual level causes of death, 1830-1920

Hilde Sommerseth (Arctic University of Norway)

What was killing babies in Hermoupolis, Greece? An investigation of infant mortality using individual level causes of death, 1876-1930

Michail Raftakis (Newcastle)

Trends and causes of infant mortality in Rostock: An investigation of individual level cause-of-death data, 1800-1910

Michael Muehlichen (Federal Institute for Population Research, BiB)

What was killing babies in Amsterdam? An investigation of infant mortality using individual level causes of death, 1856-1930

Tim Riswick & Angélique Janssens (Radboud)

ASIB: SPANISH FLU (Room B)

(chair: Eric Schneider)

Pandemic influenza and the gender imbalance: Evidence from early twentieth-century Japan

Kota Ogasawara & Minami Yumitori (Tokyo Institute of Technology)

Poverty, pollution, and mortality: The 1918 Influenza Pandemic in a developing German economy

Richard Franke (Bayreuth)

Public health shocks and product pricing behaviour: Evidence from life insurance during the Influenza Pandemic

Gertjan Verdickt (Monash) & Gustavo Cortes (Florida)

Unequal mortality during the Spanish Flu

Joan Rosés (LSE), Sergio Basco (Barcelona) & Jordi Domenech (Carlos III de Madrid)

ASIC: WOMEN AS SLAVEHOLDERS (WOMEN'S COMMITTEE SESSION) (Room C)

(chair: Sheryllynne Haggerty)

Women enterprisers and enslavers in Kingston's Globalizing Emporium, 1700-60

Christine Walker (Yale & NUS)

'I cannot live without money': Barbara Newton's management of her wealth and property in Barbados

Misha Ewen (Manchester)

'Women are Women everywhere': Work and power in white women's letters from the eighteenth-century French Caribbean

Annika Raapke (Göttingen)

Female slave traders, refugee families, and imperial elites: Slave trade networks in the late Ottoman Empire

Kadir Yildirim (Bochum)

ASID: COLONIALISM AND TRADE (Room D)

(chair: Bishnupriya Gupta)

'so much does one thing depend upon another here': An examination of the bush and post economies of Canadian fur trade, c.1821-70

Frank Tough (Alberta)

Gravitational forces in British foreign trade since 1870

Albrecht Ritschl (LSE)

Coercion or resilience? Expanding African commodity exports during the Great Depression

Michiel de Haas (Wageningen) & Bram van Besouw (Erasmus Rotterdam)

Trade disruption, industrialisation and the setting sun of British colonial rule in India

Roberto Bonfatti (Padua & Nottingham) & Bjoern Brey (Nottingham)

ASIE: POVERTY AND WELFARE (Room E)

(chair: Claudia Rei)

The (working) poor in Stockholm 1740: A spatial analysis

Kathryn Gary (Lund) & Jakob Molinder (Uppsala)

Austerity and crime: Evidence from the New Poor Law

Martina Miotto (CERGE-EI) & Eric Melander (Namur)

A decision for the individual or the collective? Membership in sickness insurance funds in Swedish manufacturing, c.1900

Maria Stanfors, Tobias Karlsson (Lund), Lars-Fredrik Andersson & Liselotte Eriksson (Umeå)

Nutritional inequality and international aid in Vienna, 1919-21

Mary Cox (Oxford)

ASIF: TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION (Room F)

(chair: Deirdre McCloskey)

British-French technology transfer from the Revolution to Louis Philippe, 1791-1844: Evidence from patent data

Michelangelo Vasta (Siena), Alessandro Nuvolari (Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies) & Gaspare Tortorici (Heidelberg)

The rise of the engineer: Inventing the professional inventor during the Industrial Revolution

Walker Hanlon (NYU)

Labour scarcity, technology adoption and innovation: Evidence from the cholera pandemics in nineteenth-century France

Raphael Franck (Hebrew University Jerusalem)

Women's labour force participation and household technology adoption

Tarun Jain (IIM, Ahmedabad), Gautam Bose & Sarah Walker (New South Wales)

ASIG: MONETARY POLICY DURING THE CLASSICAL GOLD STANDARD (Room G)

(chair: Jason Lennard)

Charity begins at home: Why Britain resumed the Gold Standard after the French Wars

Pamfili Antipa (Sciences PO & Banque de France) & Quoc-Anh Do (Sciences Po)

The British Empire's other famine in 1847: The Irish Famine and the Mauritian Crisis

Charles Read (Cambridge)

International bimetallism and the political economy of gold in Victorian Britain, 1873-1901

Sabine Schneider (Oxford)

ASIH: EARLY MODERN AGRICULTURE (Room H)

(chair: Phillipp Schofield)

'Calorific divergence': Towards the history of global arable productivity, c.1200-1900 - some preliminary insights

Philip Slavin (Stirling)

Agricultural rent and grain prices in England during the long eighteenth century

Keith Tribe (Tartu) & Gauthier Lanot (Umeå)

A rethinking of Labrousse's analyses of wheat price movements in eighteenth-century France: Labrousse versus Labrousse?

Sylvie Rivot (Haute-Alsace), Magali Jaoul-Grammare & Jean-Daniel Boyer (Strasbourg)

Public granaries: A debated institutional solution for rising prices in eighteenth-century German literature

Marten Seppel & Hannes Vinnal (Tartu)

1730-1800 Break

1800-1900 Open meeting for women in economic/social history (all welcome)

WEDNESDAY 7 APRIL

1200-1300 Annual General Meeting of the Economic History Society (papers can be found in the 'Members' Area' of the website). You must be logged in to access these.

1300-1325 **NEW RESEARCHER POSTER SESSION**

A social history of Keynesian economics in Australia, 1936-51

Cameron Coventry (Federation University Australia) (NR poster: Coventry)

Selling 'The world's favourite airline': British Airways' privatisation and the motives behind it

Adrian Cozmuta (Glasgow & Kyoto) (NR poster: Cozmuta)

Wind power access to capital in the early twenty-first century: The secondary market

Mercedes Galindez (Cambridge) (NR poster: Galindez)

"What a state of domestic quackery!": Science, gender, and class in the Aylesbury duck industry, 1820-1920

Linda Henderson (Exeter) (NR poster: Henderson)

Studying in the city: Migratory movements among secondary education students: Spain, 1877-78

Pau Insa-Sanchez (València) (NR poster: Insa-Sanchez)

"From rough to polished workers?" Social mobility and integration of Jewish diamond workers in pre-war Amsterdam

Joris Kok (IISH) (NR poster: Kok)

EU competition law and economic schools of thought: A text mining perspective

Anselm Küsters (Max Planck Institute for European Legal History) (NR poster: Küsters)

The rate of return on corporate bonds: Long-run micro-level evidence

Kevin Van Menckel (Antwerp) (NR poster: Van Menckel)

1330-1500 **ACADEMIC SESSION II** (8 parallel sessions)

ASIIA: PREMODERN INEQUALITY (Room A)

(chair: Joerg Baten)

Wealth accumulation and institutional capture: The rise of the Medici and the fall of the Florentine Republic

Mattia Fochesato (Bocconi), Marianna Belloc (Sapienza), Francesco Drago (Catania) & Roberto Galbiati (Sciences Po)

Rural inequality in sixteenth-century Ottoman Western Anatolia

Pinar Ceylan (Ghent)

New representations of wealth distribution in Restoration England

Andrew Wareham (Roehampton), Aaron Columbus (Birkbeck), Jakob Sonnberger, Theresa Dellinger, Georg Vogeler (Graz) & Mike Shand (Glasgow)

ASIIIB: GENDER NORMS IN A HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE (Room B)

(chair: Victor Gay)

Empowering women through radio: Evidence from occupied Japan

Yoko Okuyama (Uppsala)

Culture and the historical fertility transition

Brian Beach (Vanderbilt) & Walker Hanlon (NYU)

Women and asylums

Melanie Xue (NYU Abu Dhabi)

ASIIC: MARKET INTEGRATION (Room C)

(chair: Edmund Cannon)

Transport and urban growth in the first industrial revolution

Dan Bogart (UC Irvine), Eduard Alvarez (Oberta de Catalunya), Leigh Shaw-Taylor, Oliver Dunn & Max Satchell (Cambridge)

All roads lead to market integration? Lessons from a spatial analysis of the wheat market in eighteenth-century Spain

Alexandra Cermeño (Lund) & Carlos Santiago-Caballero (Carlos III de Madrid)

The integration of West Africa in the global economy, 1842-1938

Nektarios Aslanidis, Oscar Martinez (Rovira i Virgili), & Federico Tadei (Barcelona)

ASIID: REMITTANCES AND MIGRANT SELECTION (Room D)

(chair: Joseph Day)

The sun never sets on the British Post Office: Trinidad-India remittances in the 1880s

Alexander Persaud (Richmond)

Between unfreedoms: The role of caste in decisions to repatriate among Indian indentured workers in British Guiana, 1872-1911

Neha Hui & Uma Kambhampati (Reading)

The speed of adjustment of migrant self-selection: Evidence from the Panic of 1907

David Escamilla-Guerrero (St Andrews) & Moramay Lopez-Alonso (Rice)

ASIIIE: TRADE AND PROTECTIONISM (Room E)

(chair: Sabine Schneider)

The economic consequences of Sir Robert Peel

Douglas Irwin (Dartmouth College) & Maksym Chepeliev (Purdue)

The impact of tariff protection: Evidence from British Colonies in Australia

Kilian Rieder (Osterreichische Nationalbank) & Leonhard Sauerhammer (Vienna University of Economics & Business)

Industrial safeguarding in Britain, 1925-8: The determinants of protection

Brian Varian (Newcastle)

ASIIF: SLAVERY (Room F)

(chair: Helen Paul)

The national income of Jamaica and the 'decline thesis' revisited, 1730-1850

Aaron Graham (Oxford)

Arabian slavery and the African slave trade, 1830-1913

Robert Allen (NYU Abu Dhabi)

'I am so chained down by business to this spot': Making money in Jamaica, 1756

Sheryllynne Haggerty (Hull)

ASIIG: REFORM AND HUMAN CAPITAL (Room G)

(chair: Neil Cummins)

Education supply and economic growth in nineteenth-century France

Adrian Montalbo (IESEG School of Management)

Land reform and public goods in the long-run: Evidence from Kenya's settlement schemes

Alexander Moradi (Bozen-Bolzano), Juliette Crespín-Boucaud (Paris School of Economics) & Catherine Boone (LSE)

Bold and bright? Italy's 1962 school reform and human capital accumulation

Leonardo Ridolfi, Gabriele Cappelli, & Michelangelo Vasta (Siena)

ASIIH: GREAT DEPRESSION (Room H)

(chair: Charles Read)

Measuring inflation expectations in interwar Britain

Jason Lennard (LSE), Solomos Solomou (Cambridge) & Finn Meinecke (Bank of England)

Shadow credit, the Fed and the Crash of 1929
Rasheed Saleuddin (Cambridge)

1500-1530 Break

1530-1730 **NEW RESEARCHERS' SESSION II** (8 parallel sessions)

NRIIA: HEALTH (Room A)

(chair: Eric Schneider)

A long shadow of mild shocks – intergenerational health effects of in-utero exposure to maternal stress: Evidence from eighteenth- and nineteenth-century Southern Norway

Emre Sari (Arctic University of Norway)

Height and mortality in the Netherlands, 1850-1900: A sibling design study

Kristina Thompson (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)

Height and the disease environment: The impact of mortality on height in the Netherlands, 1850-1940

Björn Quanjer (Radboud)

Colonial origins and health system performance in the D.R.Congo

Samuel Lordemus (York)

NRIIB: TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION (Room B)

(chair: Christopher Colvin)

Indian cottons and the evolution of printing and dyeing in the British calico industry, 1720-1860

Alka Raman (LSE)

The road to abolition: The Dutch patent system, 1817-69

Homer Wagenaar (QUB)

Labour supply and directed technical change: Evidence from the abrogation of the Bracero Program in 1964

Shmuel San (NYU)

Wage bargaining and directed technical change: Structural consequences of egalitarianism in Italy after 1969

Andrea Ramazzotti (LSE)

NRIIC: TRADE (Room C)

(chair: Kevin O'Rourke)

Cotton traders in hemispheric perspective: Cross-imperial networks between Brazil, Portugal and Europe, 1780-1808

Felipe Melo (EUI)

Winners and losers: The asymmetric impact of tariff protection on Swedish firms in the late nineteenth century

Vinzent Ostermeyer (Lund)

Real iceberg transport costs? The distance effect of the North Atlantic iceberg drift on trade

Christian Düben (Hamburg), Jonas Rudsinske & Sebastian Schmidt (Göttingen)

Trade and protectionism in interwar Germany

Alexander Wulfers (Oxford)

NRIID: FINANCIAL INTEGRATION AND INVESTMENT PRACTICES (Room D)

(chair: D'Maris Coffman)

Understanding determinants and common factors of railway and sovereign securities during the First Era of Globalisation

Tehreem Husain (UCL)

'A bad bargain for local authorities:' Goschen's assigned revenues system and the Chiswick High Road, 1902-11

Tracey Logan (Leicester)

Strangling speculation: The effect of the 1903 Viennese futures trading ban

Laura Wurm (QUB)

Professional asset management after WWI: UK investment trusts' portfolios strategies in the 1920s

Antonis Kyparissis (Open)

NRIIE: BUSINESS HISTORY (Room E)

(chair: James Foreman-Peck)

The Remount Department: Horsing the army in twentieth-century warfare

Luise Elsaesser (EUI)

Lessons learned? Securing essential materials in changing global value chains: British raw material planning and dependencies on Germany in the tungsten value chain in the interwar period

Simon Renner (NTNU Trondheim)

Merchants and crises: The Bristol sugar market during the French Revolutionary Wars

Peter Buckles (Liverpool)

The entrepreneurial transformation of Socialist China

Adam Frost (Harvard)

NRIIF: POLITICAL ECONOMY (Room F)

(chair: James Fenske)

When autocrats fail: Bismarck's struggle against the Socialists

Felix Kersting (Humboldt Berlin)

Franchise expansion and electoral mobilization: How caste and migration shaped India's colonial politics

Ashish Aggarwal (Warwick), Ritam Chaurey & Pavithra Suryanarayan (Johns Hopkins University)

The political consequences of mass repatriation

Edoardo Cefalà (Nottingham)

The accession negotiations between the European Community and Spain: The case of the industrial sector, 1979-85

Marta Alorda Carreras (EUI)

NRIIG: STATE/FISCAL CAPACITY (Room G)

(chair: Dan Bogart)

Monetary capacity

Adam Brzezinski (Oxford), Roberto Bonfatti (Padua & Nottingham), K. Kivanc Karaman (Bogazici) & Nuno Palma (Manchester)

A big head on small feet: Resource allocation and state capacity in Qing China, 1644-1840

Ziang Liu (LSE)

Labour coercion, and trade: Evidence from colonial Indonesia

Mark Hup (UC, Irvine)

Reexamine the restoration: Fiscal capacity and industrialisation in modern China, 1860s-1930s

Hanzhi Deng (LSE)

NRIIH: EARLY MODERN BUSINESS AND FINANCE (Room H)

(chair: Dave Postles)

Absolutism and financial revolution: The case of the Crown of Aragon, 1340-1750

Íñigo Ena Sanjuán (EUI)

Does confiscation explain the financial sustainability of the Portuguese Inquisition, 16th-18th centuries?

Bruno Lopes (Évora)

The instrumental use of private partnerships in early modern Antwerp, 1621-1791

Patrick Naaktgeboren (Maastricht)

Bankruptcy, failure, and the appraisal of worth in the Court of Chancery, 1674-1750

Aidan Collins (York)

1730-1800 Break

1800-1900 Pub Quiz for New Researchers

THURSDAY 8 APRIL

1200-1300 Session for New Researchers on 'Publishing' (led by Professor John Turner, Managing Editor, *ECHR*)

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NRIIIA: GENDER AND WAGES (Room A)

(chair: Corinne Boter)

The Gloucestershire handloom weavers: Family division of labour, gender, and wages, 1838-40

Faheem Rokadiya (Utrecht)

The long way to gender equality: Gender pay differences in Germany, 1871-2016

Theresa Neef (Free University Berlin)

Understanding the gender wage gap in Mexico, 1880-1980

Enrique de la Rosa-Ramos (KCL)

NRIIIB: AGRICULTURE (Room B)

(chair: Brian Varian)

'Playing a poor hand with some little skill'? Economic decision-making in medieval agriculture: The sergeants of Durham Cathedral Priory

Ryan Wicklund (Durham)

Energy efficiency of extractive agriculture in Colombia, 1916-2015

Alexander Urrego-Mesa (Barcelona)

NRIIC: LIVING STANDARDS AND INEQUALITY IN PREMODERN EUROPE (Room C)

(chair: Judy Stephenson)

From rags to riches? Welfare ratios in the southern Low Countries and the Little Divergence, 1275-1550

Sam Geens (Antwerp)

Socio-economic and land inequality in pre-industrial England: the case of Kingston Lacy (Dorset)

Ana Aviñó de Pablo (Ghent)

NRIID: LABOUR AND LABOUR MARKETS (Room D)

(chair: Paul Sharp)

Technological change and the inequality of jobs: American transport, 1750-1860

Benjamin Schneider (Oxford)

The return of the King: Political conflict and female labour force participation

Xanthi Tsoukli (Southern Denmark)

From circular to permanent: Migrant labour market attainment during the Spanish tourism boom - the Balearic Islands,

1959-73

José Antonio García-Barrero (Barcelona)

NRIIE: MOBILITY (Room E)

(chair: Carlos Santiago-Caballero)

The 'her' in inheritance: Marriage and mobility in Quebec, 1800-1970

Matthew Curtis (UC, Davis)

Gatsby in the country of The Leopard: Social mobility across Italian provinces in the 1930s

Giacomo Gabbuti (Oxford)

Are the losers of Communism the winners of Capitalism? The effects of conformism in the GDR on transition success

Max Deter (Wuppertal)

NRIIF: INTERWAR FINANCIAL AND MACROECONOMIC HISTORY (Room F)

(chair: Kilian Rieder)

Financial development gone wrong? A new perspective on the crisis of commercial banks in the interwar period

Marco Molteni (Oxford)

An international monetary explanation of the 1929 Crash of the New York Stock Exchange

Jean-Laurent Cadorel (Paris School of Economics)

Hitler's jobs multipliers: Evidence from interwar work creation programmes, 1933-37

Hendrik Steinbrecher (Dortmund)

NRIIG: PERSISTENCE (Room G)

(chair: Stephen Broadberry)

Learning is caring: Soil heterogeneity, social learning and the formation of close-knit communities

Itzhak Tzachi Raz (Hebrew University Jerusalem)

The long-run gains from the early adoption of electricity

Bjoern Brey (Nottingham & Aix Marseille School of Economics)

Historical traumas, revolution participation, and state-building

Peiyuan Li (Colorado Boulder)

1500-1530 Break

ASIIIA: CHILD STUNTING AND HEALTH IN THE TWENTIETH AND TWENTY-FIRST CENTURIES (Room A)

(chair: Björn Quanjer)

Worldwide historical child stunting since the nineteenth century

Eric Schneider (LSE)

Short lives, the impact of parental death on early life mortality, and height in the Netherlands, 1850-1940

Ingrid van Dijk (Lund) & Matthias Rosenbaum-Feldbrügge (Federal Institute for Population Research Germany)

The anthropometrics of war, famine and development: Helsinki schoolchildren, 1910-32

Sakari Saaritsa, Tuuli Hurme (Helsinki) & Joël Floris (Zürich)

Child welfare and authoritarian social control: The state of ethnic minorities in Xinjiang, China, 1980-2010s

Stephen Morgan (Nottingham)

ASIIIB: INEQUALITY (Room B)

(chair: Rebecca Simson)

The Darwinian and the Beckerian trade-offs of children in Ming-Qing China

Sijie Hu (LSE)

Surnames, status and schools: A long-term view of the social ladder in Colombia

Andrés Álvarez (Los Andes) & Juliana Jaramillo-Echeverri (LSE)

Inequality and social mobility in a settler society: Evidence from the Cape Colony

Johan Fourie, Dieter von Fintel (Stellenbosch), Erik Green (Lund) & Auke Rijpma (Utrecht)

Ethnic wealth inequality in England and Wales, 1858-2018

Neil Cummins (LSE)

ASIIIC: WOMEN'S LABOUR MARKET OUTCOMES (Room C)

(chair: David Escamilla-Guerrero)

Family, kinship, and domestic work in nineteenth-century England and Wales

Xuesheng You (Swansea)

Wage rates and the majority gender share: An example of the British textile industry, 1886

Corinne Boter & Sarah Carmichael (Utrecht)

Collateral damage? How World War One changed the way women work

Victor Gay (Toulouse School of Economics) & Lionel Kesztenbaum (INED)

The economics of gender-specific minimum-wage legislation

Mikhail Poyker (Nottingham) & Riccardo Marchingiglio (Northwestern)

ASIIID: LIVING STANDARDS (Room D)

(chair: Kristina Thompson)

Financing sanitation infrastructure in nineteenth-century England and Wales

Jonathan Chapman (NYU Abu Dhabi)

The economic impact of plague pandemic and policy responses in colonial India, 1896-1929

Nadeem Aftab (Northampton) & Tehreem Husain (UCL)

The Soviet Great Famine, 1932-33

Natalya Naumenko (George Mason), Andrei Markevich (New Economic School) & Nancy Qian (Northwestern)

Living standards in the early Soviet Union and interwar Bulgaria: Rich peasants and poor workers?

Matthias Morys (York) & Martin Ivanov (Sofia)

ASIIIE: OCCUPATIONAL STRUCTURE AND NETWORKS (Room E)

(chair: Amy Erickson)

Guild Society: Social capital and Guilds in early modern England

Patrick Wallis (LSE) & Michael Scott (Manchester)

Southern and Northern Italy in the Great Divergence: New perspectives from the occupational structure

David Chilosì (KCL) & Carlo Ciccarelli (Tor Vergata Rome)

The demand for extraterritoriality: Religious minorities in nineteenth-century Egypt

Mohamed Saleh (Toulouse School of Economics) & Cihan Artunç (Middlebury College)

Missing from parish records: Differences in the occupations of Anglican and nonconformist fathers in Wales, 1813-20
Frances Richardson (Oxford)

ASIIIF: BUSINESS HISTORY (Room F)

(chair: Catherine Casson)

'As to the article of business, what is a religious man not prepared for, that he can be called to?': Faith, work and business in northern English towns

Hannah Barker (Manchester)

Faith and care work in northern English towns, 1760-1830

Kate Gibson (Manchester)

Race, diversity, and productivity: American whaling in the nineteenth century

Metin Cosgel & Michele Baggio (Connecticut)

Large-scale Victorian manufacturers: Reconstructing the lost 1881 UK employer census

Leslie Hannah (LSE)

ASIIIG: SOVEREIGN DEBT (Room G)

(chair: Martin Daunton)

The making of domestic public debt in seventeenth-century Sweden: The Bank of the Estates of the Realm (Rikens ständers bank)

Christopher Pihl (Uppsala)

Indulgent creditors of kings: Dealing with sovereign default in eighteenth-century Portugal

Leonor Freire Costa & Lisbeth Rodrigues (Lisbon)

The value of a quote: Stock market listing for sovereign bonds, 1872-1911

Rui Pedro Esteves (Graduate Institute Geneva) & Marc Flandreau (Pennsylvania)

ASIIIH: FINANCING AND THE SPREAD OF INDUSTRIALISATION (Room H)

(chair: Janet Hunter)

Inter-regional financial networks in England and Japan, 1760-1860

Mina Ishizu (LSE)

Codification à l'anglaise: The making of modern negotiability for the statistically minded

Samuel Segura Cobos (Tel Aviv)

The Qing State's influence on China's manufacturing sector of the 1910s: New measurements at the provincial level

Ye Ma (BNUZH)

Financing industrialisation in Russia and Germany

Amanda Gregg (Middlebury College) & Caroline Fohlin (Emory)

1730-1800 Break

1800-1900 Meeting of NR Prize Committee

FRIDAY 9 APRIL

1200-1300 Session for New Researchers on the 'Job Market' (led by Chris Minns & Judy Stephenson)

1300-1325 **NEW RESEARCHER POSTER SESSION**

A social history of Keynesian Economics in Australia, 1936-51

Cameron Coventry (Federation University Australia) (NR poster: Coventry)

Selling 'The world's favourite airline': British Airways' privatisation and the motives behind it

Adrian Cozmuta (Glasgow & Kyoto) (NR poster: Cozmuta)

Wind power access to capital in the early twenty-first century: The secondary market

Mercedes Galindez (Cambridge) (NR poster: Galindez)

"What a state of domestic quackery!": Science, gender, and class in the Aylesbury duck industry, 1820-1920

Linda Henderson (Exeter) (NR poster: Henderson)

Studying in the city: Migratory movements among secondary education students: Spain, 1877-78

Pau Insa-Sanchez (València) (NR poster: Insa-Sanchez)

"From rough to polished workers?" Social mobility and integration of Jewish diamond workers in pre-war Amsterdam

Joris Kok (ISSH) (NR poster: Kok)

EU competition law and economic schools of thought: A text mining perspective

Anselm Küsters (Max Planck Institute for European Legal History) (NR poster: Küsters)

The rate of return on corporate bonds: Long-run micro-level evidence

Kevin Van Menxel (Antwerp) (NR poster: Van Menxel)

1330-1445 Tawney Lecture:

Professor Mary O'Sullivan (Geneva)

History as heresy: Unlearning the lessons of economic orthodoxy

1445-1530 Prize-giving

1530-1600 Break

1600-1800 **ACADEMIC SESSION IV** (8 parallel sessions)

ASIVA: CENSUS LINKING AND ECONOMIC OUTCOMES (Room A)

(chair: Jane Humphries)

Marriage and the intergenerational mobility of women: Evidence from marriage certificates, 1850-1910

Gregory Niemesh, Jacqueline Craig (Miami) & Katherine Eriksson (UC Davis)

Train to opportunity: The effect of infrastructure on intergenerational mobility

Myra Mohnen (Essex & Ottawa), Julian Costas-Fernandez (UCL) & Jose Alberto-Guerra (Los Andes)

Race differentials in mortality in the United States, 1900-40: Examining linked full-count census data

Jonas Helgertz, J David Hacker, John Robert Warren & Elizabeth Wrigley-Field (Minnesota)

Labour market scarring in the very long run: Evidence from large-scale longitudinal microdata
Vellore Arthi, Gary Richardson (UC Irvine) & Katherine Eriksson (UC Davis)

ASIVB: LONG-RUN ECONOMIC GROWTH (Room B)

(chair: Amanda Gregg)

Real wages and living standards in early modern Normandy
Cédric Chambru (Zürich) & Paul Maneuvrier-Hervieu (Milan)

The labour intensive path: Wages, incomes and the work year in Japan, 1610-1932
Yuzuru Kumon (Institute for Advanced Study Toulouse)

Feinstein fulfilled: Updated estimates of UK GDP 1841-1920, and their implications for cycles and growth
Ryland Thomas (Bank of England) & Solomos Solomou (Cambridge)

Economic growth in Sub-Saharan Africa, 1885-2008
Leigh Gardner (LSE) & Stephen Broadberry (Oxford)

ASIVC: CONFLICT (Room C)

(chair: Samuel Lordemus)

Territorial state capacity and violence, 500-1900 CE
Joerg Baten, Thomas Keywood & Georg Wamser (Tuebingen)

The Columbian exchange and conflict in Asia
James Fenske (Warwick), Mark Dincecco & Anil Menon (Michigan)

Eclipses and the memory of revolutions: Evidence from China
Jacopo Ponticelli (Northwestern), Meng Miao (Renmin) & Yi Shao (Peking)

'Let them eat cake': Drought and demand for democracy in the French Revolution
Maria Waldinger (ifo Institute Munich)

ASIVD: DETERMINANTS OF MIGRATION (Room D)

(chair: Esther Sahle)

Migrating and forming identities in nineteenth-century England and Wales
Joseph Day (Bristol)

The sleeping giant who left for America: The determinants and impact of Danish emigration during the Age of Mass Migration
Paul Sharp, Nina Boberg-Fazlic (Southern Denmark) & Markus Lampe (Vienna University of Economics & Business)

Like an ink blot on paper: Testing the diffusion hypothesis of mass migration, Italy 1876-1920
Yannay Spitzer (Hebrew University Jerusalem) & Ariell Zimran (Vanderbilt)

The economic cost of political conflicts: The case of Republican refugees during the Spanish Civil war
Blanca Sánchez-Alonso (San Pablo-CEU) & Carlos Santiago-Caballero (Carlos III de Madrid)

ASIVE: MEDIEVAL ECONOMIC HISTORY (Room E)

(chair: Antoni Furió)

Arable freehold land values in two English counties before the Black Death
Dave Postles (Independent researcher)

Religious devotion and pious consumption: Wax in late medieval and early modern Europe, 15th-16th centuries
Mark Whelan (KCL)

Regional specialisation and international trade: The case of wax in Europe, 15th-16th centuries
Lluís Sales Fava (KCL)

ASIVF: MONEY AND BANKING REFORM (Room F)

(chair: Paolo di Martino)

The vagaries of the sea: Evidence on the real effects of money from maritime disasters in the Spanish Empire
Yao Chen, Felix Ward (Erasmus), Adam Brzezinski (Oxford) & Nuno Palma (Manchester)

Monetary crisis and reform in seventeenth-century Naples
Lilia Costabile (Naples Federico II) & François Velde (Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago)

Modern banking reforms and financial activities of indigenous merchants: A case from Japan in the late nineteenth century

Masato Shizume (Waseda)

The efficiency of the Chinese silver standard, 1920-33

Liuyan Zhao (Peking) & Nuno Palma (Manchester)

ASIVG: POSTWAR FINANCIAL AND MONETARY HISTORY (Room G)

(chair: Rasheed Saleuddin)

An international monetary system for the Global South: UNCTAD and the reform of Bretton Woods

Seung-Woo Kim (Graduate Institute Geneva)

Economic subjects: Commercial banks and the Africanisation process in Colonial Kenya

Christian Velasco (Warwick)

The shadow sovereign lender: Banco do Brasil and balance-of-payments management, 1964-82

Sebastian Alvarez (Oxford)

Imported or home grown? The 1992-3 EMS Crisis

Alain Naef (Banque de France) & Barry Eichengreen (UC Berkeley)

ASIVH: INSTITUTIONS AND POLITICAL ECONOMY (Room H)

(chair: Steven Nafziger)

Priests and postmen: Historical origins of national identity

Claudia Rei (Warwick)

Making a police officer: Investigating how the police changed with the introduction of the Civil Service in the US

Rowena Gray (California, Merced)

Warlords, famines and the rise of Communism in China

Meng Miao (Renmin), Zhangkai Huang (Tsinghua), Yi Shao, (Peking) & Colin Xu (The World Bank)

Public good or public 'bad'? Indigenous institutions, nation-building, and the demand for road infrastructure in Mexico

Eduardo Hidalgo (Cologne), Aldo Elizalde (Glasgow) & Nayeli Salgado (Vienna University of Economics & Business)