



An Economic History of Modern Europe

Third RTN Summer Symposium 'Unifying the European Experience: Historical Lessons of Pan-European Development'

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Draft Programme

Friday 26 October

12.30-13.45 **Lunch**

13.45-14.00 **Welcome and Introduction**

14.00-14.40 **Chapter 1.1: Economic growth, 1700-1870**

Joel Mokyr (Northwestern University)
Joachim Voth (UPF and CEPR)

Discussant: Nicholas Crafts (University of Warwick)

14.40-15.20 **Chapter 1.2: Demographic transition and human capital, 1700-1870**

George Alter (Indiana University)
Gregory Clark (University of California, Davis)

Discussant: Jacob Weisdorf (University of Copenhagen)

15.20-16.00 **Chapter 1.3: State and private institutions, 1700-1870**

Dan Bogart (University of California, Irvine)
Mauricio Drelichman (University of British Columbia)
Oscar Gelderblom (Utrecht University)
Jean Laurent Rosenthal (INRA, UCLA and CEPR)

Discussant: Mark Harrison (University of Warwick)

16.00-16.30 **Coffee and Tea**

16.30-17.10 **Chapter 1.4: Trade and empire, 1700-1870**

Kevin O'Rourke (Trinity College Dublin, IIS and CEPR)
Leandro Prados de la Escosura (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)

Discussant: Guillaume Daudin (University of Edinburgh)

17.10-17.50 **Chapter 1.5: Business cycles, 1700-1870**

Lee Craig (North Carolina State University)
Concepción Garcia Iglesias (University of Helsinki)

Discussant: Clemens Jobst (Sciences Po)

17.50-18.30 **Chapter 1.6: Agriculture, 1700-1870**

Liam Brunt (Université de Lausanne and CEPR)
Tracey Dennison (California Institute of Technology)
James Simpson (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)

Discussant: Alexander Klein (Jagiellonian University, Krakow)

18.30-19.10 **Chapter 1.7: Industry, 1700-1870**

Stephen Broadberry (University of Warwick and CEPR)
Rainer Fremdling (University of Groningen)
Peter Solar (Vrije Universiteit Brussel)

Discussant: Liam Brunt (Université de Lausanne and CEPR)

20.00 **Dinner**

Saturday 27 October

09.00-09.40 **Chapter 1.8: Services, 1700-1870**

Regina Grafe (Oxford University)
Larry Neal (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign)
Richard Unger (University of British Columbia)

Discussant: Neil Cummins (LSE and Paris-Jourdan Sciences Economiques)

09.40-10.20 **Chapter 1.9: Standard of living and inequality, 1700-1870**

Sevket Pamuk (Bogaziçi University)
Jan Luiten van Zanden (International Institute Social History)

Discussant: James Foreman-Peck (Cardiff Business School)

10.20-11.00 Chapter 1.10: Urbanisation, 1700-1870

Paolo Malanima (Università di Pisa)
Oliver Volckart (Humboldt University Berlin)

Discussant: Jan Luiten van Zanden (International Institute Social History)

11.00-11.30 Coffee and Tea

11.30-12.10 Chapter 11: Europe in an Asian mirror: the Great Divergence, 1700-1870

Bishnupriya Gupta (University of Warwick)
Debin Ma (London School of Economics)

Discussant: Joachim Voth (UPF and CEPR)

12.10-12.50 Chapter 2.1: Globalisation, 1870-1914

Guillaume Daudin (University of Edinburgh)
Matthias Morys (University of Oxford)
Kevin O'Rourke (Trinity College Dublin, IIS and CEPR)

Discussant: Stefano Battilossi (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)

12.50-14.00 Lunch

14.00-14.40 Chapter 2.2: Aggregate growth, 1870-1914

Albert Carreras (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)
Camilla Josephson (London School of Economics)
Xavier Tafunell (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)

Discussant: Larry Neal (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign)

14.40-15.20 Chapter 2.3: Sectoral developments, 1870-1914

Stephen Broadberry (University of Warwick and CEPR)
Giovanni Federico (European University Institute)
Alexander Klein (Jagiellonian University, Krakow)

Discussant: Max Schulze (London School of Economics)

15.20-16.00 Chapter 2.4: Business cycles, 1870-1914

Marc Flandreau (Sciences Po and CEPR)
Juan Huitzilihuitl Flores Zendejas (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)
Clemens Jobst (Sciences Po)

Discussant: Gerhard Kling (University of the West of England)

16.00-16.30 **Coffee and Tea**

16.30-17.10 **Chapter 2.5. Population and living standards, 1870-1914**

Leonid Borodkin (Moscow Lomonosov State University)
Carol Leonard (St. Anthony's College, University of Oxford)
Jonas Ljungberg (Lund University)

Discussant: Robert Millward (University of Manchester)

17.10-17.50 **Chapter 2.6: War and disintegration, 1914-1945**

Jari Eloranta (Appalachian State University)
Mark Harrison (University of Warwick)

Discussant: Matthias Morys (University of Oxford)

17.50-18.30 **Chapter 2.7: Business cycles and economic policy, 1914-1945**

Albrecht Ritschl (Humboldt Universität and CEPR)
Pierre Sicsic (CDC IXIS Capital Markets)
Tobias Straumann (University of Zurich)

Discussant: Jonas Ljungberg (Lund University)

18.30-19.10 **Chapter 2.8: Aggregate growth, 1914-1945**

Joan Rosés (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)
Nikolaus Wolf (University of Warwick and CEPR)

Discussant: Lennart Schön (Lunds Universitet)

20.00 **Dinner**

Sunday 28 October

09.00-09.40 **Chapter 2.9: Sectoral developments, 1914-1945**

Erik Buyst (Katholieke Universiteit Leuven and CEPR)
Piotr Franaszek (Jagiellonian University)
Pierre-Cyrille Hautcoeur (Paris Jourdan Sciences Economiques)

Discussant: Rainer Fremdling (University of Groningen)

09.40-10.20 **Chapter 2.10: Population and living standards, 1914-1945**

Jörg Baten (University of Tuebingen)
Robert Millward (University of Manchester)

Discussant: Nikolaus Wolf (University of Warwick and CEPR)

10.20-11.00 Chapter 2.11: Political economy of European integration, 1945-2000

Andrea Boltho (University of Oxford)
Barry Eichengreen (University of California Berkeley and CEPR)

Discussant: Albert Carreras (Universitat Pompeu Fabra)

11.00-11.30 Coffee and Tea

11.30-12.10 Chapter 2.12: Aggregate growth, 1945-2000

Nicholas Crafts (University of Warwick)
Gianni Toniolo (Duke University, Università di Roma 'Tor Vergata' and CEPR)

Discussant: Giovanni Federico (European University Institute)

12.10-12.50 Chapter 2.13: Sectoral developments, 1945-2000

Stefan Houpt (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)
Pedro Lains (Universidade de Lisboa)
Lennart Schön (Lunds Universitet)

Discussant: Peter Solar (Vrije Universiteit Brussel)

12.50-14.00 Lunch

14.00-14.40 Chapter 2.14: Business cycles and economic policy, 1945-2000

Stefano Battilossi (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)
James Foreman-Peck (Cardiff Business School)
Gerhard Kling (University of the West of England)

Discussant: Emanuele Felice (University of Bologna)

14.40-15.20 Chapter 2.15: Population and living standards, 1945-2000

Dudley Baines (London School of Economics)
Max Schulze (London School of Economics)

Discussant: Jörg Baten (University of Tuebingen)

15.20-15.50 Coffee and Tea

15.50-16.30 Young Researcher Session

“From Preventive to Permissive Checks: The changing nature of the Malthusian relationship between nuptiality and the price of provisions in the nineteenth century”

Paul Sharp (University of Copenhagen)
Jacob Weisdorf (University of Copenhagen)

16.30-17.10 Young Researcher Session

“Human capital and economic growth. An exploration into the Italian regions (1891-2001)”

Emanuele Felice (University of Bologna)

17.10 End

Organizers:

Stephen Broadberry (University of Warwick and CEPR)
Kevin O'Rourke (Trinity College Dublin, IIS and CEPR)