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08 00 - 00 00 Registration

08.00 - 09.00	Registration	
09.00 - 10.00	Welcome & Keynote lecture by Prof. Jane Humphries	
10.00 - 10.30	Coffee break	
10.30 12.00	Session I Risk and Growth - Audimax Human Capital I - Lecture Hall 2 Agriculture - Lecture Hall 5 Money Markets I - Lecture Hall 6 Resources and Crime - Lecture Hall 10 Taxes - Seminar Room 225	
12.00 - 13.00	Dissertation Session	
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch	
14.00 - 15.00	Presentation in Walking I	
15.00 - 16.30	Session II Gender - Audimax Labor Market and Demography - Lecture Hall 2 Human Capital and Human Growth - Lecture Hall 5 Market Integration - Lecture Hall 6 Money Markets and Crises - Lecture Hall 10 Resources I - Seminar Room 225 Taxes and Trade - Seminar Room 236	
16.30 - 17.00	Coffee break	
17.00 - 18.30	Session III Human Capital II - Audimax Business - Lecture Hall 2 Geography - Lecture Hall 5 Migration and Ethic Diversity - Lecture Hall 6 Money Markets and the Fisc - Lecture Hall 10 Africa and South Asia - Seminar Room 225 Technology - Seminar Room 236	
18.30 - 20.00	Social Event	
20.00	Conference Dinner	

09.00	- 10.30	Session IV
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Growth I - Audimax Capitalism - Lecture Hall 2 Inequality I - Lecture Hall 5

Migration and Regional Development - Lecture Hall 6

Political Economy I - Lecture Hall 10 Selectivity - Seminar Room 225 Trade I - Seminar Room 236

10.30 - 11.00 Coffee break

11.00 - 12.30 Session V

Growth II - Audimax

Consumption and Growth - Lecture Hall 2

Inequality II - Lecture Hall 5
Mobility - Lecture Hall 6

Political Economy II - Lecture Hall 10 Stock Markets I - Seminar Room 225 Trade II - Seminar Room 236

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14.30 - 16.00 Session VI

Demography - Audimax Health - Lecture Hall 2 Inequality III - Lecture Hall 5 Money Markets II - Lecture Hall 6 Political Economy III - Lecture Hall 10 Stock Markets II - Seminar Room 225 Violence - Seminar Room 236

16.00 - 16.30 Coffee break

16.30 - 18.00 Session VII

Heigth and Food - Audimax Institutions - Lecture Hall 2 Wages and Growth - Lecture Hall 5 Money Markets III - Lecture Hall 6 Religion and Nation - Lecture Hall 10 Stock Markets III - Seminar Room 225

18.00 - 18.30 EHES General Meeting

19.00 Farewell Reception

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SESSION I | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 5 AGRICULTURE

RISK AND GROWTH

Growing, Shrinking and Long Run Economic Performance: Historical Perspectives on Economic Development

Stephen Broadberry, University of Oxford John Wallis, University of Maryland

Late Marriage as a Contributor to the Industrial Revolution in England

James Foreman-Peck, Cardiff University Peng Zhou, Cardiff University

The productivity race in industry (1870-1935): Empirical evidence on the role of energy in labor productivity growth

Hana Nielsen, Lund University Sofia Henriques, Lund University Paul Warde, Cambridge University Astrid Kander, Lund University

SESSION I | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 2

HUMAN CAPITAL I

Colonial Human Capital, Technology and African Development. The Case of Italian Libya, 1920-2000

Mattia C. Bertazzini. London School of Economics

The Evolution of Human Capital in Africa, 1730-1970: A Colonial Legacy

Gabriele Cappelli, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona Jörg Baten, University of Tübingen

The Making of a Liberal Education: Political Economy of the Austrian School Reform, 1865-1875

Tomas Cvrcek, University College London Miroslav Zajicek, University of Economics Prague Green front, brown tide? Agriculture, the great depression and the collapse of the Weimar Republic

Pablo Martinelli Lasheras. Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

The Deep Roots of Rebellion: Evidence from the Irish Revolution (1913-21)"

Battista Severgnini, Copenhagen Business School Gaia Narciso, Trinity College Dublin

African agricultural productivity and the transatlantic slave trade: evidence from Senegambia in the nineteenth century

Dimitrios Theodoridis, University of Gothenburg Klas Rönnbäck, University of Gothenburg

SESSION I | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 6

Money Markets I

The Dawes Bonds: Selective Default and International Trade

Olivier Accominotti, London School of Economics Philipp Kessler, University of Mannheim Kim Oosterlinck, Université Libre de Bruxelles

An Economic Conversion? Rural Cooperative Banking in the Netherlands at the Turn of the Twentieth Century

Christopher L. Colvin, Queen's University Belfast Stuart Henderson, Queen's University Belfast John D. Turner, Queen's University Belfast

Exchange rates, catch up, and lagging behind in Europe since 1870

Ljungberg, Jonas, Lund University Ögren, Anders, Lund University

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GENDER

RESOURCES AND CRIME

Spending a Windfall: American Precious Metals and Euro-Asian Trade 1531-1810

André C. Silva, Nova SBE Nuno Palma, University of Groningen

Silver, Murder, and Institutions: Did the "Curse of Resources" impact on Homicide Rates? Global evidence since 1890

Jessica Baier, University of Tübingen Jörg Baten, University of Tübingen

Climate Shocks and Crime in 19th Century Sweden

Thor Berger, Lund University

SESSION I | Friday, September 1st | Seminar Room 225

TAXES

Why did people pay taxes? Fiscal innovation in Portugal and state making in times of political struggle (1500-1680)

Leonor Freire Costa, University of Lisbon Paulo Brito, University of Lisbon

Did Russian Nobles want to pay Taxes before the Napoleonic Invasion?

Elena Korchmina, New York University in Abu Dhabi

Fiscal Destruction: Confiscatory Taxation of Jewish Property and Income in Nazi Germany

Albrecht Ritschl, London School of Economics

Understanding The Gender Gap Among Turn-of-the-Century Swedish Compositors

Joyce Burnette, Wabash College Maria Stanfors, Lund University

Girl power Generates Superstars in Long-term Development: Female Autonomy and Human Capital Formation in Early Modern Europe

Alexandra de Pleijt, Utrecht University Jörg Baten, University of Tübingen

Gender Wage Inequality in Western Europe, 1400-1800

Jan Luiten van Zanden, Utrecht University Alexandra de Pleijt, Utrecht University

SESSION II | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 2

LABOR MARKET AND DEMOGRAPHY

Looking for Malthusian Mechanisms in Denmark

Cristina Victoria Radu, University of Southern Denmark Peter Sandholt-Jensen, University of Southern Denmark Paul Sharp, University of Southern Denmark

Pushing and Pulling: Determinants of migration during Sweden's industrialisation

Björn Eriksson, Lund University Siddartha Aradhya, Lund University Finn Hedefalk, Lund University

Seasonality of casual labor in Southern Sweden, 1500 - 1850

Kathryn E. Gary, Lund University

SESSION II | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 10

MONEY MARKETS AND CRISES

HUMAN CAPITAL AND HUMAN GROWTH

Human Capital and Protestantism: Micro Evidence from Early 20th Century Ireland

Alan Fernihough, Queen's University Belfast Stuart Henderson, Queen's University Belfast

450 Years of Portuguese Colonialism in India: Missionaries, Education, Gender Gaps

Alexander Lehner, University of Bologna

Persistence of Natural Disasters on the Development of Children: Evidence from the Great Kanto Earthquake of 1923

Kota Ogasawara, Chiba University

SESSION II | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 6

MARKET INTEGRATION

The Economics of Grain Storage in England, 1663-1846

Edmund Cannon, University of Bristol Liam Brunt, NHH Norges handelshøyskole

Grain prices in the Russian Empire: Did convergence come by train?

Vera Ivanova, Higher School of Economics

Market Integration in the Indian Ocean: Colonial Port Cities and the Colonial Hinterland, 1870 – 1914

Kevin Tang, University of Oxford

Banking Crises and the International Transmission of Vulnerability

Markus Eberhardt, University of Nottingham Jakob Madsen, Monash University Andrea Presbitero International Monetary Fund

Sovereign bonds during Break-up of Nations: When Belgium left the Netherlands

Stéphanie Collet, Goethe University Frankfurt am Main

Gold, Silver, and the Price Revolution

Francois Velde, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago Thomas J. Sargent, New York University

SESSION II | Friday, September 1st | Seminar Room 225

RESOURCES I

You Reap What You Know: Origins and Dynamics of State Capacity

Thilo R. Huning, Humboldt University Berlin Fabian Wahl, University of Hohenheim

The Paradox of Plenty: Theory and History in Russian Case

Andrey Volodin, Moscow State University

Wheels of Change: Skill biased Natural Resources and Industrialization in eighteenth century England

Karine van der Beek, Ben Gurion University Joel Mokyr, Northwestern University Assaf Sarid, Haifa University

BUSINESS

TAXES AND TRADE

Domestic Barriers to Internal and International Trade: New Evidence for Brazil, 1920-1940

Marc Badia-Miró, Universitat de Barcelona Chr Michael Huberman, Université de Montréal Anna Carreras-Marín. Universitat de Barcelona

Christopher M. Meissner, UC Davis

Trade Imbalances or Specie Arbitrage? Anglo-Asian Bullion Flows in the Early Modern Period. 1664-1811

Pilar Nogues-Marco, University of Geneva

Income tax and war inflation: was the ,blood tax' compensated by taxing the rich?

Oriol Sabaté, University of Leicester Sara Torregrosa-Hetland, Lund University

SESSION III | Friday, September 1st | Audimax

HUMAN CAPITAL II

A Tale of Two Regimes: Educational Achievement and Institutions in Portugal, 1910-1950

Jaime Reis, ICS, Universidade de Lisboa Nuno Palma, University of Groningen

A Time to Print, a Time to Reform

Jared Rubin, Chapman University Lars Boerner, London School of Ecoomics Battista Severgnini, Copenhagen Business School

Human Capital in the Long-Run: Primary Schooling in Switzerland, 1771-1913

Gabi Wüthrich, University of Zurich Ulrich Woitek, University of Zurich

Executive Remuneration in Europe: From Gentlemanly Capitalism to the Rise of the Modern Manager (1920-1960)

Miguel Artola Blanco, Carlos III University of Madrid

Chemistry of the Tariff Formation Process: Business Lobby and the Mendeleev's Tariff 1891

Marina Chuchko, Vienna University of Economics and Business

The Births, Lives, and Deaths of Corporations in Late Imperial Russia

Steven Nafziger, Williams College Amanda Gregg, University of Middlebury

SESSION III | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 5

GEOGRAPHY

Adopting a New Technology: Potatoes and Population Growth in Pre-Industrial Sweden?

Thor Berger, Lund University

Economic Geography in the Long-Run: Spatial Concentration of US Manufacturing Industries 1880-1997

Alexander Klein, University of Kent Nicolas Crafts, University of Warwick

Can Kings Create Towns that Thrive? Sweden, 1570-1810

Alexandra López Cermeño, Lund University Kerstin Enflo, Lund University

SESSION III | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 6 MIGRATION AND ETHIC DIVERSITY

The Road Home the role of ethnicity in Soviet and post-Soviet migration

Young-ook Jang, London School of Economics and Political Science

Being Bad by Being Good: Owner and Captain Value-Added in the Slave Trade

John T. Dalton, Wake Forrest University
Tin Cheuk Leung, Wake Forrest University

A comparative Advantage in Labor Exports? Liberia, Fernando Po and the League of Nations

Leigh Gardner, London School of Economics

SESSION III | Friday, September 1st | Lecture Hall 10

MONEY MARKETS AND THE FISC

Monetary and Fiscal Policy in England during the French Wars (1793-1821)

Pamfili Antipa, Banque de France Christophe Chamley, Vanderbilt University

Overlooked Sovereign Credit Events and Partial Defaults: British Debt Sustainability in the Post-Second World War Period

Garrick Hileman, University of Cambridge

Money and Monetary Stability in Europe, 1300-1914

Sevket Pamuk, Bogazici University Kivanç Karaman, Bogazici University Secil Yildirim-Karaman, Kemerburgaz University

AFRICA AND SOUTH ASIA

Land Inequality in an Egalitarian Utopia: the case of Sierra Leone in the early 19th century

Stefania Galli, University of Gothenburg Klas Rönnbäck, University of Gothenburg

Imperial profits – the return on British investments in Africa, 1869-1969

Klas Rönnbäck, University of Gothenburg Oskar Broberg, University of Gothenburg

Colonial Indirect Rule and Pre-colonial Ethnic Institutions: Evidence from British India

Arash Naghavi, University of Konstanz Shujaat Faroog, Pakistan Institute of Development Economics

SESSION III | Friday, September 1st | Seminar Room 236

TECHNOLOGY

Does innovation foster business profits? Evidence from Italy, 1913 - 1936

Giacomo Domini. Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies Pisa

Innovation and Industrial Renewal in Finland and Sweden 1970-2013

Astrid Kander, Lund University Josef Taalbi, Lund University Juha Oksanen, NLS Karolin Sjöö, Lund University Nina Rilla, VTT of Finland

The Value of Patents in Italy, 1861-1913

Michelangelo Vasta, University of Siena Laura Magazzini, University of Verona Alessandro Nuvolari, Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies Pisa

GROWTH I

Growth before steam: A GIS approach to estimating multi-modal transport costs in England and Wales, 1680-1830

Dan Bogart, University of California Irvine Max Satchell, University of Cambridge
Oliver Dunn, University of Cambridge
Eduard J. Alvarez-Palau, University of Cambridge

Unifying the Economic History of Modern Europe: a review essay

Pedro Lains, University of Lisbon

Sweden Chasing the American and The British Productivity Frontiers in Manufacturing, 1869–2010

Svante Prado, University of Gothenburg Yoshihiro Sato, Stockholm School of Economics

SESSION IV | Saturday, September 2nd | Lecture Hall 2

CAPITALISM

Crisis? What Crisis? Corporate Profit and Growth Dynamics in Historical Perspective

Christian Babirat, University of Bamberg Simone Alfarano, University Jaume I Mishael Milaković, University of Bamberg

Why Did Early Industrial Capitalists Suggest Minimum Wages and Social Insurance?

Alfred Reckendrees, Copenhagen Business School

Institutions and Colonial Trade Expansion: Quaker Contract Enforcement, 1682-1772

Esther Sahle, University of Bremen

What really happened to British inequality in the early 20th Century? Evidence from national household expenditure surveys 1890-1961

Ian Gazeley, University of Sussex
Andrew Newell, University of Sussex
Hector Rufrancos, University of Sussex

Distribution Dynamics in Turbulent Times: Income inequality in Germany and Britain, 1900-1950

María Gómez-León, University of Groningen Herman de Jong, University of Groningen

Unequal Poverty and Equal Industrialization: Finnish Wealth, 1750-1900

Anna Missiaia, Lund University Mats Olsson, Lund University

Erik Bengtsson, Lund University Ilkka Nummela, University of Jyväskylä

SESSION IV | Saturday, September 2nd | Lecture Hall 6

MIGRATION AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

On the same boat - The age of Italian mass migration to the United States (1892 - 1912)

Gaspare Tortorici, Trinity College Dublin

Reconstruction in Overdrive: Refugees, Social Housing and the Rebuilding of Germany

Tamás Vonyo, Bocconi University

The socio-institutional divide. Explaining Italy's regional development over the long run

Emanuele Felice, Università G. D'Annunzio Chieti-Pescara

POLITICAL ECONOMY I

"I Intend therefore to Prorogue": The Effects of Conflict in 17th century English Parliament

Kara Dimitruk, University of California Irvine

The Rise of New Corruption: British MPs during the Railway Mania of 1845

Rui Esteves, University of Oxford Gabriel Mesevage, University of Oxford

A Land 'of Milk and Butter': The Role of Elites for the Economic Development of Denmark

Markus Lampe, WU Vienna Paul Sharp, University of Southern Danmark
Peter Sandholt Jensen, University of Southern Danmark
Christian Skovsgaard, University of Southern Danmark

SESSION IV | Saturday, September 2nd | Seminar Room 225

SELECTIVITY

Bias, Accuracy and Sample Size in the Systematic Linking of Historical Records

Luiza Antonie, University of Guelph Kris Inwood, University of Guelph Fraser Summerfield, University of Guelph

Managing Selection Bias in Sources Containing Anthroprometric Measures of Children's Growth

Eric B. Schneider. London School of Economics

Selection bias in Early Modern English Local Court Records: The Use of Quarter Session Recognizances as a Source for Male Occupational Information

Tim Rudnicki, University of Cambridge

Trade I

The Futility of Mercantilist Wars. A case study of France and Hamburg between 1713 and 1820

Guillaume Daudin, Université Paris-Dauphine Elisa Maria Tirindelli, Trinity College Dublin

The Demand for Coffee in nineteenth-century Germany: A Quantitative Approach

Ulf Christian Ewert, University Münster Ulrich Pfister, University Münster

The globalisation in the long run: Gains from trade and openness 1800-2014

Giovanni Federico, University of Pisa David Chilosi, London School of Economics Antonio Tena-Junguito, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

SESSION V | Saturday, September 2^{nf} | Audimax

GROWTH II

Numeracy, Heights, and Inequality in Late Eighteenth-Century Mexico

Rafael Dobado González, Universidad Complutense de Madrid Andrés Calderón-Fernández, Universidad Complutense de Madrid Alfredo García-Hiernaux, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Unreal Wages? A New Empirical Foundation for the Study of Living Standards and Economic Growth in England, 1260-1860

Jacob Weisdorf, University of Southern Denmark Jane Humphries, University of Oxford

Origins of Modern Economic Growth in Germany, 16th to 19th Centuries

Ulrich Pfister, , University of Münster Jana Riedel, University of Münster Martin Uebele, University of Groningen

MOBILITY

CONSUMPTION AND GROWTH

Growth, Inequality, and Shocks. Income Inequality in Finland, 1865-1966

Petri Roikonen, University of Helsinki

Market Integration of a Diverse Country: Kingdom of Yugoslavia in the Interwar Period

Stefan Nikolic, University of Groningen

Settlement Dynamics, Agriculture and Regional Economies in Mainland Greece and Western Anatolia, 1000 BC-AD 600: Evidence from Palynological and Archaeological Data

Tymon Sloczynski, Brandeis University, Anton Bonnier, Uppsala University Grzegorz Koloch, Warsaw School of Economics

Adam Izdebski, Jagiellonian University Katerina Kouli, Kapodistrian University Athens

SESSION $V \mid$ Saturday, September 2^{nf} | Lecture Hall 5

INEQUALITY II

Long Run Trails of Global Poverty, 1925-2010

Michail Moatsos, Utrecht University

Inequality and Conflict Intensification in Mandate Palestine

Laura Panza, Melbourne University Eik Swee, Melbourne University

Rural exodus and fertility at the time of industrialization

Robert Stelter, Max Planck Institute for demographic research Thomas Baudin, Universite Catholic de Louvain

Rise and Fall in the Third Reich: Social Mobility and Nazi Membership

Alan de Bromhead, Queen's University Belfast Mathias Blum, Queen's University Belfast

Family Background, Labour Market Entry, and the Inheritance of Opportunity in 19th Century Canada

Chris Minns, London School of Economics Kris Inwood, University of Guelph Fraser Summerfield, University of Lakehead

Estimating nineteenth-century income mobility

Jørgen Modalsli, Statistics Norway - Research Department

SESSION V | Saturday, September 2nd | Lecture Hall 10

POLITICAL ECONOMY II

Government-made Bank Distress: Industrialization Policies and the 1899-1902 Russian Financial Crisis

Nikita Lychakov, Queen's University Belfast

Towards a Domestic Market: Legal state capacity and market integration in early modern Poland

Mikołaj Malinowski, Lund Universit

"After Empire comes Home": Economic Experiences of Japanese Civilian Repatriates, 1945-56

Sumiyo Nishizaki, Ritsumeikan University

DEMOGRAPHY

STOCK MARKETS I

Equity Investment in an Age of Turbulence: Spain, 1900-1950

Stefano Battilossi, Universidad Carlos III Madrid Stefan O. Houpt, Universidad Carlos III Madrid Miguel Artola Blanco, Universidad Carlos III Madrid

Playing the Rules of the Game: Counterparty Risk at the Berlin Bourse, ca. 1860-1914

Michael Buchner, Universität des Saarlandes

Competition among French Exchanges in Troubled Times

Jérémy Ducros, Paris School of Economics

SESSION V | Saturday, September 2nd | Seminar Room 236

TRADE II

Land Reclamation and Trade in the First Modern Economy

Lisbeth La Cour, Copenhagen Business School Battista Severgnini, Copenhagen Business School

Of Mice and Merchants: Trade and Growth in the Iron Age

Stephan Maurer, London School of Economics Jörn Steffen Pischke, London School of Economics Ferdinand Rauch, University of Oxford

Germany's Margins of Trade: 1897-1913 vs 1997-2013

Nikolaus Wolf, Humboldt University Berlin Wolf-Fabian Hungerland, Humbold University Berlin

The People, Not the Place. The Decline of the North of England 1918-2017: A Surname Investigation

Neil Cummins, London School of Economics Gregory Clark, University of California Davis

Social and spatial patterns of adult mortality in early 20th century Sweden: Evidence from Full-Count Micro Census Data

Björn Eriksson, Lund University Martin Dribe, Lund University

Infant Mortality and The Repeal of Federal Prohibition

David S. Jacks, Simon Fraser University Krishna Pendakur, Simon Fraser University Hitoshi Shigeoka, Simon Fraser University

SESSION VI | Saturday, September 2nd | Lecture Hall 2

HEALTH

Life Expectancy and the Diffusion of Medical Knowledge in the Long Twentieth Century

Daniel Gallardo Albarran, University of Groningen Joost Veenstra, University of Groningen

Health Responses and Social Returns to Sanitary Investments in Finnish Cities, 1880s-1960s

Sakari Saaritsa, University of Helsinki Jarmo Peltola, University of Tampere

Long-Run Consequences of Exposure to Influenza at Birth: Zurich 1889/1890

Ulrich Woitek, University of Zurich Joël Floris, University of Zurich Giacomin Favre, University of Zurich Sonja Glaab-Seuken, publicom

POLITICAL ECONOMY III

INEQUALITY III

Indonesian Regional Development under Suharto: A Comparative Perspective on Key Socio-Economic Differences and their Impact on Manufacturing SME Development, 1966-2006

Greta Seibel, London School of Economics

Why Had Illegitimate Children a Lower Life Expectancy? Central Europe before World War I

Michael Pammer, Johannes Kepler University

The Old Men in the Census: Inequality and Mobility in 18th Century Murcia

Chris Vickers, Auburn University José-Antonio Espín-Sánchez, Yale University Salvador Gil-Guirado, Universidad de Murcia

SESSION VI | Saturday, September 2nd | Lecture Hall 6

MONEY MARKETS II

Credit Risk and Default Rates in Medieval London, 1285-1363

Tony Moore, University of Reading Miriam Marra, University of Reading

Should Monetary Policy lean against the Wind? New Quasi-Experimental Evidence from the U.S. Phelan Act of 1920

Kilian Rieder, University of Oxford

How (not) to deal with a Large Banking Sector: A History of Swiss Banking Crises (1906-2015)

Tobias Straumann, University of Zurich Dirk Drechsel, University of Zurich

Activated history - The case of the Turkish sieges of Vienna

Christian Ochsner, Ifo Institute-Leibniz Institute for Economic Research Felix Roesel, Ifo Institute-Leibniz Institute for Economic Research

Empires Diverging: A Spatial Analysis of Habsburg and German Regional GDP, 1870-1910

Max-Stephan Schulze, London School of Economics Paul Caruana Galizia, Legatum Institute London

Misreporting in Financial Statements in a Centrally Planned Economy: A Case of Czechoslovak Companies in Late Socialism

Štepán Mikula, Masaryk University Lucie Coufalová, Masaryk University Libor Žídek, Masaryk University

SESSION VI | Saturday, September 2nd | Seminar Room 225

STOCK MARKETS II

The Maturation and Dislocation of the UK Stock Market: Railway Shareholders, 1870 – 1922

Áine Gallagher, Queen's University Belfast
Graeme G. Acheson, University of Stirling
John D. Turner, Queen's University Belfast

A Horse Race of Dividend Theories: Long-run Evidence, 1838-2012

Leentje Moortgat, University of Antwerp Jan Annaert, University of Antwerp Marc Deloof, University of Antwerp

Asset Prices and the Functional Distribution of Income

Julius Probst, Lund University

SESSION VI | Saturday, September 2^{nd} | Seminar Room 236 VIOLENCE

Social Capital, Property Rights and the Market for Private Protection: An Empirical Analysis of the Rise of Sicilian Mafia

Filippo Boeri, London School of Economics Roger Vicquéry, London School of Economics

Weather Shocks, Poverty and Crime in Eighteenth-Century Savoy

Cédric Chambru, University of Geneva

Long Run Determinants of European Violence, A.D. 500 - 1900.

Thomas Keywood, University of Tübingen, Jörg Baten, University of Tübingen

SESSION VII | Saturday, September 2nd | Audimx

HEIGHT AND FOOD

Inter-generational Trajectories of Occupation and Stature for Prisoners and Soldiers

Kris Inwood, University of Guelph Rebecca Kippen, Monash University Hamish Maxwell-Stewart, University Tasmania Richard Steckel, Ohio State University

Was there an urban premium in the late 19th century? Evidence from male heights in Catalonia

Ramon Ramon-Muñoz, University of Barcelona Josep-Maria Ramon-Muñoz, University of Murcia

Long-Term Environmental Change and Food Riots: A Disaggregated Historical Analysis of England

Alexander de Juan, University of Konstanz Tim Wegenast, University of Konstanz

Institutions

Peasant Farmer Parliamentarians in Sweden, c. 1770-1900

Erik Bengtsson, Lund University Mats Olsson, Lund University

Market Policy and Economic Growth: The Impact of Market Policy. Regulations on Pre-Modern City Growth in the Holy Roman Empire

Lars Boerner, Humboldt University Berlin Samad Sarferaz, ETH Zurich

Steam democracy up! Industrialization - led urban opposition in Napoleonic plebiscites

Jean Lacroix, Université libre de Bruxelles

SESSION VII | Saturday, September 2nd | Lecture Hall 5
WAGES AND GROWTH

A late Escape? Malthusian Pressures in the late 19th century Moscow

Ekaterina Khaustova, Arizona State University Vadim Kufenko, University of Hohenheim Vincent Geloso, Texas Tech University

Great Divergence or Great Resemblance?
The Real Wages of Roman Workers in a European Perspective

Mauro Rota, University of Rome Jacob Weisdorf, University of Southern Denmark

Assessing Climate Effects On British Economic Growth (1645-1740): Strengths And Weaknesses

José Luis Martínez-González, University of Barcelona Jordi Suriñach, University of Barcelona

STOCK MARKETS III

MONEY MARKETS III

Active versus Speculative Monitoring: Evidence from pre-WWI Paris-Listed Firms

Emilie Bonhoure, Université Toulouse 1 Capitole Laurent Germain, Toulouse Business School David Le Bris. Toulouse Business School

Banking regulation, central banking and monetary policy outside the Gold Standard: Spain in the 1920s and 30s

Enrique Jorge-Sotelo, London School of Economics

Banks and Industrialization. Evidence from Savings Banks in 19th Century Prussia

Fabian Wahl, University of Hohenheim Sibylle Lehmann-Hasemeyer, University of Hohenheim

SESSION VII | Saturday, September 2nd | Lecture Hall 10 RELIGION AND NATION

The Rain in Spain Stays Mainly when you Pray

Jose Antonio Espin Sanchez, Yale University Salvador Gil-Guirado, Universidad de Murcia

Industrialization and the Spread of Nationalism in Prussia

Felix Kersting, Humboldt University Berlin

The Economics of Missionary Expansion and the Compression of History

Felix Meier zu Selhausen, University of Sussex Alexander Moradi, University of Sussex Remi Jedwab, George Washington University

International Stock Market Integration during the Gold Standard

Rebecca Stuart, Central Bank of Ireland

Dividend Growth Predictability Revisited: Evidence from the Brussels Stock Exchange (1832-2008)

Gertjan Verdickt, University of Antwerp Jan Annaert, University of Antwerp Marc Deloof, University of Antwerp

News Media and Stock Market Returns over the Long Run

Clive Walker, Queen's University Belfast Alan Hanna, Queen's University Belfast John D. Turner, Queen's University Belfast

Friday, September 1st and Saturday, September 2nd

Presentation in Walking / Poster

Economic consequences of the Napoleonic Wars: Evidence from market integration in Central Europe, c. 1780–1830

Hakon Albers, Martin-Luther University Halle Ulrich Pfister, University of Münster Martin Uebele, University of Groningen

Post WWI relief credits provided to Poland by Scandinavian countries (1919-1955)

Robert Andrzejczyk, Nicolaus Copernicus University Mirosław Kłusek, University of Agriculture in Cracow

Can school centralization foster human capital accumulation? A quasi-experiment from early-20th-century Italy

Gabriele Cappelli, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona Michelangelo Vasta, University of Siena

PRESENTATION IN WALKING / POSTER

Irish exchange rates 1760-1826

Daniel Cassidy, National University of Ireland Galway Aidan Kane, National University of Ireland Galway

Big Industry in a small Southern Italian region: the Fiat factory in Molise (1970-1992)

Maddalena Chimisso, University of Molise

Did Greece genuinely introduce either the Gold Standard or the Gold Exchange Standard in 1910?

Olga Christodoulaki

Inflation Expectations in the Recovery from the Great Depression in Germany

Volker Daniel, Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg

Charting the diffusion of the "commercial revolution". A research project

Raffaele Danna, University of Cambridge

Size matters. Selectivity of recidivism in anthropometric prison data

Ewout Depauw, Ghent University

Social Mobility in the Long Run - Evidence from the City of Zurich

Giacomin Favre, University of Zurich Joël Floris, University of Zurich Ulrich Woitek, University of Zurich

Presentation in Walking / Poster

Interpersonal violence in South Asia between 900 and 1950 - causes and effects

Sarah Gust, University Tübingen Jörg Baten, University Tübingen

Circle of Fortune: The Long Term Impact of Western Tax Regime in China

Gan Jin, Albert Ludwigs University of Freiburg

The innkeepers of provincial towns in 18th century France

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