

BETA-WORKSHOP IN HISTORICAL ECONOMICS

20-21 May 2005

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Friday, 20 May

- 9.00-9.10** LLERENA Patrick (BETA): Welcome Address.
9.10-9.30 DIEBOLT Claude (BETA): Cliometrics Shows its Teeth!
Session 1 – Chair: DOS SANTOS FERREIRA Rodolphe (BETA).
9.30-10.15 DAVID Paul (Université de Stanford): Economic History and Historical Economics—Twenty Years after QWERTY.
10.15-11.00 HAU Michel (Université Marc Bloch de Strasbourg): What Economics Could Learn From History: Some Examples.
11.00-11.15 Coffee Break.
Session 2 – Chair: DAVID Paul (Université de Stanford).
11.15-12.00 BATEN Jörg & LABUSKE Kirsten (Université de Tübingen): Patenting Abroad and Human Capital Formation.
12.00-12.45 BRULAND Kristine (Université d'Oslo): Conceptualising Industrialization in Small Open Economies: The Case of Scandinavia.
12.45-14.00 Lunch.
Session 3 – Chair: HAU Michel (Université Marc Bloch de Strasbourg).
14.00-14.45 FOREMAN-PECK James (Université de Cardiff): Marriage and Economic Development.
14.45-15.30 WOLF Nikolaus (Université Libre de Berlin), REDDING Stephen (Université de Londres, LSE) & STURM Daniel (Université de Munich): Multiple Equilibria in Industrial Location: Evidence from Airports in Inter-War and Re-Unified Germany.
15.30-15.45 Coffee Break.
Session 4 – Chair: EGE Ragip (BETA).
15.45-16.30 SPOERER Mark (Université de Hohenheim): The Laspeyres Paradox: Tax Overshifting in 19th Century Prussia.
16.30-17.15 DEMEULEMEESTER Jean-Luc (Université Libre de Bruxelles) & DEBANDE Olivier (Banque Européenne d'Investissement): Quality and Variety Competition in Higher Education: What Can we Learn from an Institutional Historical Approach by an Industrial Organisation Modelling Exercise?
19.30 Dinner.

Saturday, 21 May

- Session 5 – Chair: LLERENA Patrick (BETA).
9.30-10.15 PARENT Antoine (Université Paris 8): Credibility and Regulation of Bimetallism: A VAR Approach.
10.15-11.00 OOSTERLINCK Kim (Université Libre de Bruxelles) & LANDON-LANE John (Université de Rutgers): Hope Springs Eternal... French Bondholders and the Soviet Repudiation (1915-1919).
11.00-11.15 Coffee Break.
Session 6 – Chair: DEMEULEMEESTER Jean-Luc (Université Libre de Bruxelles).
11.15-12.00 SCHULZE Max (Université de Londres, LSE): The Pros and Cons of Non-Parametric Estimation in Historical Research.
12.00-12.45 DIEBOLT Claude (BETA): Economic Cycles Revisited.
12.45-13.15 Conclusion.