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EurasiaTrajeco-GECEM Conference

Friday 5th of October at the Archivo de Indias

8:30 Participants registration

9:00 Welcome address : Manuel Ravina (Director of the Archivo de Indias), Bruno Martinez (Vice-Rector for Research and Technology Transfer Universidad Pablo de Olavide), Bartolome Yun-Casalilla (UPO) & Manuel Perez-Garcia (SJTU / GECEM)

9:20 Presentation of the research programme: François Gipouloux (CNRS / FMSH)

9:30 Keynote address

Patrick O'Brien (LSE) *"The Great Divergence, the Penalties of an Early Start and the Defects of an Imperial State. Qing China, 1683-1839"*

10:15 Session 1

Continental and Maritime Empires: Connections, Interactions, Conflicts

Chair: Leonard Blusse (Leiden University)

Paper 1: Murat Çizakça (KTO Karatay University) *"Waqf: A Universal Institution"*

Paper 2: Gagan Sood (LSE) *"Governance in the Ottoman and Mughal empires over the seventeenth century"*

Comment: Aleksandra Kobiljski (CNRS)

Discussion

12:00 Short visit at the Archivo de Indias

13:00 Lunch at the restaurant 'Las Lapas' offered by GECEM

14:00 Session 2

Law, Formal and Informal Institutions

Chair: Bartolome Yun Casalilla (UPO)

Paper 3: Ron Harris (Tel Aviv University) *"The Organization of India to Rome Trade: Loans and Agents in the Muziris*

Papyrus"

Paper 4: Giovanni Ceccarelli (University of Parma) *"From informal to formal: insurance market and governance in Renaissance Florence"*

Paper 5: François Gipouloux (CNRS / FMSH) *"Partnerships and capital pooling in late imperial China : preliminary reflections on merits and drawbacks of Chinese economic institutions"*

Comment: Leonard Blusse (Leiden University)

Discussion

15:15 Coffee Break at the restaurant 'Las Lapas' offered by GECEM

15:30 Session 2 (Continued)

Paper 6: Sui-Wai Cheung, David Faure, He Xi (Chinese University of Hong Kong) *"The Emperor's Favour and State Currency during the Ming Dynasty"*

Paper 7: Ioanna Pepelassis (Athens University of Economics and Business) *"A Comparative Analysis of Joint Stock Company Births in the Mediterranean. Evidence from Greece and Cyprus (1923-1957)"*

Paper 8: Wang Zhenzhong (Fudan University) *"Huizhou Merchants and the Production and Sales of Ningzhou Black Tea in the Late 19th Century"*

Comment: Frédéric Obringer (CNRS)

Discussion

21:00 Welcome Dinner for participants offered by CNRS at the restaurant 'El 3 de Oro'

Saturday 6th of October at the Pablo de Olavide University Sede - Centro

9:00 Session 3

Consumption Patterns and Circulation of Commodities

Chair: Frederic Obringer (CNRS)

Paper 9: Manuel Perez Garcia (Shanghai Jiao Tong University / P.I. GECEM Project) *"Quantifying Consumption: Global Circulation of Chinese Silks from Macao-Canton to*

Marseille-Seville (1730-1789)"

Paper 10: Billy So & Sufumi So (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology) *"Corporate Law and Incorporation in the Book Industry in the Late 19th and Early 20th Centuries: Macmillan and its East Asian Counterparts"*

Discussion

10:45 Coffee Break at the UPO Sede - Centro offered by GECEM

11:00 Session 3 (Continued)

Paper 11: Mihoko Oka (University of Tokyo) *"The Forgotten Event 'the Affair of Paulo dos Santos': the process for expulsion of Portuguese from Japan in 1630s"*

Paper 12: Pierre-Emmanuel Bachelet (IAO Lyon) *"Japanese Networks in Vietnam, 16th-17th Century"*

Comment: Bartolome Yun Casalilla (UPO)

Discussion

13:00 Lunch at the UPO Sede - Centro offered by GECEM

14:00 Session 4

Clans and Family Trade Networks

Chair: David Faure (CUHK)

Paper 13: Luca Mola (EUI) *"The Role of Venice as a Global Hub of the Silk Trade in the Early Modern Period (XIVth-XVIIth Centuries)"*

Paper 14: Joseph McDermott (University of Cambridge) *"The Wus of Xi'an: Huizhou lineage reforms and a Late Ming Trading Syndicate"*

Comment: Leonard Blusse (Leiden University)

Discussion

15:00 Manuel Perez Garcia and François Gipouloux: Concluding remarks and future perspectives

16:00 End of the conference and closing cocktail by the restaurant 'Las Lapas' offered by GECEM