

LOUVAIN FRESH WORKSHOP 2024 24 - 25 JUNE 2024

“INSTITUTIONS, HUMAN CAPITAL, AND LONG-TERM DEVELOPMENT: LESSONS FROM PRE-MODERN EUROPE”

Organizers | David de la Croix (UCLouvain), Sandra de Pleijt (Wageningen University), Paula Gobbi (ULB)

JUNE 24TH

8:30-9:00	Welcome coffee
9:00-10:00	Plenary lecture: Joel Mokyr (Northwestern University) Innovation in the Industrial Revolution: The Secret of British Leadership
10:00-10:30	Coffee
10:30-11:00	Matthew Curtis, Paula E. Gobbi (ULB), Marc Goñi, Joanne Haddad Inheritance Customs, the European Marriage Pattern and Female Empowerment
11:00-11:30	Tommaso D'Amelio (ULB) Illegitimacy in France at the Time of the Revolution
11:30-12:00	Eva Davoine, Joseph Enguehard (ENS Lyon), Igor Kolesnikov The Political Cost of Taxation?
12:00-12:30	Tommaso Giommoni, Marko Koethenbuerger, Gabriel Loumeau (VU Amsterdam) Tax Technology and Long-Term Development
12:30-14:00	Lunch
14:00-14:30	Andreas Link (University of Erlangen-Nuremberg) The Fall of Constantinople and the Rise of the West
14:30-15:00	E. Dewitte (University of Oxford), F. Drago, R. Galbiati, G. Zanella Science under Inquisition: The Allocation of Talent in Early Modern Europe
15:00-15:30	Matthew Curtis (University of Southern Denmark), David de la Croix Seeds of Knowledge: Premodern Scholarship, Academic Fields, and European Growth
15:30-16:00	Coffee
16:00-16:30	Sandra de Pleijt (Wageningen University), Julius Koschnick Alienated Intellectuals ? Exploring the Political Consequences of the Educational Evolution in Early Modern England
16:30-17:00	Sheilagh C. Ogilvie, Felix S.F. Schaff (European university Institute) Inheritance and Inequality in a Pre-Modern Economy
17:00-19:00	Posters and beers Björn Brey (Oxford and ULB), Jacob Weisdorf Property Rights and Technological Inertia: Evidence from the Electrification of Switzerland Vincent Delabastita (Radboud University), Sebastiaan Maes, Joris Hoste Sacred Quests, Worldly Gains: How the Crusades Spurred Europe's Commercial Revolution Filippo Manfredini (UCLouvain) Universities and Divergence in Pre-Industrial Europe Magdė Vosyliūtė (KU Leuven) Market Institutions and Illegal Trade in Early Modern Grand Duchy of Lithuania
19:30-22:00	Conference Dinner (for presenters at La Table L)

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8:30-9:00	Welcome coffee
9:00-9:30	David de la Croix, Rossana Scebba (KU Leuven/UCLouvain), Chiara Zanardello Salvation, Plants, and Cosmos: How Pre-modern Universities Spread Ideas
9:30-10:00	Matteo Cervellati (Università di Bologna), Sara Lazzaroni, Gianni Marciante (Università di Bologna), Paolo Masella Republic of Letters And Postal Network In Early Modern England And Wales
10:00-10:30	Lukas Rosenberger (LMU Munich) Access to Useful Knowledge and Economic Growth: Evidence from Enlightenment Encyclopedias
10:30-11:00	coffee
11:00-11:30	Michele Rosenberg (University of Essex), Federico Curci Factory Location: Resistance to Technology Adoption and Local Institutions
11:30-12:00	Chiara Zanardello (UCLouvain) Early Modern Academies, Universities and Growth
12:00-12:30	Sebastian Ottinger (CERGE-EI), Nico Voigtländer History's Masters. The Effect of European Monarchs on State Performance
12:30-14:00	lunch
14:00-14:30	Matias Cabello (University Halle-Wittenberg) Fragmented Europe and its creativity: 1100—1900
14:30-15:00	Marcel Caesmann (University of Zurich) Shaping Religious Identity: Evidence from the Protestant Reformation, 1517-1806
15:00-15:30	Pietro Buri (Princeton University) The Impact of Religious Persecution on Scientific Progress: The Case of the Spanish Inquisition
15:30-16:00	Raffaele Danna (European University Institute) and Martina Iori and Andrea Mina A Numerical Revolution: Mathematical innovation and the growth of pre-modern European economies
16:00-16:30	coffee
16:30-17:30	Plenary lecture: Nico Voigtländer (UCLA Anderson), Charles Angelucci, Simone Meraglia Organizing a Kingdom
19:00-22:00	Informal dinner at Altérez-vous