

PROGRAM (draft)

WU Vienna Frontier Research in Economic and Social History Meeting

'Centres, peripheries and economic integration in history'

Date: 9 December 2016

Venue: Room D4.3.106, Building D4, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Welthandelsplatz 1, 1020 Vienna, [GIS link](#).

Organizers: Markus Lampe (WU Vienna) and Paul Sharp (University of Southern Denmark, FRESH)



9.15-9.30 **Welcome**

9.30-10.30 **Keynote by Giovanni Federico (University of Pisa)**
The two globalizations: a new synthesis?

10.30-11.00 **Coffee**

11.00-13.00 **Session 1: Market integration** (chair: Angela Bol, University of Vienna)

Ulrich Pfister (University of Münster) / Martin Uebele (University of Groningen)
Economic consequences of the Napoleonic Wars: Evidence from market integration in Central Europe

Markus Eberhardt (University of Nottingham)
Market integration during the High Qing: A spatio-temporal analysis

Kevin Tang (University of Oxford)
Market integration in the Indian Ocean World in the Age of Global Imperialism

Vicente Pinilla (University of Zaragoza)
Why did Argentina become a super-exporter of agricultural and food products during the Belle Époque?

13.00-14.00 **Lunch**

14.00-15.30 **Session 2: Urban networks and industrialization** (chair: Marina Chuchko, WU)

Franz Zobl (LSE)
Technological choice and urban agglomeration. Steam vs. water power in French industrialization

Thor Berger (Lund University)
Railroads and rural industrialization: Evidence from a historical policy experiment

Nayeli Salgado (WU Vienna)
Highways, market access and urbanization in Mexico

15.30-16.00 **Coffee**

16.00-18.00 **Session 3: Centres and peripheries, Cisleithania and beyond** (chair: Piotr Koryś, IWM)

Chris Minns (LSE)
Power to the Periphery? Primary products and Canadian regional development, 1890-2006

Klemens Kaps (University of Vienna)
Integration at the margin of the Habsburg Monarchy? The province of Galicia in the context of the Imperial Economy, 1772-1914

Michael Pammer (University of Linz)
Productivity advantages and market integration: Central and Eastern European agriculture before WW I

Alexander Reinold (WU Vienna)
Market access and agricultural productivity in the Habsburg Empire at the end of the nineteenth century

19.00-? **Dinner**