



Economic History and Cliometrics Lab: Fourth Annual Conference Program

Venue: Sala Postgrados, Facultad de Ciencias Económicas y Administrativas PUC-Chile

MONDAY JULY 25, 2016

8:30 REGISTRATION

8:50 OPENING REMARKS

Francisco Gallego, PUC-Chile, Director EH Clio Lab

9:00 SESSION 1: Europe during Modern Times

- **Laura Panza** (University of Melbourne), "The Evolution of the Ottoman-European Market Linkages, 1469-1914: Evidence from Dynamic Factor Models" (with Yong Song and Zhuo Li)
- **Seth Benzell** (Boston University), "A Network of Thrones: Kinship and Conflict in Europe, 1495-1918" (with Kevin Cooke)

11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:30 KEYNOTE SPEAKER

- **Murat Iyigun** (Univ. of Colorado-Boulder), "Climate Change and Conflict: Evidence from 1400-1900 AD"

12:30 LUNCH

13:30 SESSION 2: Migration and Geography in Historical Perspective

- **Francisco Gallego** (PUC Chile and EH Clio Lab), "National Institutions and Regional Development at Borders: Evidence from the Americas" (with Cristobal Otero and Alejandro Saenz)

14:30 COFFEE BREAK

14:45 SESSION 2: Migration and Geography in Historical Perspective (cont.)

- **Claudia Rei** (Vanderbilt), "Coming to America: Health and Human Capital of Holocaust Refugees" (with Matthias Blum)
- **Zachary Ward** (ANU), "The Role of English Fluency in Migrant Assimilation: Evidence from United States History"





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9:30 SESSION 3: Politicians and Elections

- **Wilber Baires** (PUC Chile), "When Politicians Care About their People: Electoral Competition and Economic Development"
- **Claudio Ferraz** (PUC Rio and EH Clio Lab), "News vs Novelas: Can Entertainment Media Undermine Dictatorships?" (with Fred Finan, Eliana La Ferrara, Luis Meloni, and Alberto Chong)

11:30 COFFEE BREAK

12:00 KEYNOTE SPEAKER

- **James Robinson** (Univ of Chicago and EH Clio Lab), "Paths of State Building"

13:00 LUNCH

14:00 SESSION 4: Long Run Development

- **Emilio Depetris-Chauvin** (PUC Chile and EH Clio Lab), "Population Diversity, Division of Labor and Comparative Development" (with Ömer Özak)

15:00 COFFEE BREAK

15:30 SESSION 4: Long Run Development (cont.)

- **Camilo Matajira** (Univ de los Andes, Colombia), "The Long Term Impact of Encomienda in Colombia" (with Fabio Sánchez)
- **Pablo Selaya** (Univ of Copenhagen), "The Bounty of the Sea and Long-Run Development" (with Carl-Johan Dalgaard and Anne S. Knudsen)

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