

**Economic History of Coercion and State Formation**  
**A conference to honour Mark Harrison**

**Hosted by Department of Economics and CAGE**  
**Scarman Conference Centre, University of Warwick 31st March to 1st April 2014**

**Organized by Jari Eloranta (Appalachian State University) and Bishnupriya Gupta (University of Warwick)**

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2014**

08:45	<b>Registration</b>	
09:00	<b>Welcome Address</b>	

**Political Economy of Democracies and Dictatorships**

Chair: Stephen Broadberry

09:15	Mark Harrison (University of Warwick) and Inga Zaksauskiene (Vilnius University)	<i>"Counter-Intelligence in a Command Economy"</i>
10:00	Mark Dincecco (University of Michigan)	<i>"Military Conflict and the Economic Rise of Urban Europe"</i>
10:45	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11:15	Nikolaus Wolf (Humboldt University Berlin)	<i>"How Britain unified Germany: 1815 and the Formation of the German Zollverein"</i>
12:00	Jari Eloranta (Appalachian State University)	<i>"Comparative Historical Analysis: Some Insights from Political Transitions of the First Half of the Twentieth Century"</i>
12:45	<b>Lunch</b>	

Chair: Tim Hatton

14:00	Steven Nafziger (Williams College)	<i>"Decentralization, Fiscal Structure, and Local State Capacity in Late-Imperial Russia"</i>
14:45	Andrei Markevich (New Economic School Moscow)	<i>"Soviet Political Economy Reconsidered: Punishment under Stalin"</i>
15:30	Debin Ma (London School of Economics)	<i>"State Formation and Economic Development in China"</i>

16:15	<b>Tea Break</b>	
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**Keynote Address: Discussant Peter Lindert, (UC Davis)**

Chair: Andrew Oswald

16:45	James Robinson (Harvard University)	"How to Build an Inclusive State"
17:45	<b>Close</b>	
19:30	<b>Dinner</b>	Scarman Private Dining (Pre-dinner drinks at 7 pm)

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014**

**Economic History of the 19th and 20th Century Conflicts**

Chair: Tamás Vonyó

09:00	Steve Broadberry (London School of Economics) and Peter Howlett (London School of Economics)	<i>"Lessons Learned? British Mobilisation for the Two World Wars"</i>
09:45	Eric Golson (University of Warwick)	<i>"Neutrality at War"</i>
10:30	<b>Coffee break</b>	
11:00	Price Fishback (University of Arizona) and Taylor Jaworski (Arizona)	<i>"American Warfare and Welfare in the Long Run"</i>
11:45	Hugh Rockoff (University of Rutgers)	<i>"War, Money, and Inflation in the United States from the Revolution to the Vietnam War"</i>
12:30	<b>Lunch</b>	

Chair: Peter Lindert

13:45	Jochen Streb (University of Mannheim)	<i>"German Economy in the World Wars"</i>
14:30	Johann Custodis (University of Warwick)	<i>"Prisoners of War and Economic Performance"</i>
15:15	<b>Conference Close</b>	