

African Economic History Seminar

Lent Term 2023

Time: five Tuesdays, 17:15-18:45
Venue: Audit Room, King's College (4 meetings)
Or online (1 meeting)
(Please note that, for now at least, the meetings are not hybrid)
Convenors: Gareth Austin and Bronwen Everill

24 January

Mariusz Lucasiewicz (Liepzig)

'The History and Politics of Capital Markets in Post-independence Africa: Comparative Insights from Nigeria and Kenya'

7 February

Igor Martins (Cambridge)

'Raising Capital to Raise Crops: Slave Emancipation and Agricultural Output in the Cape Colony'

21 February

Prince Young Aboagye (Lund)

'Rural Capitalism and Income Inequality in Colonial Africa: Trends and Transitions'

7 March Joint meeting with History & Economics Seminar Karin Pallaver (Bologna)

'A Web of Entanglements: Following East African Cowries across Land and Oceans (18th-19th Century)'

14 March: Zoom*

Tinashe Nyamunda (Pretoria)

'Money, Imperial Sterling, and Colonial Economy-Building'

*The Zoom link for the 14 March meeting will be sent to everyone on the seminar mailing list. To subscribe, wherever you are in the world, please visit https://www.hist.cam.ac.uk/event-series/african-economic-history.

Whether online or in person, where possible, the speaker provides a paper in advance, which will be sent to those committing themselves to attending.