

Cambridge Global Economic History Seminar Easter Term 2023

Tuesdays, 17:15-18:45,

Audit Room, King's College (unless otherwise noted)
Convenors: Gareth Austin and Bronwen Everill

25 April

Damilola Adebayo (York University)

Native Authorities and Infrastructural Investments in Colonial Africa: The Electrification of Nigerian Towns, 1910-1950

2 May

Madeline Woker (Cambridge University)

The tax haven that wasn't: state, capital, and the politics of corporate taxation in the French colonial empire, 1920s-1950s.

9 May

Debin Ma (Oxford University)

Ideology and Economic Change: The Contrasting Paths to the Modern Economy in late 19th Century China and Japan

16 May

Jörg Batten (University of Tübingen)

The Greatest Divergence of World History: Elite violence and elite numeracy in the Middle East from 500 CE to 1900 CE.

6 June - Venue tbc

50 Years of An Economic History of West Africa

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