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Multiple Paths of Economic Development in Global History

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Final Programme

D A Y 1 November 8th

9:00~9:30 Registration

9:30~9:40 Opening Remarks by Shigeru Akita (Osaka University)

Session 1: Asian Perspectives
Chairperson: Om Prakash (University of Delhi, India)

(1)9:40~10:10 Multiple Paths of Economic Development in Global History
by Kaoru Sugihara (CSEAS, Kyoto University)

(2)10:10~10:40 China’s National Markets, 1550-1840
by Li Bozhong (Tsinghua University, China)

(3)10:40~11:10 Features of Economic Development in Early Modern India
by Tsukasa Mizushima (University of Tokyo, Japan)

11:10~11:30 Coffee Break

11:30~13:00 Discussion including comments by Li Tana (Australian National University and CSEAS) and Kazuko Furuta (Keio University)

13:00~14:30 Lunch
Session 2: European Perspectives
Chairperson: Gianni Toniolo (Università di Roma 'Tor Vergata', Rome, Italy)

(4) 14:30~15:00 The Road to the Industrial Revolution: Hypotheses and Conjectures about the Medieval Origins of the 'European Miracle'
by Jan Luiten van Zanden (International Institute of Social History/Utrecht University, The Netherlands)

(5) 15:00~15:30 Multiple Paths of Global Height Developments, 1810-1984
by Joerg Baten (Universität Tübingen, Germany)

(6) 15:30~16:00 Forest History and the Great Divergence: China, Japan and the West
by Osamu Saito (Hitotsubashi University, Japan)

16:00~16:20 Coffee Break

16:20~17:50 Discussion including comments by Kohei Wakimura (Osaka City University and CSEAS)

19:00~ Reception (Hakusasonso Hashimoto Kansetsu Memorial Museum and Garden)
Speech by Akira Hayami (Professor Emeritus, Keio University, and member of the Executive Committee, IEHA, 1986-1998)

DAY 2 November 9th
Session 3: Japanese, Russian and Latin American Perspectives
Chairperson: Richard Sutch (University of California, Riverside, USA)

(7) 9:00~9:30 Agrarian Land Tenancy in Prewar Japan: Contract Choice and Implications on Productivity
by Tetsuji Okazaki and Masaki Nakabayashi (University of Tokyo, Japan)

(8) 9:30~10:00 Import of Machines to the Russian Empire, Latter Half of the XIX-Early XX Century: A Global Factor of the Russian Industrialization
by Yury Petrov (Central Bank of Russian Federation, Russia)

(9) 10:00~10:30 Long run Development of Human Capital in Latin America, 17th to 20th Centuries
by Kerstin Manzel (Universität Tübingen, Germany)

10:30~10:50 Coffee Break
10 : 50～12 : 20 Discussion including comments by Catherine Schenk (University of Glasgow, UK) and Luis Bértola (Universidad de la Republica, Uruguay)

12 : 20～13 : 50 Lunch

Session 4: Conceptual Frameworks
Chairperson: Riitta Hjerppe (University of Helsinki, Finland)

(10)13 : 50～14 : 20 The Great Refashioning of Europe: Global Trade, Needle-Crafts and Gendered Material Culture, 1500-1800
by Beverly Lemire (University of Alberta, Canada)

(11)14 : 20～14 : 50 The End or Beginning of the Era of Regulatory State Capitalism? The 2008 Crisis in the context of the Historical Evolution of Regimes of Capitalist Regulation
by Christopher Lloyd (University of New England, Australia)

14 : 50～15 : 10 Coffee Break

15 : 10～16 : 10 Discussion including comments by George Souza (University of Texas, San Antonio, and CSEAS) and Grietjie Verhoef (University of Johannesburg, South Africa)

Session 5: General Discussion
16 : 10～17 : 20 Led by Shigeru Akita, Osamu Saito and Kaoru Sugihara

17 : 20～17 : 30 Concluding Remarks by Kosuke Mizuno (Director, CSEAS, Kyoto University)

Other Participants
Etsuo Abe (Meiji University)
Satoshi Baba (University of Tokyo)
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