CoE 2021 Workshop programme (All times BST)

Day One (Thursday, 2nd September)

Chair: Jean Stubbs (University of London)

1245 – Welcome

1300 Panel 1 – The processing of stimulants and spices

Chair: Jelmer Vos (University of Glasgow)

Discussant: Samuël Coghe (Free University Berlin)

- Amanda Respess (Ohio State University), 'Commodities and Cures: the processing of medicines on the premodern spice routes'
- Muey Saeteurn (University of California Merced), 'Kenyan smallholder tea project, 1960-75'
- Alexander van Wickeren (University of Cologne), 'Limits of Globalization: Processing the Havana Cigar in the Second Half of the 19th Century'
- Paul Ocobock (University of Notre Dame), 'Science of coffee and statecraft in colonial Kenya'

1430 - Break

1445 Panel 2 – The processing of mineral resources

Chair: Corey Ross (University of Birmingham)

Discussant: Simon Jackson (University of Birmingham)

- Robrecht Declerq (Ghent University) & Duncan Money (University of Leiden), 'Copper processing on the Central African Copperbelt, 1907-1975'
- Shreyashi Paul (Amity University, Kolkata), 'Saltpeter and social construct in nineteenth century India'
- Jan Zofka (Leibniz Institute for the History and Culture of Eastern Europe), 'GDR brown coal refinement in the early Cold War'
- Guillemette Crouzet (University of Warwick), 'Spatial practices on the commodity frontier the British oil regime in Persia in the early 20th century'

1615 - Break

1630 Keynote:

Erika Rappaport (University of California, Santa Barbara), 'Refining sugar, capitalism and corporate PR in the British Commonwealth, 1940s/50s'

1730 – Finish

Day Two (Friday, 3rd September)

Chair: William Clarence-Smith (SOAS)

1300 – Welcome

1315 Panel 3 – The processing of food commodities

Chair: Jonathan Robins (Michigan Technological University)

Discussant: David Pretel (Pompeu Fabra University, Barcelona)

- Gillian McGillivray (York University, Toronto), 'Brazilian sugar production and consumption'
- Mattia Steardo (University of Turin), 'The saladeros of Buenos Aires, the boom and bust of an industry in the times of commercial capitalism'
- Jessica Reuther (Ball State University), 'Female wealth, girl pawns, and the Yoruba diaspora during the era of the palm export trade in Dahomey, 1840s-1880s' (note title change)

1430 - Break

1445 Panel 4 – The processing of manufactured goods

Chair: Helen Cowie (University of York)

Discussant: Kaori O'Connor (University College London)

- Wim de Winter (KU Leuven), 'Transpacific smuggling of processed and unprocessed Asian silk and textiles'
- Katie Loney (University of Pittsburgh), 'Manufacturing Indian applied arts'

1545 – Break

1600 Round table

Chair: Jonathan Curry-Machado (University of London)

1700 - Finish