

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM
History of Economics Society Annual Meeting
May 23-26, 1982

SUNDAY, MAY 23

Registration and getting acquainted.

MONDAY, MAY 24

8:00-10:00 a.m.

Session 1 INSTITUTIONALISM AND ECONOMIC THOUGHT

Chair: Warren Samuels, Michigan State University

Papers:

"John R. Commons as a Historian of Economic Thought,"

A. W. Coats, University of Nottingham (England)

"Wesley C. Mitchell as a Historian of Economics Thought,"

Abraham Hirsch, Brooklyn College, CUNY

"Paul Homan's Appraisal of Institutionalism, 50 Years Later,"

Irwin Sobel, Florida State University

Discussants: Jacob Cohen, University of Pittsburgh

Richard Gonce, Grand Valley State College

Allan Gruchy, University of Maryland (Emeritus)

Roger Troub, Texas Technical University

Session 2 EARLY ECONOMIC THOUGHT, HELLENIC AND RENAISSANCE

Chair: Gerald A. Smith, Mankato State University

Papers:

"Free Markets for Goods and for Ideas in the Socratic Dialogues,"

William F. Campbell, Louisiana State University

"The Jurisprudential Model for Exchange in Ancient Thought,"

S. Todd Lowry, Washington and Lee University

"*Politiké oikonomia – Oeconomie politique: From the Origin to the Renaissance of Political Economy,*"

Thomas O. Nisch, Creighton University

Discussants: The Chair and Professor Nitsch.

Session 3 ECONOMIC THOUGHT AND THE CRISIS IN POLAND (PANEL)

Chair: George R. Feiwel, University of Tennessee

Paper:

"Economic Theory and Crisis in Contemporary Poland,"

Professor Feiwel

Panelists: Peter Elek, Villanova University

Stanislaw Wellisch, Columbia University

10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Session 4 THE ECONOMICS OF ALFRED MARSHALL

Chair: A. Laurence Levine, University of New Brunswick (Canada)

Papers:

"Marshall and Cunynghame,"

John Whitaker, University of Virginia

"Marshall and the Classical Tradition in Price Theory,"

Professor Levine

"Critique of the Demand Theories of Marshall and Hicks,"

Rona Wilensky, University of Denver

Discussants: To be announced

Session 5 CLASSICAL ECONOMICS

Chair: William O. Thweatt, Vanderbilt University

Papers:

"Aspects of Ricardo and Ricardianism,"

John Henderson, Michigan State University

"Classical Origins of the Phrase 'Supply and Demand,'"

Professor Thweatt

"Physiocratic Influences on Classical Economics,"

Salim Rashid, University of Illinois (Champaign-Urbana)

Discussants: Professor Thweatt

Charles Peake, University of Maryland (Baltimore)

Geoffrey Gilbert, Hobart and William Smith Colleges

Session 6 DEVELOPMENT OF MACROECONOMICS

Chair: Edward J. Nell, New School for Social Research

Papers:

"Keynes After Sraffa,"

Edward Nell, New School for Social Research

"Kalecki's Theory of the Rate of Profit,"

Marc Jarsulic, Vassar College

"Employment and Effective Demand: Resolution of a Paradox,"

Cigdem Kurdas, New School for Social Research

"Keynes After Lowe: Effective Demand and the Traverse,"

Joseph Halevi, University of Sydney (Australia)

Discussant: Willy Semmler, New School for Social Research

Session 7 DEVELOPMENT OF MONEY AND BANKING THEORY

Chair: William P. Yohe, Duke University

Papers:

"The Corporation and Free Banking,"

Richard Sylla, North Carolina State University

The Intellectual Atmosphere of the Federal Reserve Board in the 1920s,"

Professor Yohe

"Contemporary Yugoslav Monetary Thought,"

George Macesich, Florida State University

(Title to be announced), William J. Frazer, University of Florida

Discussants: To be announced

Session 8: NEW METHODOLOGICAL INSIGHTS

Chair: Siegfried Karsten, West Georgia College

Papers:

"Entropy and Economic Change,"

Professor Karsten

"Methodology of Rational Expectations,"

Arjo Klamer, Wellesley College

"Considerations for a new Methodology in Economics:

Orientation Tables and Their Significance,"

Anghel R. Rugina, Northeastern University (Emeritus)

"'Sameness' as a Barrier to a Theory of the History

of Economic Thought – Classical vs. Neoclassical Economics,"

Jeffrey T. Young, St. Lawrence University

Discussants: To be announced

TUESDAY, MAY 25

8:00-10:00 a.m.

Session 9 A CONVERSATION ABOUT ADAM SMITH

Conversants:

Donald F. Gordon, Baruch College, (CUNY)

William D. Grampp, University of Illinois (Chicago)

Jacques Wolff, University of Paris, Pantheon-Sorbonne (France)

Session 10 TEACHING AND POPULARIZATION

Chair: Nancy J. Wulwick, Memphis State University

Papers:

"University Teaching on Cameralism in the 18th Century,"

Keith Tribe, University of Keele (England)

"British Popularizations of Political Economy:

Education or Social Control?"

Bette Polkinghorne, California State University (Sacramento)

"The Influence of John Ruskin's Economics,"

Gerald A. Smith, Mankato State University

Discussant: Charles P. Blicht, Old Dominion University

Session 11 TOPICS IN GENERAL EQUILIBRIUM

Chair: Roy Rotheim, Skidmore College

Papers:

"Development of Modern General Equilibrium Theory,"

E. Roy Weintraub, Duke University

"Sraffa's Attempt to Construct a Valid Labor Theory of Value,"

Edwin Burmeister, Duke University

"Does Walras' Theoretical System Have a Normative Bias?"

Donald Walker, Indiana University (Pennsylvania)

Discussants: Professor Rotheim

Others to be announced

10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Session 12 ECONOMISTS IN GOVERNMENT

Chair: Craufurd Goodwin, Duke University

Papers:

"Economists in Government – Postwar Planning and the Valley Authority Model,"

Dean Goodwin

(Title to be announced),

A. W. Coats, University of Nottingham (England)

Discussants: To be announced

Session 13 METHODOLOGICAL ISSUES

Chair: Eugene Rotwein, Queens College, CUNY

Papers:

(Title to be announced),

Nicholas Capaldi, Queens College, CUNY

"Social Structure and Individual Choice,"

Edward Nell, New School for Social Research

"Robbins' *Nature and Significance* 50 Years Later,"

Israel Kirzner, New York University

Discussants: Professor Rotwein

Hack Fain, University of Wisconsin

Richard Gonce, Grand Valley State College

Session 14 RICARDIAN SOCIALISM AND RICARDIAN SOCIALISTS

Chair: Michael Perelman, California State University (Chico)

Papers:

"Ricardian Socialists, Utopian or Scientific?"

John King, University of Lancaster (England)

"Thomas Hodgskin, Ricardian Socialist,"

Takeji Kamata, Yokohama National University (Japan)

"Ricardian Socialism and American Populism: Any Similarities?"

Lawrence Goodwyn, Duke University

Discussants: Professor Perelman

Others to be announced

2:00-4:30 p.m.

Session 15 EARLY DAYS IN ECONOMICS

Chair: Carl G. Uhr, University of California (Riverside, Emeritus)

Papers:

"Petty's Economics Revisited,"

Professor Uhr

"Gershom Carmichael and Laissez-Faire,"

John Lenhart, Kent State University

"Property Rights and 'Public Choice' in Hume,"

Bertram Levin, University of Delaware

"Erich Bollman's Contributions to Value Theory,"

James Dorn, Towson State University

Session 16 RECENT AND CONTEMPORARY ECONOMIC THOUGHT
AND METHODOLOGY

Chair: Vincent Tarascio, University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill)

Papers:

"Rent Theory, a Historical Analysis,"

Ronald Bird, University of Alabama

"Critique of Austrian Methodology,"

Bruce Caldwell, University of North Carolina (Greensboro)

"Marx's and Veblen's Conceptions of the Abstract,"

Richard Phillips, Old Dominion University

"Methodology of John Maynard Keynes,"

William G. Guthrie, Appalachian State University

Discussant: Professor Tarascio

The evening program features a Presidential Address by Warren Samuels (Michigan State University), entitled "Friedrich Von Wieser's Influence on Joseph Schumpeter."

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26

8:00-10:00 a.m.

Session 17 Slide presentation, "COBDEN AND THE MANCHESTER LIBERALS:
A NEW INTERPRETATION," by Camille Castorina, Rollins College

Session 18 METHODOLOGY AND DATA PROBLEMS

Chair: To be announced

Papers:

"How Economists Get Data and Organize Observations:

A Nigerian Example,"

Nicholas Balabkins, Lehigh University

"Sectoral Foundations of Macroeconomics,"

Paul Christensen, University of Central Florida

"The Limiting and Organizing Principles as Themes
in Malthus' Economics,"

Scott Stradley, University of North Dakota

Discussants: To be announced

10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Session 19 PIONEERS AND ANTICIPATORS

Chair: To be announced

Papers:

"Wilhelm Launhardt, Pioneer of Regional Economics
and Marginal Cost Pricing,"

Klaus Hennings, Technical University of Hannover (Germany)

"Henry Sidgwick as Precursor of Welfare Economics,"

R. Vaitheswaran, Coe College

"William Lauterbach as Anticipator of Keynes,"

Jurgen Backhaus, Auburn University

Discussants: To be announced

Session 20 ECONOMICS IN THE GERMAN-SPEAKING WORLD

Chair: To be announced

Papers:

"Austrian Capital Theory After Böhm-Bawerk,"

Laurence Moss, Babson College, and

Karen Vaughn, George Mason University

"Economic Calculations under Socialism, the *German Debate*,"

Stefan Böhm, University of Graz (Austria)

"Hildebrand and Schumpeter on Financial Institutions
and Economic Development,"

Richard Fritz, University of Central Florida, and

Clyde Houlman, College of William and Mary

"Karl Marx and the Quantity Theory,"

Don Lavoie, George Mason University

Discussants: To be announced

Session 21 JAPANESE ECONOMICS THOUGHT

Chair: Martin Bronfenbrenner, Duke University

Papers:

"Reception and Influence of Modern Economics in Japan,"

Tadashi Hayasaka, Tokyo University

"Marxian Economic Thought in Japan,"

Takeji Kamata, Yokohama National University

"The Conflict Situation: Marxian Political Economy
and Modern Economics,"

Tamotsu Matsuura, International University of Japan

Discussant: Professor Bronfenbrenner

2:00-4:30 p.m.

Session 22 KEYNES AND MARX ON MONEY

Chair: Edward Nell, New School for Social Research

Papers:

(Title to be announced),

Suzanne de Brunhoff, Paris (France)

(Title to be announced),

Georges Dumesnil, Paris (France)

"A Marxian Critique of Keynes,"

Anwar Shaikh, New School for Social Research

"Keynes After Marx,"

Edward Nell, New School for Social Research

Discussant: Willy Semmler, New School for Social Research