



# XI RIDGE FORUM ECONOMIC HISTORY

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## MONDAY 2

9:00 - 9:30 **Opening and introduction of participants**

9:30-10:45 **Keynote: Herman de Jong: Maddison Database**

10:45-11:00 **Coffee break**

11:00-11:40 **What's in a Name? That Which We Call Capital Controls**

*Presenter:* Atish Ghosh (International Monetary Fund)

11:40:12:20 **The Economic and Monetary Union: Past Present and Future**

*Presenter:* Marek Dabrowski (Bruegel, Brussels; CASE - Center for Social and Economic Research, Warsaw; Higher School of Economics, Moscow)

12:20-14:00 **Lunch**

14:00-14:40 **Foreign Direct Investment Policy in Latin America 1980-2015. Descriptive Analysis using Crisp Sets**

*Presenter:* Gustavo Bittencourt (Departamento de Economía, FCS, UDELAR)

14:40-15:20 **Genuine savings and sustainability in a peripheral economy. Uruguay in the long run, 1870-2014**

*Presenter:* Juan Labat (Universidad Carlos III de Madrid)

15:20-15:40 **Coffee break**

15:40-16:20 **Not in my backyard: land reform and landlord empowerment in Colombia**

*Presenter:* Juan David Torres-Alarcon (Universidad de los Andes)

16:20-17:00 **Taking off from Natural Resources? Fiscal dependence in Andean and Nordic countries, 1850s-1930s**

*Presenter:* Sara Torregrosa (Lund University)

21:00 **Dinner**

## TUESDAY 3

**10:20-11:00**    **On the economic effects of indigenous institutions: Evidence from Mexico**

*Presenter:* Aldo Elizalde (University of Glasgow)

**11:00-11:40**    **Geography, slavery, and income in Brazilian municipalities in the 1870s: a spatial equilibrium approach**

*Presenter:* Guilherme Lambais (U. Brasília)

**11:40-12:20**    **Reconstructing Skill Premium and Inequality in Uruguay, 1918-2009**

*Presenter:* María Camou & Silvana Maubrigades (Udelar - Facultad de Ciencias Sociales)

**12:20-13:50**    **Lunch**

**13:50-14:30**    **Export incentives, state level expenditures and primary education in Brazil, 1967-1985**

*Presenter:* Thomas Kang (ESPM - Porto Alegre)

**14:40-15:20**    **Italian Migration to the United States: The Role of Pioneers' Locations**

*Presenter:* Matías Brum (Instituto de Economía, FCEA-UdelaR)

**15:10-15:30**    **Coffee break**

**15:30-16:10**    **Workers, Protest and the Oligarchic State. Argentina, 1880-1900**

*Presenter:* Roy Hora (Universidad Nacional de Quilmes/CONICET)

**16:10-16:50**    **Surnames, status and schools: a long-term view of the social ladder in Colombia**

*Presenter:* Andrés Álvarez

**16:50-17:20**    **Coffee break**

**17:20-19:20**    **Round Table**

**The current situation of Latin America in historical perspective**

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