

THE ORIGINS OF CAPITALISM
25–26 March 2022
Ohio University, Athens, OH
Menard Family George Washington Forum
Baker Center 240/242

FRIDAY, 25 MARCH 2022

Conference Welcome (8:45–9:00 AM)

Session I (9:00–10:15 AM)

Lorenzo Bondioli (Cambridge), *Commercial Capitalism, Imperial Taxation, and the Afro-Eurasian Commercial Revolution*

Kaveh Yazdani (UConn-Storrs), *The Biography of Capitalism(s): 10th to 18th Centuries*

Session II (10:30 AM–12:00 PM)

C. D. Alexander Evans (Baruch College) and J. Mark Ramseyer (Harvard), *Legal Transitions to Capitalism*

Tracy Dennison (Cal Tech), *The Development of Property Rights in Serf Russia: Supply and Demand on the Sheremetyev Estates*

Session III (1:45–3:00 PM)

Mark Metzler (Washington-Seattle), *The Interactive Emergence of Capitalist Trade-Cycle Dynamics in Maritime Asia, 17th and 18th Centuries*

Ralph Austen (Chicago), *Early Modern European Overseas Empire: Violence and Capitalism*

Session IV (3:15–5:00 PM)

Prasannan Parthasarathi (Boston College), *Capitalism under Colonialism: South India, 1770–1850*

Gareth Austin (Cambridge), *The Origins and Development of Capitalism in Africa*

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Session V (9:00–10:45 AM)

Philipp Roessner (Manchester) and Julian Goodare (Edinburgh), *Before Adam Smith: Scottish Economic Discourse and the Making of European Capitalism, c. 1560–1776*
Tom Cutterham (Birmingham), *In the First Ships: Capitalist Origins in British North America*
Peter Coclanis (UNC–Chapel Hill), *Origin Stories: Expressions and Presentations of Capitalism in Early British America*

Session VI (11:00 AM–12:30 PM)

Anirban Karak (NYU), *Capitalism, Caste, and Subaltern Aspirations in India: Bengal, c. 1750–1850*
John Majewski (UC–Santa Barbara), *Education and the Origins of Creative Capitalism in the Nineteenth-Century United States*

Session VII (2:15–4:00 PM)

Sven Beckert (Harvard), *The Global Origins of Capitalism*
Emma Griffin (East Anglia), *Capitalism and Industrial Revolutions in Nineteenth-Century Europe*

Conference Conclusion (4:15–5:15 PM)