



-CALL FOR PAPERS-

The European Association for Banking and Financial History (EABH) e.V.

and

Queen's University Centre for Economic History (QUCEH)

invite the submission of research papers from advanced PhD students and recent postdoctoral researchers in financial history for a **New Scholars Workshop** in Belfast on **16 April 2014**.

This one-day intensive workshop is specifically intended for **new scholars in financial history**, broadly defined, who wish to practice and improve their research through presentation and discussion with more experienced scholars. Participants who have a full research paper and are intending in the near future to go on the academic job market, or submit their work to a top field journal in business, economic or financial history, are particularly encouraged to apply. **Research in any theme and methodology in banking and financial history is welcome**. Comparative approaches are encouraged and co-authored papers are accepted.

The workshop's keynote speaker and discussant will be Professor Joost Jonker, NEHA professor of business history at the *Universiteit van Amsterdam*. Joost's research embraces business and financial history from the 16th century to the present. He has published in the *Journal of Economic History* and *Financial History Review*, as well as in monographs and edited volumes. His recent work, conducted jointly with Dr Oscar Gelderblom of *Universiteit Utrecht*, explores the evolution of financial markets in pre-industrial Europe.

Participants will also benefit from the close discussion of their work by faculty at *QUCEH*, a research centre based at *Queen's University Management School* and located in a listed redbrick mansion in eleven acres of parkland in leafy south Belfast. Discussants from *QUCEH* will include: Dr Gareth Campbell, Dr Chris Colvin, Dr Christopher Coyle and Professor John Turner. All have publications in business, economic and financial history journals on subjects ranging from free banking to cooperative banking, and from financial bubbles to financial stability.

EABH supports research into all aspects of banking, insurance and financial history, from the earliest innovations in the Middle Ages, to developments since the Industrial Revolution and in the present. Its journal, the Financial History Review, is published by Cambridge University Press and edited by Professor Stefano Battilossi, Jean Monnet Chair at Universidad Carlos III de Madrid.

The *EABH* will cover best price economy flights and a two-night stay in Belfast. Outstanding scholars will be asked to present their paper at the *EABH* Annual Conference in Zurich on 13 June 2014.

Deadline: Prospective participants should send their full paper to <u>info@eabh.info</u> by **17 January 2014**, including a full CV, which clearly states the (expected) date of PhD completion. Notice of acceptance will be given by 31 January 2014.

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