

**FROM UNDERGROUND TO END-USERS:
GLOBAL MONETARY HISTORY
IN SCIENTIFIC CONTEXT**

Academic Program
Preliminary Version, 20 March 2016

Monday, 16 May 2016

University Center, 555 5th Street, San Francisco, CA.

12:30 Meeting at Cornell Hotel Lobby

1:00-1:30 Welcome:

Bill HERRIN, Director, School of International Studies, University of the Pacific

1:30-3:30:

*Georges DEPEYROT, CNRS- École Normale Supérieure, “The DAMIN program”

*David J. ST. CLAIR, “New Almaden and California Quicksilver in the 19th-Century World Economy”

3:30-4:00: Break

4:00-5:00:

*Gray BRECHIN, Geography, U.C. Berkeley, “Forcing Technology: The Global Impact of Comstock Lode Dynastic Fortunes”

6:00 Group dinner at location TBA (to be announced)

Cornell hotel

Tuesday, 17 May 2016:
University Center, 155 5th Street, San Francisco, CA.

Bring your luggage to the conference

9:00-10:45:

*Peter HILSEN RATH and Thomas POGUE, University of the Pacific,
“South Africa’s Natural Resource-Based Economy: Technology, Capabilities,
and Path Dependency”

*Sabine EFFOSSE, University of West Paris, “From black credit to
institutional credit : a history of consumer credit in 20th Europe”

10:45-11:00 BREAK

11:00-11:50:

*Ivar LEIMUS, Tallin, “A land without silver and gold. What can they
make money from?”

12:00-1:20: Lunch at location TBA

1:30-3:30:

*Dennis O. FLYNN, University of the Pacific & Pacific World History
Institute, “Pricing Individual Monies: From Commodity Monies to Credit-
Money Derivatives”

*Claudia de LOZANNE JEFFRIES, City University London, “Mining,
market volatility and exchange rate management in early modern Mexico:
Zacatecas and Guadalajara 1578-1669”

3:45: Walk (with luggage) to bus that connects with AMTRAK train to Stockton
(sandwiches on board train to Stockton)

6:00 Sandwiches and wine on the train to Stockton

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Wednesday, 18 May 2016:
George Wilson Hall, School of International Studies,
University of the Pacific, Stockton, California

9:00-10:50:

*Jin CAO, Tübingen and Peking University. “Routine Memorials and Realities of Mining and Minting in Qing China's Wild South-West”

*Simon James BYTHEWAY, Nihon University, “Australian Gold: Where it Went, 1903-1945”

10:50-11:05 Break

11:05-11:55:

*Ursula KAMPMANN, “The Philharmonic: bullion coin of the Austrian Mint”

12:00-1:00 Lunch on campus

1:10-2:50:

*Michael MÄRCHER, National Museum of Denmark, “A chemical revolution – the development in assaying at Danish mints c. 1830-50”

*Saul GUERRERO, Independent Scholar and McGill University, “Geology and the cost of refining silver ores in the Americas, 16c to 19c”

3:00: A Conversation with Patrick Manning, President of the American Historical Association

*Patrick MANNING, Director of CHIA (Collaborative for Historical Information and Analysis), University of Pittsburgh, “Implementation: Big Data and Global History”

4:30 Visit of historical buildings in Stockton

5:45 Informal dinner at the roof veranda at Historic Hotel Stockton

Wednesday Evening, 18 May 2016:
University Plaza Waterfront Hotel

7:00-8:30 PM: The Comstock Lode (from 1859) and Economy of California in Global Perspective”

*7:00-7:10: Welcome by Bill HERRIN, Director, School of International Studies, University of the Pacific, and Dan CORT, Cort Companies

*7:15-7:40: Geordie LYNCH, Documentary Video – “City of White Gold: San Francisco in the Gilded Age”

*7:45-8:30: Patrick MANNING, University of Pittsburgh and President of the American Historical Association, “19th-Century Silver and the Collaborative for Historical Information and Analysis”

8:45 No-host bar at Waterfront hotel

University Plaza Waterfront Hotel

Thursday, 19 May 2016

9:00-1:00 Bus from Stockton to South Lake Tahoe (Hwy 50)

1:00 Lunch at Lake Tahoe location TBA

3:00 Arrive at Nevada Historical Museum, Carson City

5:15 Bus from Carson City to Virginia City

6:00 Arrival at Virginia City; (Dinner on your own)

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Friday, 20 May 2016

9:00-12:00 Visit mine & other sites at Virginia City

12:00 Lunch

1:30-5:00 Visit mine & other sites at Virginia City

6:00 Diner

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Saturday, 21 May 2016

9:00 Departure from Virginia City, through Reno to Old Town Sacramento, California; View escarpment from 19th c California Gold Rush off Interstate 80

1:30 Lunch on your own in Old Town Sacramento. Recommended: Railway Museum in Old Town Sacramento

3:30 Bus to San Francisco

5:30 Arrival at San Francisco

Farewell dinner at Cornell hotel

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