

ASREC CONFERENCE

October 21-22, 2022, London Global Gateway, University Of Notre Dame

Friday, October 21

9:30-10:30 Registration, Coffee - Lobby, Senior Common Room

10:30-12:00 Session 1

Institutions and the Long Run 1 - *Trafalgar Hall*

Aldo Elizalde	Queen's University Belfast	Local knowledge, pre-colonial trade routes, and contemporary economic activity: Evidence from Australia.
Daniel Araujo	University of British Columbia	Economic Production and the Spread of Supernatural Beliefs
Chicheng Ma	University of Hong Kong	Classical Worship and Modern Growth: The Shadows of the Sages
Petros Milionis	University of Groningen	Geography, Agricultural Suitability and Diversity in Cultural Values

Medieval History, Religion, and Economics - *Room 1.04*

Flavio Malnati	Cerge-ei	Benedic, Domine, nos et haec tua dona: Northern Crusades, State-Formation and Early Economic Development
Domenico Rossignoli	DISEIS - Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milano	The Cross and the Sword. Religious Identity, Land Ownership, and Conflict: Evidence from Eight Centuries of English History
Benedikt Koehler	Institute of Economic Affairs	Thomas Aquinas on the conduct of sales

Culture and Gender - *Room 1.06*

Luca Nunziata	University of Padua	The Alabaster Ceiling: the Gender Legacy of the Papal States
Shaheen Naseer	Oxford University	Transmitting Rights
Anastasia Litina	University of Macedonia	The Socioeconomic Implications of the Greek-Turkish Population Exchange for Native Greek Women

12:00-1:00 Lunch

1:00-2:45 Session 2

Culture, Science and Innovation - *Trafalgar Hall*

Matias Cabello	Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg	The Counter-Reformation, Science, and Long-Term Growth
Francesco Cinnirella	University of Bergamo	Books Go Public: The Consequences of Monastic Libraries' Expropriation on Innovation
Francesco Drago	University of Catania	Science Under Inquisition in Early Modern Europe: Occupational and Location Choices of Geniuses
Mitch Warachka	Chapman University	Value Creation and Culture

Assimilation - Room 1.04

Olle Hammar	Research Institute of Industrial Economics (IFN)	The Cultural Assimilation of Individualism and Preferences for Redistribution
Joshua Hill	University of East Anglia	Hypothetical Social Norms
Marcela Mello	Brown University	Religious Media, Conversion and its Socio-Economic Consequences: The Rise of Pentecostals in Brazil
Gianluca Russo	Pompeu Fabra	Media and Assimilation: Evidence from the Golden Age of Radio

Competition & Religious Events - Room 1.06

Hossein Radmard	University of Aberdeen	Megachurches in the UK
Vladimir Maltsev	King's College London	Understanding the Nivkh People's Bear Festival
Chris Mills	Princeton University	Gatherings, Giving, and Labor Supply: Evidence from Student Missions Conferences
Raphael Corbi	University of Sao Paulo, Brazil	What Drives Religiosity in America? Evidence from an Empirical Hotelling Model of Church Competition
Nikolaos Mylonidis	Department of Economics, University of Ioannina, Greece	The Role of Religion and Culture in Mitigating Information Asymmetries in Portfolio Choice Decisions

2:45-3:00 Coffee Break - *Senior Common Room*

3:00-4:45 Session 3

Institutions and the Long Run 2 - Trafalgar Hall

Alireza Naghavi	University of Bologna	Traditional Irrigation Systems and the Evolution of Cooperative Culture: The Persian Qanats
Matteo Sestito	Aix-Marseille School of Economics	Crop Cycles and Hierarchy: the Agro-ecological Origins of the State
Andreas Link	University of Erlangen-Nuremberg	Beasts of Burden, Trade, and Hierarchy: The Long Shadow of Domestication
Gedeon Lim	University of Hong Kong	Why Pay The Chief? Land Rents and Long-Run Economic Development in Indonesia

Religion, Culture & Civic Action 1 - Room 1.04

Kirsten Cornelson	University of Notre Dame	Politics at the Dinner Table: Thanksgiving, Exposure to Conflicting Opinions, and Political Polarization
Per Fredriksson	University of Louisville	Culture, Collective Action, and Protests: Evidence from China
Daniela Sola	CEMFI	Brother votes for brother: The effects of Pentecostal political influence in Brazil
Benjamin Arold	LMU Munich and ifo Institute	Religious Narratives in Political Language

New Data & Frameworks - Room 1.06

Wei-qian Xia	Stockholm University	Impact of Religious Deregulation & Sociodemographic Heterogeneity: Studying Religion Affiliation in the Highly Secular Finland through National Register Data
Alexander Yarkin	Brown University	Does the 'Melting Pot' still melt? ICTs and the Integration of Immigrants
Annemiek Schilpzand	Radboud University	Is the Epidemiological Approach to Testing Culture Effects Using Migrant Samples Valid? Challenges and solutions
Jörg Stolz	University of Lausanne	A Counterexample to Secularization Theory? State Weakness as an Explanation for the Georgian Religious Revival

5:00-6:00 **Keynote: Imran Rasul, UCL - Trafalgar Hall**

6:00-7:00 **Reception - Senior Common Room**

Saturday, October 22

9:30-10:00 **Coffee - Senior Common Room**

10:00--11:45 **Session 4**

Transmission of Culture - *Trafalgar Hall*

Antoine Jacquet	Toulouse School of Economics	Culture, Human Capital, and Marital Homogamy in France
Matthias Doepke	LSE	Preparing Kids for Capitalism: The Effect of German Reunification on the Intergenerational Transmission of Preferences
Michael Sacks	Clarkson University	Radicalization
Avner Seror	Aix Marseille School of Economics	Social Roles

Religion, Culture & Civic Action 2 - *Room 1.04*

Miguel Alquezar Yus	European University Institute	The Reversal of the Mission: How do Religious Leaders Influence Sociopolitical Attitudes?
Timotej Cejka	University of Chicago Booth School of Business	Long-Run Impacts of In-Utero Ramadan Exposure: Evidence from Administrative Tax Records
Juan Pedro Ronconi	Brown	Nation-building, Nationalism, and Military Service: Lessons from Argentina
Eric Melander	University of Birmingham	Brexit and the Blitz: Conflict, Collective Memory and Euroskepticism

Religion, Culture, & Bad Things - *Room 1.06*

Lotem Halevy	University of Pennsylvania	Emancipation and the rise of political anti-semitism in Central Europe
Gianni Marciante	University of Warwick	When Nation Building Goes South: Draft Evasion, Government Repression, and the Origins of the Sicilian Mafia
Matthew Milligan	Trinity University	Monks Gone Wild? Access Money and Financial “Corruption” in Early Buddhism
Mario Carillo	Pompeu Fabra	Fascist Ideology and Migrant Exploitation

11:45-1:00 **Lunch**

1:00-2:45

Session 5

Religion, Culture & Education - *Trafalgar Hall*

Alan Fernihough Queen's University Belfast
Etienne Le Rossignol London Business School

**Mind Your Language: The Decline of Irish in the 19th Century
Following Requirements and Structure of Property Rights.**

Pablo Fernández University of Barcelona
Cebrián
Wayne Sandholtz Nova School of Business and
Economics

**Unpacking the African Mission: the Evolution of Educational
Gender Gaps in Colonial Mozambique
Learning in Catholic schools: Evidence from Lesotho, Tanzania,
and Uganda**

Religion and Shocks - *Room 1.04*

Max Winkler Harvard University

**Aftershocks: How Wars, Epidemics, and Other Natural Disasters
Tighten Social Norms**

Amma Panin University of Louvain

Using religious participation to insure mental health in Ghana

Lars Harhoff University of Copenhagen

In the name of god - Religiosity and the Emergence of Modern

Andersen

Science and growth

Ning Zhang University of Oxford

**Lending a Faithful Hand: Partner Resettlement Organizations and
Refugee Outcomes**

Religion, Culture & Civic Action 3 - *Room 1.06*

John Anderson University of Nebraska-
Lincoln, USA

Render unto Caesar: Religiosity and Tax Morale

Maria Kravtsova Leuphana University,
Lueneburg

**Historical Family Structure as a Predictor for Liberal Voting:
Evidence from a Century of Russian History**

Petros Milionis University of Groningen

Shared Values and Civic Behavior

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