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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: 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
Enrique Cárdenas, José Antonio Ocampo, Luis Bértola