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Sixth EH-Clio Lab Conference

Call for Papers

We invite all interested researchers to submit their papers for the Sixth EH-Clio Lab Conference which will be held on August 2nd and 3rd, 2018 in the Instituto de Economía of the Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (campus San Joaquín) located in Santiago de Chile. The objective of this conference is to bring together for two days a selected number of papers in economic history, institutional economics and other topics related to the use of economic modeling and econometric techniques to better understand the process of development. Researchers from Chile and abroad who work on related topics attend the conference and participate in the discussions. This conference builds on the success of the previous EH-Clio Lab Conferences since 2013 (you can see the program for the 2017 workshop [here](#)).

The conference is organized by the Economic History and Cliometrics Lab (EH Clio Lab), a research center that uses economic tools and quantitative methods for the study of the economic history with the objective of achieving a better understanding of past events. This allows us to improve our understanding of the process of economic development, and to refine our perceptions of the specific mechanisms present in each historical process.

To achieve this, the EH Clio Lab gathers and builds statistical series that reflect Chilean development since XIX century, and contributes with research in specific aspects of economic development in Chile, Latin America, and the rest of the world.

The conference will consist of single-track sessions, with individual discussants for each paper and ample time from the public for discussion and reactions to the paper. One session will be offered by our invited speaker:

James Fenske, University of Warwick

Papers must be submitted before June 4th 2018 by email in pdf format to ehcliolabconference@gmail.com. The organizers will contact the selected authors by June 12th 2018. The organizing committee members are: Emilio Depetris-Chauvin, José Díaz, Francisco Gallego, and Jeanne Lafortune, (all from the EH-Clio Lab in PUC-Chile).

We may be able to offer partial funding for economy travel to Santiago for accepted papers, depending on funding opportunities. Please indicate whether you will require funding when submitting your paper.

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