Essex FRESH Program

Wivenhoe House, University of Essex

October 18th, 2013

9:00-9:30: Morning Refreshments

9:30-10:30: Keynote Talk: Tim Hatton, University of Essex

“Immigrant Assimilation in the New World: The State of Play”

10:30-11:00: Coffee Break

11:00-13:00: Chris Minns, London School of Economics

 “Poverty and Progress Among Canadian Immigrants, 1911-1931”

 Eric Schneider, University of Sussex

“Real Wages and the Household: Quantifying the Economy of Makeshifts of the Poor in Eighteenth-Century England”

Bastian Monkediek, Radboud University Nijmegen

“Flight from the land? Migration flows of the rural population of the Netherlands, 1850-1940”

 Costanza Biavaschi, IZA

“The Americanization of Migrants’ Names and its Economic Payoff”

13:00-14:00: Lunch

14:00-15:30: Nadia Campaniello, University of Essex

“The Causal Effect of Trade on Migration: Evidence from Countries of the Euro-Mediterranean Partnership”

Steven Schuster, Boston University

“Delivering the Vote: The Political Effect of Free Mail Delivery in Early Twentieth Century America”

 Elizabeth Perlman, Boston University

 “Geography of Innovation: Patents in Early America”

15:30-16:00: Coffee Break

16:00-17:00: Francisco Tapia, Nuffield College, Oxford (with S. de Miguel Salanova): “Human Capital and Internal Migration in Spain, 1880-1930”

 Paul Atkinson, University of Huddersfield

17:00-18:00: Drinks

18:00: Dinner