

The Dawes Plan and the Rescue of the Global Economy. International Conference

26th-28th September 2024

Venue: German Historical Institute London

Thursday, 26th September

- 16:00 – 16:30 Welcome Address
- 16:30 – 18:30 Albrecht Ritschl (London School of Economics): Keynote: The Rise and Fall of the Dawes Plan, 1922-1932
- Roman Köster (Historical Commission at the Bavarian Academy of Sciences and Humanities): The stabilisation of European currencies during the 1920s: An unfinished story.
- 19:00 *Reception at the GHI*

Friday, 27th September

1.) The Role of England:

- 9:30 – 11:15 Patricia Clavin (University of Oxford): Britain, Europe and the Changing Global Order
- Brian D. Varian: (University of Newcastle): German competition and the fashioning of British protectionism in the 1920s
- 11:15 – 11:30 *Coffee Break*
- 11:30 – 12:30 Neil Forbes (Coventry University): The Dawes Plan, London's merchant banks and European stabilisation
- 12:30 – 13:30 *Lunch*

2.) Monetary Stabilisation in Comparison

- 13.30 – 15.15 Benjamin Vogt (University of Oxford): Crafting loans and selling bonds: syndicates, central bankers and the evolution of the credit toolkit for European reconstruction from Austria to Dawes.
- Marianna Astore (University of Oxford): The International Dimensions of Quota Novanta: Constraints and Opportunities of Italian Monetary Stabilization

15:15 – 15:30	<i>Coffee Break</i>
15:30 – 16:30	Kenneth Mouré (University of Alberta): Poincaré-le-franc: Monetary Stabilization in France
16.30 – 16:45	<i>Coffee Break</i>
16:45 – 17.45	Presentation of the editorial project "Germany's global economic relations during the 19 th and 20 th century": Volume on the 1920s.
19:00 – 21.00	<i>Conference Dinner Restaurant</i>

Saturday, 28th September

3.) Re-creating the European Market? Trade liberalization during the 1920s

09:00-10:45	Madeleine Dungy (Trondheim University): Competing visions of trade and security after the Dawes settlement Jamieson Gordon Myles (University of Oxford): Anglo-American Trade Finance and the Monetary and Economic Reconstruction of Europe
10:45 – 11:00	<i>Coffee Break</i>

4.) Actors in European Stabilisation: Companies and Associations

11:00 – 12:45	Liane Hewitt (Center for History and Economics, Science-Po Paris): Cartel Diplomacy: The Golden Age of International Cartelization & Europe's Interwar Stabilization Marco Bertilorenzi (University of Padua), Cartels diplomacy: the role of the International Chamber of Commerce and League of Nation in the normalisation of French-German trade
12:45 – 13:00	Concluding Remarks
13:00	<i>Lunch, End of the Conference</i>