



# GloCoBank Early Career/Doctoral Workshop on Cross-Border Payments in Historical Perspective

26<sup>th</sup> March 2025

The Pavilion, St Hilda's College | University of Oxford

## WORKSHOP PROGRAMME

### Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March

**From 12:00** Arrival and Registration

**12:45 – 13:00** Welcoming Address: **Catherine R. Schenk**, University of Oxford/GloCoBank project

**13:00 – 14:20** Session I

Chair/Discussant: **Catherine R. Schenk**, University of Oxford/GloCoBank

- **Boyu Fang**, Carlos III University of Madrid  
*A Study of Factors Affecting Migrants' Remittances Intention: Based on the Teochew Letters Database, 1915-2000*
- **Brian Tsz Ho Wong**, University of Edinburgh  
*The Money Wormhole: Hong Kong and the Failure of Japan's Currency Controls During the Pacific War*

**14:20 – 14:40** Tea/Coffee Break

**14:40 – 16:00** Session II

Chair/Discussant: **Marco Molteni**, University of Turin/GloCoBank Associated Researcher

- **Federico Castelli**, University of Toulouse/University of Milan  
*The Reorganisation of Banca Commerciale Italiana's US Network (1935–1941)*
- **Olatunde Taiwo**, Olabisi Onabanjo University/University of Ghana  
*British-Nigeria Banks, Merchants, Multilateral Payment Input and the Legislative/Executive Councils, 1912-1960*

**16:00 – 16:20** Tea/Coffee Break

**16:20 – 17:40** Session III

Chair/Discussant: **Sabine Schneider**, University of Oxford/GloCoBank

- **Cristina Di Luigi & Antonio Perrella**, Banca d'Italia, Rome  
*The Architecture of Global Payments: From National Segmentation to Global Integration and Back to Geoeconomic Fragmentation (1971 to Today)*
- **Marcus Dietrich**, Heidelberg Center for American Studies  
*"Red" Finance? Socialist Banking and International Financial Markets: Insights from East Germany, 1950s-1960s.*

**17:40 – 18:00** Closing Remarks & Discussion: **Catherine R. Schenk**, University of Oxford/GloCoBank project

**19:00** Workshop Dinner (workshop speakers by invitation)



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