

The Local Population Studies Society Spring Conference
Campus West, The Campus, Welwyn Garden City, Hertfordshire AL8 6BX
Saturday 21st April 2012

Regional Development in Industrialising Britain,
c.1670-1860

Sponsored by The Economic History Society, The Centre for Regional and Local History, University of Hertfordshire, and LPSS.

9.30-10.05 Registration , coffee and welcome.

10.05-11.05 *Lecture*
'The social geography of philanthropy in England and Wales or the cultural roots of industrialisation?' – Nigel Goose (University of Hertfordshire).

11.05-12.30 *Panel One: Regional Industrialisation*
'Spinning the web: networks of production in the Lancashire textile industries during the 18th century' – Jon Stobart (University of Northampton).
'A micro-historical perspective on the Cornish metal mining region of the mid 19th century' – Bernard Deacon (University of Exeter).
'More than broken stones: road improvements in industrialising regions' – Geoff Timmins (University of Central Lancashire).

12.30-1.00 AGM of the Local Population Studies Society
12.45-2.00 Lunch

2.00-3.15 *Panel Two: Migration*
'Locality, region or nation? Exploring the links between migration and place in industrialising Britain c. 1750-1860' – Colin Pooley (University of Lancaster)
'The business of migration: selling emigration to Scottish labourers, 1800-1850' – Melodee Beals (University of Warwick).

3.15-4.30 *Panel Three: Society*
'Children, work and the region: rethinking child labour during the industrial revolution' – Emma Griffin (University of East Anglia).
'The economics of overseeing and regional development: thoughts and speculations' – Steve King (University of Leicester).

4.30 Tea and conference closes

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The conference fee is £25 for LPSS members, £30 for non members, inclusive of all refreshments. Please reserve places. I enclose a cheque for..... (payable to 'Local Population Studies Society').

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