

Does Culture Matter?

Embeddedness, divergence and long term economic development

The London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) and Hitotsubashi University have developed a partnership in academic exchange and research collaboration. To further strengthen the relationship, the two universities launched “LSE-Hitotsubashi Lecture Series” in 2012. The event offers a unique opportunity for participants to learn about cutting edge research in social science. This year’s lecture is delivered by Professor Janet Hunter, a leading scholar in Japanese economic history.

Speaker:

Janet Hunter

**Saji Professor of Economic History
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D.Phil.(Oxon.). Her major research area is the economic development of Japan with particular reference to the late 19th and early 20th centuries. She was awarded the Order of the Rising Sun, Gold Rays with Neck Ribbon (= Kyokujitsu chujusho) by the Japanese Government in recognition of her significant contribution to deepening and developing Japanese Studies and promoting mutual understanding between Japan and the United Kingdom in April 2014.



Date : Tuesday 16 September 18:00 – 19:30

Venue: Hitotsubashi Hall 1F (Takebashi station, Tokyo metro)

Access map: http://www.hit-u.ac.jp/hall/file/menu-016/file_02.pdf

The lecture will be held in English and will be open to students, alumni, researchers and staff at Hitotsubashi and LSE.

If you would like to participate, please register at: <https://hrs.ad.hit-u.ac.jp/entries/add/916>

The registration deadline is 10th September. First 80 applications will be accepted.

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