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# MONEY, POWER AND PROFIT

## A CONFERENCE ON THE ECONOMY OF MEDIEVAL PORTUGAL AND EUROPE

PORTUGAL, LISBON & PORTO | 26-29 APRIL, 2016

The IEM and the CITCEM are organising a conference on the economy of medieval Portugal and Europe in order to discuss recent research on this broad topic, but also to celebrate the influential work of Professor Peter Spufford in the new generation of economic historians in Portugal and elsewhere.

This conference will present current research by more than a dozen scholars working on a range of themes connected with the medieval economy of Portugal and Europe, including keynote lectures by Peter Spufford (Queens' College, Cambridge) and Hilario Casado Alonso (Valladolid).

### ORGANISATION

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### REGISTRATION

If you wish to attend this conference, please register online at: [tinyurl.com/mpp2016](http://tinyurl.com/mpp2016)  
Registration closes on 23 April 2016.

### REGISTRATION FEE (includes certificate, coffee breaks, booklet, visits)

Students – Lisbon only: 5€  
Students – Porto only: 5€  
Students – Lisbon and Porto: 8€  
General public: 20€

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

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### Day 1, Tuesday | Lisbon, 26 April | FCSH/NOVA, Torre B, Auditório 1 (1st floor)

- 9:00 WELCOME  
Amélia Aguiar Andrade (IEM director)
- 9:30 PLENARY LECTURE (in Spanish) | Chair: Amélia Aguiar Andrade  
COMERCIO Y MERCADERES DE LA PENÍNSULA IBÉRICA A FINES DE LA EDAD MEDIA:  
TIEMPO DE CAMBIOS Y DE OPORTUNIDADES  
Hilario Casado Alonso (U. Valladolid)
- 10:00 COFFEE BREAK
- 11:00 **SESSION 1** | Chair: Maria João Branco  
ECONOMY AND METROLOGY IN MEDIEVAL PORTUGAL  
Mário Viana (IEM, U. Azores)
- 11:30 CENTRE AND PERIPHERY. FOREIGN MERCHANTS IN FIFTEENTH-CENTURY LISBON  
Joana Sequeira (CHAM, FCSH, CITCEM, U. Porto) and Flávio Miranda (IEM, FCSH, CITCEM, U. Porto)
- 12:00 DISCUSSION
- 12:30 LUNCH
- 14:45 **SESSION 2** | Chair: Tiago Viúla de Faria  
POWER AND PARCHMENT: THE NOTARIES PUBLIC OF PORTO IN THE MIDDLE AGES  
Ricardo Seabra (CITCEM, U. Porto)
- 15:25 ANGLO-IBERIAN TREATIES: THE THRUST OF DIPLOMACY TO TRADE  
Ana Aviñó de Pablo (U. East Anglia)
- 15:55 DIVING FOR MONEY: NOTES ON THE MEDIEVAL ROOTS OF TONNAGE TAX OF PORTUGUESE SHIPS  
Rodrigo Dominguez (CICS, U. Minho, CITCEM, U. Porto)
- 16:25 COFFEE BREAK
- 17:00 PLENARY LECTURE | Chair: Flávio Miranda  
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Peter Spufford (Queens' College, Cambridge)
- 18:00 DISCUSSION

### Day 2, Wednesday | Lisbon, 27 April (Arquivo Nacional Torre do Tombo)

- 10:00 VISIT TO THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES (ARQUIVO NACIONAL TORRE DO TOMBO).  
GLIMPSE OVER PORTUGUESE SOURCES FOR THE STUDY OF MEDIEVAL ECONOMIC HISTORY
- FREE LUNCH TIME AND TRIP TO PORTO  
(Please note that the organisers are not responsible for transportation between Lisbon and Porto. Flights, bus or train tickets must be booked and bought by the participants)

- 9:00 WELCOME  
Cristina Cunha (CITCEM, U. Porto)
- 9:30 **SESSION 3** | Chair: Cristina Cunha  
IS THE ECONOMY AN ISSUE? KINGS AND ECONOMIC LEGISLATION IN MEDIEVAL PORTUGAL (13th-14th CENTURIES)  
Hermínia Vasconcelos Vilar (CIDEHUS, U. Évora)
- 10:15 FROM SUQ TO AÇOUGUE: MARKET AND PUBLIC POLICIES FROM AL-ANDALUS TO CHRISTIAN KINGDOMS  
Hermenegildo Fernandes (CH, U. Lisbon)
- 11:00 COFFEE BREAK
- 11:15 **SESSION 4** | Chair: Paula Pinto Costa  
THE ECONOMY OF MEDIEVAL PORTO. SHIPPING AND TRADE  
Amândio Barros (CITCEM, ESE, U. Porto)
- 12:00 FUNDUQS, FEITORIAS, FACTORIES. THE INSTITUTIONAL FOUNDATIONS OF OVERSEAS TRADE OR THE GLOBALISATION OF A CONCEPT  
Louis Sicking (U. Leiden, U. Amsterdam)
- 12:45 LUNCH
- 14:30 **SESSION 5** | Chair: Luís Carlos Amaral  
*ÆCONOMIA STUDII*: BRIEF PRESENTATION OF A FINANCED RESEARCH PROJECT ON THE FUNDING, MANAGEMENT AND RESOURCES OF THE PORTUGUESE MEDIEVAL UNIVERSITY [PTDC/EPH-HIS/3154/2014]  
Armando Norte (CH, U. Lisbon) and André de Oliveira Leitão (PIUHDHist; CH, U. Lisbon; CEHR-UCP)
- 15:00 COLONIAL POWER AND ECONOMIC PROSPERITY IN THE MEDIEVAL NORTH  
Ian Peter Grohse (Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität zu Münster)
- 15:30 COFFEE BREAK
- 16:00 **SESSION 6** | Chair: Maria João Silva  
LABOUR, INDUSTRY, ECONOMY AND POWER: THE CRAFTS IN MEDIEVAL PORTO (14th TO EARLY 16th CENTURIES)  
Arnaldo Melo (U. Minho, Lab2PT)
- 16:45 HOW EFFICIENT WAS THE PORTUGUESE ECONOMY BY 1300? EXPERIMENTING WITH PRODUCTION FUNCTIONS  
António Castro Henriques (FEP, U. Porto) and Diogo Lourenço (FEP, U. Porto)

### Day 4, Friday | Porto, 29 April | FLUP, Sala de Reuniões (2nd floor)

- 9:30 **SESSION 7** | Chair: Joana Sequeira  
ITALIAN NETWORKS. THE ORGANISATION OF EXCHANGES IN THE MEDITERRANEAN DURING THE LATE MEDIEVAL AGE  
Stefania Montemezzo (U. Bologna)
- 10:15 POWER AND DIPLOMACY. THE PORTUGUESE MERCHANT IN MEDIEVAL EUROPE  
Flávio Miranda (IEM, FCSH, CITCEM, U. Porto) and Tiago Viúla de Faria (IEM, FCSH)
- 11:00 COFFEE BREAK
- 11:30 PLENARY LECTURE | Chair: Inês Amorim  
DEBASEMENT, EXCHANGE RATES AND TRADE  
Peter Spufford (Queens' College, Cambridge)
- 12:45 LUNCH
- 15:00 VISIT TO THE CASA DO INFANTE (MUSEUM)