ECONOMIC HISTORY of DEVELOPING REGIONS

Call for papers: Special issue on the economic history of Eastern Europe

In the past few years, research on the economic history of Eastern Europe has gained significant momentum. Numerous recent workshops and conference sessions devoted to the topic have demonstrated that economic historians working on the region have developed a range of meaningful contributions to current international debates (see for example <u>weast.info</u>). In order to popularize new research on this under-explored topic, the editors of *Economic History of Developing Regions* now invite submissions to a special issue devoted to economic history of Central, Eastern and South-Eastern Europe. The journal accepts papers based on purely quantitative or qualitative methods, as well as any combination of the two. It seeks submissions with an economic history focus from disciplines such as general history, cliometrics, business history, labour history, financial history, development studies and others with clear focus on the region. We especially welcome topics related to long-term economic development, the impact of warfare, institutions, geography, or markets on economic growth, income and wealth inequality, serfdom, socialism, and family systems.

The deadline for submissions is 1 January 2016. The editors envision the following timetable for the issue. Between January and March 2016 the editors of the journal along with several guest editors specializing in the study of the region will review the manuscripts. By April 2016 the editors will make the first round of decisions and a selection of authors will be asked to revise their papers by September 2016. The authors, should they choose, will be given a chance to present their work under revision on a special workshop linked to a forthcoming WEast meeting in Prague in summer 2016. The issue is expected to go into production around mid-2017.

Manuscripts should be submitted via <u>https://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/ehdr</u>, following the instructions for authors available on the journal website (see link below). During the online submission process please indicate if the manuscript is intended for the special issue on Eastern Europe in the appropriate box. All questions regarding the special issue and possible contributions should be directed to Leigh Gardner (<u>l.a.gardner@lse.ac.uk</u>) of LSE or Mikołaj Malinowski of Utrecht University (<u>m.malinowski@uu.nl</u>). More information about the journal is available at: <u>http://www.tandfonline.com/toc/rehd20/current</u>



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