



**Swiss Economic History Circle Workshop
February 7, 2025**

25 minutes presentation, 20 minutes discussion	
12.15	Lunch (restaurant)
13.15-13.30	Welcome
	Session 1 (Chair: Nathan Sussman)
13.30-14.15	The Biological Standard of Living of Swiss Mercenaries, c. 1725 - c. 1865 Cédric Chambru, Simon Hediger, Jakob Metzler and Ulrich Woitek
14.15-15.00	Wholesale market integration/price convergence around the establishment of the Swiss Economic and Monetary Union Daniel Kaufmann and Jannis Stefanopoulos
15.00-15.30	Break
	Session 2 (Chair: Nils Herger)
15.30-16.15	Bonds or Credits? The Inequality of Risk and Sovereign Lending in the Euromarkets: Evidence from Mexico, 1973-1982 Sebastian Alvarez and Marco Molteni
16.15-17.00	Banking on the South: The Impact of CasMez's Funding Strategies on Southern Italian Firms Michele Zampa
17.00-17.15	Break
	Session 3 (Chair: Tobias Straumann)
17.15-18.00	The shifting global axis of Europe's raw cotton trade, 1772-1792 Mary O'Sullivan and Felipe Souza Melo
18.30	Dinner (Orangerie)
20.45	Departure by bus to Bern main station or Overnight stay