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The June 2015 newsletter has two main features.

The first feature article, which is by newsletter editor Andrew Smith, is about the challenges business historians and business archivists face in making connections. Most readers will likely agree that Business Historians and Corporate Archivists need to find more efficient ways of connecting researchers to primary sources. Feature 1 will suggest possible technological solutions to this problem.

The second feature article relates to the proposed changes to the ABH constitution. The membership of the ABH will be asked to approve the constitution at our forthcoming conference in Exeter.

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Feature 1

Matching Business Historians and Business Archives: Can We Use IT to Improve the Efficiency of the Process?

This feature will argue that Business Historians and Corporate Archivists need to find more efficient ways of connecting researchers with primary sources. We should think about possible technological solutions to the problem of how we connect primary sources to the academic who can make the best use of them.

Academic research is never a solitary pursuit, even in disciplines that remain dominated by the single-author paper. As Susann Fellman and Andrew Popp have noted, “the production of history is always a collective endeavor. Numerous participants are involved, from past generations of historical actors, through past generations of historians, others involved in the gathering and preservation of the traces left by the past, to the historical interpreters of the present... A key site of this collective endeavor – even if it is certainly not the only one – is the archive.” (Fellman and Popp, 2015, 1).

For business historians, perhaps the most important type of collaboration with firms involves access to company archives. Archival research is an activity carried on for mutual benefit. For the business historian, the benefits of archival research are pretty straightforward: getting access to the primary sources required to write a publishable article. From the standpoint of the corporate archivist, and the perspective of the firm who is his or her principal, the benefits are a bit more complex. Firms give outsiders access to their archives for a wide variety of reasons that include the desire to promote a positive company image, the need to know more about the organization’s own history, and perhaps the tax advantages that come with opening up their archive to academics. A sense of corporate social responsibility may also be part of the firm’s motivation for allowing outsiders access to once confidential documents. Most corporate archivists are eager to encourage academic researchers to use their archives, at least insofar as they have the time

and other resources needed to host outsiders and escort them around buildings. Although corporate archivists have a fiduciary duty to exclude muckrakers and other researchers who might use documents to hurt their employers, corporate archivists also have incentives to maximize the number of “safe” researchers who pass through the door of their archives. After all, an archivist will want to be able to demonstrate to their superiors that the archive is indeed in frequent use. Corporate archivists are also frequently motivated by a desire to share their knowledge of their holdings with researchers and a sense of curiosity about their employers’ histories. In my experience, corporate archivists love telling researchers: “you know, there is an obscure piece of correspondence that’s really relevant to your research question. Let me dig it out of deep storage.”

In short, business historians need corporate archivists and corporate archives needs business historians. The challenge is to find an efficient way of putting archivists in contact with the right business historian. How can we use technology to reduce transaction costs, improve markets, and put researchers and business archives together? Online services such as eBay and Gumtree have brought buyers and sellers of lawnmowers together for years. Various dating apps are now using matching algorithms to do the same thing for the romantically inclined.

There is no doubt that the existence of the National Register of Archives and other online directories of business archives has simplified our lives and have thus increased the quality and the quantity of the business history being produced. Corporate archives are now putting more detailed descriptions of their holdings online (see the Barclays Group Archive’s stunning new website), which will further increase utilization. The fact that all academic researchers now have an online presence, which allows corporate archivists to verify the identities of people who email asking for archival access, has also helped. However, the business-history community needs to do more if we are to increase the efficiency of our research process in an increasingly competitive environment.

The UK's business-history community could possibly try to organize academic "speed-dating" events in central locations (e.g., London or Birmingham) to bring archivists and business historians together. If the speed-dating event were held in the summer, when researchers are normally free of teaching duties, many academics would attend.

Unfortunately, few corporate archivists have the funds and indeed travel authorization to attend such events.

A somewhat better option would be to arrange an *online* speed-dating event. However, this arrangement would still be somewhat time-consuming. The best option would be to create an online resource that would combine detailed descriptions of archival holdings with academics' personal statements of research interests and then an algorithm for matching. Business historians and archivists should initiate a conversation about how we go about developing such a service. In constructing the service around an algorithm, business historians and business archivists will likely need to form collaborations with the following groups: research funding councils, computer scientists, and business historians in other countries. Considerable effort will be required at first but the benefits could be substantial.

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Feature 2

New ABH Constitution

As Business Historians, we are very conscious of the importance of governance systems in organisations. Moreover, the Scottish charity regulator expects all charities to have up-to-date constitutions that reflect the actual working practices of the organisation. It was, therefore, felt that we should clarify and amend our Constitution. The revised constitution appears below. Members are encouraged to read the constitution before the meeting to approve it, which will be held at our forthcoming conference in Exeter.

Constitution

- 1 **Name** The name of the society shall be 'The Association of Business Historians' hereafter referred to as 'the Association'.
- 2 **Objective** The objective of the Association is to promote the study, teaching and publication of all aspects of the history of business and industry, and of the environment in which they operate.
- 3 **Membership** Membership is open to individuals on an annual basis. The rate of subscription will be that determined by the Council of the Association, as ratified at a General Meeting of the Association.
- 4 **Benefits of Membership** Paid up members of the Association will receive, twice yearly, a Newsletter designed to provide information on developments and events in business history, and to carry news, views and correspondence. In addition the Association will organize a residential conference on an annual basis.
- 5 **General Meetings** The General Meeting of the Association will be held alongside the annual conference at the conference venue. An Extraordinary General Meeting may be convened by the voting members of the Council of the Association or at the written request of ten or more members, to be held within six weeks of the receipt of such a request by the Secretary. The quorum for all General Meetings shall be ten members of the Association.
- 6 **Executive Committee and Officers** The officers and members of the Executive Committee, to be called the Council of the Association, will usually comprise the following members: a President; a Secretary; a Treasurer; a Communications Officer; an Archives Officer; a Slaven Doctoral Workshop Organizer, the current Coleman Prize winner, and organizer for the next year's annual conference ('the Conference Organizer'). In addition, the President, in consultation and agreement with the majority of the Council, has the power to co-opt the Association's Webmaster, and the immediate Past-President, if they

are not already on Council. The Council may, at its discretion, choose to co-opt one additional members of the Association on to Council for an agreed period of time, in addition to the Webmaster. This contingency will be implemented to enhance strategic decision taking, or where unforeseen circumstances threaten to disrupt the effective operation of the Council's work. Any fully paid-up member of the Association will be eligible to serve as a co-opted Council member. All Council members have voting rights, apart from the Webmaster, Past President and any additional co-opted members.

7 Period of Office All elected members of the Council of the Association will hold office for a period of three years. Elected members of the Council of the Association will retire in rotation annually, as required. The Secretary, Treasurer, Communications Officer, Archives Officer, and Slaven Doctoral Workshop Organizer, can stand for re-election for a consecutive second term. The Coleman Prize winner will hold office for one year, but in those cases where there is no competition in the following year, they remain on Council for a further year. The Conference Organizer will hold office for one year. If co-opted, the Webmaster will hold office for one year but with the possibility of being renewed by the President on an annual basis. The Coleman Prize winner, Conference Organizer and Webmaster are eligible to hold an elected post on the Council at the same time or to stand for an elected post on the Council.

8 Election of Members of the Council of the Association and Officers The election of members of the Council of the Association shall be by ballot of the currently paid-up members of the Association. A call for nominations will be circulated prior to the Annual Conference. Nominations duly signed by the proposed Council members, and seconded, must be received by the Secretary six weeks prior to the date of the General Meeting. A ballot will then be conducted and the results declared at the General Meeting and published on the ABH website and in the newsletter. Elected places on the Council of the Association will become available each year by rotation. There will be different elections for the offices of President and the other office holders. The allocation of the Council posts of Secretary, Treasurer, Communications Officer, Archives Officer, and Slaven Doctoral Workshop Organizer, is made and approved by the Council. Co-opted members of Council may subsequently stand for election in the normal way.

9 Past Presidents Notwithstanding the arrangements listed in clauses 6, 7 and 8 above, if the Council chooses to co-opt the retiring President, immediately on completing their three-year term, they can only stay in council for one further year. Former Presidents will not be eligible for re-election as a voting member of Council until two years after they cease to be a member (voting or non-voting) of the Council of the Association.

10 Payment of Expenses All members of the Council of the Association, including past Presidents serving a fourth year, are entitled to be reimbursed their expenses incurred in attending Council meetings except for any such meeting which is held in conjunction with the Annual Conference/Annual General Meeting.

11 General conduct of affairs by the Council of the Association Appended to this constitution is a set of current guidelines which, while not binding on members of the Council of the Association, forms a set of practices which have

underlined the development of the Association to date and provide guidance as to future development.

- 12 **Winding-up and disposal of funds** The Association may only be dissolved by resolution of a General Meeting. Any surplus funds or other assets shall be disposed of for charitable purposes agreed upon by a General Meeting.

The Association is a charity registered in Scotland. Charity Number SCO 19886.



Economic History Society

(Charity Nos. 228494; SCO38304)

Full information on Grants/Awards/Prizes can be found at:
<http://www.ehs.org.uk/the-society/grants-and-prizes.html>

We would like to draw particular attention to:

Carnevali Small Research Grants Scheme

The Economic History Society maintains a fund to encourage small-scale research initiatives or pilot studies in economic and/or social history. Funds are available to support the direct costs of research that is aimed at a specific publication outcome and/or for pilot projects that will form the foundation for applications to other bodies for more substantial funding. Applications for conference attendance will not be considered nor will funding be provided for any equipment or publication costs.

Applicants must be employed by a UK higher education institution. Grants will be up to a maximum of £5,000.

Applicants will be asked to provide:

- A brief description of the research (1,000 words) including its potential contribution to the discipline of economic and/or social history.
- The expected outcome of the research in terms of target publication or further grant application.
- A budget for the proposed research.
- Details of applications to other funders and funding already secured.
- A short report one year after the award has been made.

Whatever the sum granted, there must be a specific prominent acknowledgement of the Society's support in any publicity, meeting materials or publications. All applications should demonstrate that Society funds are sought for a clearly defined, discrete piece of research, which would potentially lead to publication in the leading journals of our discipline.

It is expected that successful applicants will be, or will become, members of the Economic History Society. Successful applicants will not be eligible to apply to the scheme again for three years.

The deadlines for applications are: **first day of May and November.**



The Center for the History of Business, Technology, and Society organizes scholarly conferences, research seminars, and administers research grants for the Hagley Library in Delaware.

The Center offers grants that cover costs associated with traveling to use Hagley's research collection. Application deadlines are March 31, June 30, and October 31, and between twenty-five and thirty grants are awarded each year. The Center also awards one-semester dissertation fellowships, with a November 15 application deadline, for graduate students whose research includes Hagley's collections.

Hagley Exploratory Research Grant

These grants support one-week visits by scholars who believe that their project will benefit from Hagley research collections, but need the opportunity to explore them on-site to determine if a Henry Belin du Pont research grant application is warranted. Priority will be given to junior scholars with innovative projects that seek to expand on existing scholarship. Proposals must demonstrate which Hagley collections might be pertinent to the project.

Applicants should reside more than 50 miles from Hagley, and the stipend is \$400. Low-cost accommodations on Hagley's grounds are available on first-come, first serve basis. Researchers who use this housing are strongly encouraged to have a car available for transportation during their residency.

Henry Belin du Pont Research Grants

Henry Belin du Pont Research Grants enable scholars to pursue advanced research and study in the library, archival, pictorial, and artifact collections of the Hagley Museum and Library. They honor the memory of Henry Belin du Pont, a founding trustee and long-time supporter of Hagley, and are funded in part by the Henry Belin du Pont Memorial Fund which supports access to and use of Hagley's research collections.

These grants are intended to support serious scholarly work that makes use of Hagley's research collections and expands on prior scholarship. Application materials should explain the research project's focus, methodology, engagement with existing scholarship, and the intended product, as well as Hagley collection(s) to be used during the proposed grant residency. Potential applicants are strongly encouraged to consult with Hagley staff prior to submitting their application.

Research grants are awarded for the length of time needed to make use of Hagley collections for a specific project. The stipends are for a maximum of eight weeks and are pro-rated at \$400/week for recipients who reside more than 50 miles from Hagley, and \$200/week for those within 50 miles.

Funded scholars are expected to participate in seminars which meet periodically, as well as attend noontime colloquia, lectures, and other public programs offered during their tenure. A research report is due one month after the end of the residency at Hagley.

Low-cost accommodations on Hagley's grounds are available on first-come, first serve basis. Researchers who use this housing are strongly encouraged to have a car available for transportation during their residency.

Henry Belin du Pont Dissertation Fellowships

Henry Belin du Pont Dissertation Fellowships are designed for graduate students who have completed all course work for the doctoral degree and are conducting research on their dissertation. We invite applications from Ph.D. candidates whose research on important historical questions would benefit from use of Hagley's research collections. Applications should demonstrate superior intellectual quality, present a persuasive methodology for the project, and show that there are significant research materials at Hagley pertinent to the dissertation. Use of Hagley's collections may take place prior to application for the dissertation fellowship. Potential applicants are strongly encouraged to consult with Hagley staff prior to submitting their dossier.

This is a residential fellowship with a term of four months. The fellowship provides \$6,500, free housing on Hagley's grounds, use of a computer, mail and internet access, and an office. (Recipients who use this housing are strongly encouraged to have a car available for transportation during their residency.) Dissertation fellows are expected to have no other obligations during the term of the fellowship, to maintain continuous residence at Hagley for its duration, and to participate in events organized by Hagley's Center for the History of Business, Technology, and Society. At the end of residency the recipient will make a presentation at Hagley based on research conducted during the fellowship. A research report is due a month after the end of residency at Hagley. Hagley will also receive a copy of the dissertation, as well as any publications aided by the fellowship.



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We would like to draw particular attention to:

Economic History Society PhD Bursary Scheme

The Economic History Society will consider applications for one-year bursaries of up to £5,000 to assist postgraduate students (PhD) in United Kingdom colleges and universities. The bursaries will be open to students (full or part-time) at any stage of their PhD career in economic and/or social history. Please note that applications from students in receipt of a full stipendiary award, or a fully-funded studentship covering fees and living costs, would not be considered.

Applications should be accompanied by the candidate's academic CV and a supervisor's statement in support of the application.

It is expected that successful applicants will be, or will become, members of the Economic History Society.

Any queries should please be directed to the administrative secretary.

Deadline for applications: 1 July 2015.

The online application system will open shortly.

Bursary Winners

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Angela Evans (Cardiff University)

Cinema, entrepreneurship and society in the south Wales valleys, 1900-1950s

Benjamin Hellings (University of Oxford)

The economic integration of northwest Europe during the Roman Period

Hannah Hogan (University of York)

Labouring identities and sociability in Yorkshire, 1650-1750

Leonard Kukic (London School of Economics)

Economic growth, policies and geography: evidence from Yugoslav regions, 1945-90

Stefan Nikolic (University of York)

Industrial development in the Kingdom of Yugoslavia in the interwar period of the twentieth century

Sumiyo Nishizaki (London School of Economics)

Migration back to Japan: economic experiences of Japanese repatriates, 1945-56

Georgios Regkoukos* (King's College London)

O Rus! Land, the state and societal upheaval in a blacksoil province: Tambov, 1850-90

Antonia Strachey (University of Oxford)

Living standards and public policy in late colonial India

Elizabeth Wiedenheft (University of Nottingham)

The Delatio in medieval Europe, c.900 - c.1200



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We would like to draw particular attention to:

Undergraduate Project Facility Grant

The Economic History Society will consider applications for small grants, not normally over £250, to assist undergraduate students with expenses incurred in the preparation of economic and social history projects for final degree examinations in United Kingdom colleges and universities. Applications should be made by students, through supervisors, advisers or tutors, to the administrative secretary, who can be contacted at the address below. The application, and supervisor's statement of support, should clearly indicate how the research relates to economic and/or social history. **Please note that no award will be made for the purchase of equipment, books and other materials or to fund conference attendance.**

Further information may be obtained from the administrative secretary. There is no application form. Requests, supported by a supervisor's letter, should indicate the nature and proposed title of the project, the extent of its contribution to final degree classification, and details of anticipated expenditure and of the need for that expenditure. **Applications may be submitted at any time.**



Call for Papers
41th Annual Conference
Montreal, Canada
May 26-28, 2016

The Economic and Business History Society (EBHS) is now accepting proposals for our 41th Annual Conference, to be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel- downtown Montreal. Proposals for presentations on any aspect of ancient to recent economic or business history are welcome, as are proposals for whole panels. We welcome submissions from graduate students and non-academic affiliates. The 41st Annual Conference will also include a French track. *La 41^{ème} conférence annuelle accueillera des propositions et présentations en français comme en anglais.*

The EBHS conference offers participants the opportunity for intellectual interchange with an international, interdisciplinary, and collegial group of scholars (typically about half our participants are from economics departments and half are from history or economic history departments). The EBHS prides itself on its openness to new members and we offer reduced conference fees for graduate students and early career researchers (four years or less since doctorate earned). Our regular registration fees are reasonable, as is the cost of accommodation at the conference venue.

In addition to the sessions, there will be some activities that should be of interest to all participants. These include a tour in some famous historical parts of Montreal. Of course, in keeping with the collegial nature

of EBHS, there will be plenty opportunities for informal social activities within walking distance from the downtown-located Conference, including museums, fine restaurants, shopping outlets, the Old Montreal (<http://www.vieux.montreal.qc.ca/>), as well as many festivals.

Proposals, in English or French, should include an abstract of no more than 500 words and contact details. **The deadline for submission of proposals is February 15, 2016.** The Program Chair will send a notification of acceptance of abstracts by March 1, 2016. Online registration will be available soon at www.ebhsoc.org.

Proposals may be submitted through the EBHS website at www.ebhsoc.org, by email to ebhs2016@ebhsoc.org, or to the Program Chair by postal mail (not preferred):

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If you have further questions about the meeting or organization please contact Program Chair Patrice G elinas, gelines@yorku.ca, or EBHS President Lisa Baillargeon, baillargeon.lisa@uqam.ca.

EBHS also operates a peer-reviewed open access journal, *Essays in Economic and Business History*, edited by Jason Taylor (Central Michigan University). Conference papers and non-conference papers alike may be submitted to *Essays* for consideration. We invite you to visit our website, www.ebhsoc.org, to see our editorial board and policies, as well as back issues.

Biennial Policy History Conference

Every two years the *Journal of Policy History* and the Institute for Political History sponsor a conference on policy history. Since the first Policy History Conference in Saint Louis, Missouri, the primary goal behind the conference has been to provide an interdisciplinary forum for presentations and roundtable discussions on policy history topics and recent policy history research. The biennial conferences bring together academy scholars, independent scholars and graduate students to share their research. Many of the papers presented eventually appear in academic journals and other publications

Deadline for Submissions: **4 December 2015**

The Institute for Political History, the Journal of Policy History, and the Peabody College of Vanderbilt University are hosting the ninth biennial Conference on Policy History at the Loews® Vanderbilt Hotel in Nashville, Tennessee from Wednesday, June 1 to Saturday, June 4, 2016. We are currently accepting panel and paper proposals. Complete sessions, including two or three presenters with chair/commentator(s), and individual paper proposals are welcome. Participants may only appear once as a presenter in the program.

Proposals for panels and papers must be submitted online at the links below, and must include the following:

1. Name(s)
2. Institutional Affiliation(s)
3. Status (i.e. ABD, Doctoral Student, Assistant/Associate/Full Professor)
4. Email address(es).
5. Mailing Address(es).
6. Panel and paper title(s).
7. One (1) page single-spaced abstract of panel and papers in Microsoft Word or PDF format.
8. One (1) page single-spaced description of panel participants including educational background, major publications, awards or fellowships of presenters, also in Microsoft Word or PDF format.

CFP: Historical Approaches to Entrepreneurship Research

The Copenhagen Business School Initiative “Re-Thinking History” is working for some time now on the topic of Historical Approaches to Entrepreneurship Research. One of the members of the group, R. Dan Wadhvani (visiting Professor at CBS) has organised together with David A. Kirsch, William B. Gartner, Friederike Welter, and Geoffrey Jones, a call for papers for a special issue of *Strategic Entrepreneurship Journal* on this topic.

Guest Editors

R. Daniel Wadhvani, University of the Pacific

David A. Kirsch, University of Maryland

William B. Gartner, California Lutheran University & Copenhagen Business School

Friederike Welter, IfM Bonn and University of Siegen, Germany

Geoffrey Jones, Harvard Business School

In recent years, scholars have grown increasingly interested in the promise of historical approaches to entrepreneurship research. History, it has been argued, can be valuable in addressing a number of limitations in traditional approaches to studying entrepreneurship, including by providing multi-level perspectives on the entrepreneurial process (Tripsas, 1997; Forbes and Kirsch, 2010; Agarwal and Braguinsky, 2014), in accounting for contexts and institutions (Baumol, 1990; Welter, 2011; Haveman et al, 2012, Zahra and Wright 2011), in understanding the relationship between entrepreneurship and economic change (Schumpeter, 1947; Casson and Godley, 2005; Baumol and Strom, 2007; Lippmann and Aldrich, 2014), and in situating entrepreneurial behavior and cognition within the flow of time (Popp and Holt, 2013). History, in this regard, points the direction to both valuable sources and data for addressing such topics (Forbes and Kirsch, 2010) and to a body of historical theory from which to conceptualize context, time, and change analytically (Wadhvani and Jones, 2014; Wadhvani, 2010). Indeed, it is for many of these same reasons that Schumpeter (1947) called on theorists and historians to collaborate in the study of entrepreneurship. For this special issue, we seek theoretical and empirical work that significantly advances our understanding of whether and how historical research and reasoning can contribute to our understanding of entrepreneurship. In this regard, we encourage submissions that not only make contributions to entrepreneurship research and theory, but also engage the methodological and theoretical issues involved in using historical approaches in the management disciplines (Ingram, et al, 2012; Bucheli and Wadhvani, 2014; Rowlinson, et al, 2014; Kipping and Üsdiken, 2014). We welcome a broad range of ways to conceptualize and integrate history in entrepreneurship research, including as a set of sources and methods, as context (e.g. industry evolution), as an independent variable (experience at firm

or founder level), as a mechanism (process, path dependency, or way of interpreting the past), or an outcome (e.g. historical performance).

Announcements

TONY SLAVEN WORKSHOP

The following postgraduate researchers participated in the 2015 Tony Slaven Doctoral Colloquium at the Association of Business Historians meeting in Exeter.

Christiane Chihadeh (Liverpool), *An analysis of the relationship of British utility companies and the British government since 1945: an historical examination regarding their relationship with the aim to provide insights into the making of public policy*

Christopher Minton (Nottingham), *The Business of Empire in Late Colonial Nigeria: Shell-BP and the Politics of Decolonisation, c. 1946-67*

Zoi Pittaki (Glasgow), *Facing a 'sibylline' authority: Views and facts regarding industrial development and the tax system in Greece, from the mid 1950s to the late 1980s*

Dean Lymath (Nottingham), *Fur Trade Adventurers: Entrepreneurship and the Hudson's Bay Company 1696-1821*

Gwendolyn Lin (Norwegian University of Science and Technology), *Fuelling the Global Trade Engine: Noble Group and The Rise of China, 1980-2015*

Anis Zras (Portsmouth), *The evolution of the Libyan accountancy profession and the colonial heritage (1551-1951)*

Henry Sless (Reading), *A critical analysis of the visual representation of finance during the Victorian era*

Linda Arch (Reading), *The Regulation of the London Clearing Banks, 1946 to 1979*

The event also included a workshop on primary sources run by Emily Buchnea (Newcastle), Bernardita Escobar (Corporacion de Estudios Para Latino America), and Peter Miskell (Reading).

Congratulations to all of the postgraduate researchers who were selected for this workshop. We express our gratitude to the academics who made this event possible.



There is a new Editorial Team at the head of *Business History*

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Website: <http://www.gla.ac.uk/external/ABH>

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I wish to join/renew my membership of the Association of Business Historians:

Name (Dr/Prof/Mr/Ms/Mrs): _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Country: _____ Email: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____

ABH Membership Rate is £15 per annum, or alternatively, £42 for 3 years.

Payment Methods (Please tick appropriate boxes):

- Sterling Cheque
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 Paypal (£15.00) 1 year membership: https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_s-xclick&hosted_button_id=33PK9P3HRMVJW
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Name of Bank			
Name of Account			
Address of Bank			
Postcode		Country	
Account No.		Sort Code	
IBAN No.		Swift/BIC Code	
Amount (in figures & words)			
Dates	From:	Until:	
Signature			

Please pay my subscription to the Association of Business Historians (bank details below) on 1 September 2014, and each year thereafter until further notice.

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