



ROCKWOOL FONDEN

Program:

Economic History and the Welfare State

March 26-27

Place: CSS, Øster Farimagsgade 5, (35.3.20, building 35), 1353 Kbh K (see maps below)

Day 1: March 26, 2026

- **08:45 AM – 09:15 AM:** Registration & Welcome
- **09:15 AM – 10:45 AM:**

Paper 1: Alan de Bromhead: “Build Better Health: Evidence from Ireland on Housing Quality and Mortality”

Paper 2: Kris James Mitchener: “Do Pandemics Change Healthcare? Evidence from the Great Influenza”

Paper 3: Marius Gunnesmo: “Overcrowding and health: the effects of Danish housing associations”
- **10:45 AM – 11:00 AM:** Coffee Break
- **11:00 AM – 12:30 PM:**

Paper 4: Erik Bengtsson: “Incumbent Elites and Revolutionary Threat-Related Democratization: The Case of Sweden”

Paper 5: Magnus Bergli Rasmussen: “With a Little Help from My Friends: How political power affects industrial conflicts”

Paper 6: Eric Melander: “Unpopular Reforms, Social Unrest and Grassroots Political Movements”
- **12:30 PM – 01:30 PM:** Lunch Break

- **01:30 PM – 3:00 PM:**

Paper 7: Felix Kersting: “The Making of the German Model of Industrial Relations”

Paper 8: Michele Rosenberg: “The Origins of Social Insurance Programs”

Paper 9: Jan P. Vogler: “The Political Economy of Public Bureaucracy: Socioeconomic Conflict, Imperialism, and the Emergence of Modern Administrative Organizations

- **3:00 PM – 3:30 PM:** Coffee Break

- **3:30 PM – 5:00 PM:**

Paper 10: Felipe Gonzalez: “Transfers and Political Support in Times of Economic Crisis”

Paper 11: Jon Denton-Schneider: Rags to Rags: The Effects of Ending Cash Transfers Across Three Generations in Victorian Britain

Paper 12: Jeanet S. Bentzen: “In the Name of God! Religiosity and the Production of Science”

- **5:00 PM – 6:30ish PM:** Drinks and snacks at the workshop room (or free time)

- **7:00 PM - ??:** Workshop dinner at restaurant [Krebsegaarden](#) (Stuðiestræde 17, 1455 Inner city)

Day 2: March 27, 2026

- **10:00 AM – 11:30 AM:**

Paper 13: Anthony Wray: “Birth Order in the Very Long-Run: Estimating Firstborn Premiums between 1850 and 1940”

Paper 14: Francesco Cinnirella: “From Chalkboards to Steam Engines: Early Adoption of Compulsory Schooling, Innovation, and Industrialization”

Paper 15: Anne Hannusch: “Boys Left Behind? A Historical Perspective on the Gender Gaps in High School Graduation”

- **11:30 AM – 1:00 PM:** Lunch

- **1:00 AM – 3:00 PM:**

Paper 16: Volha Lazuka: “Skills Beget Skills: Evidence from Historical School Reforms Targeting Health and Further Education”

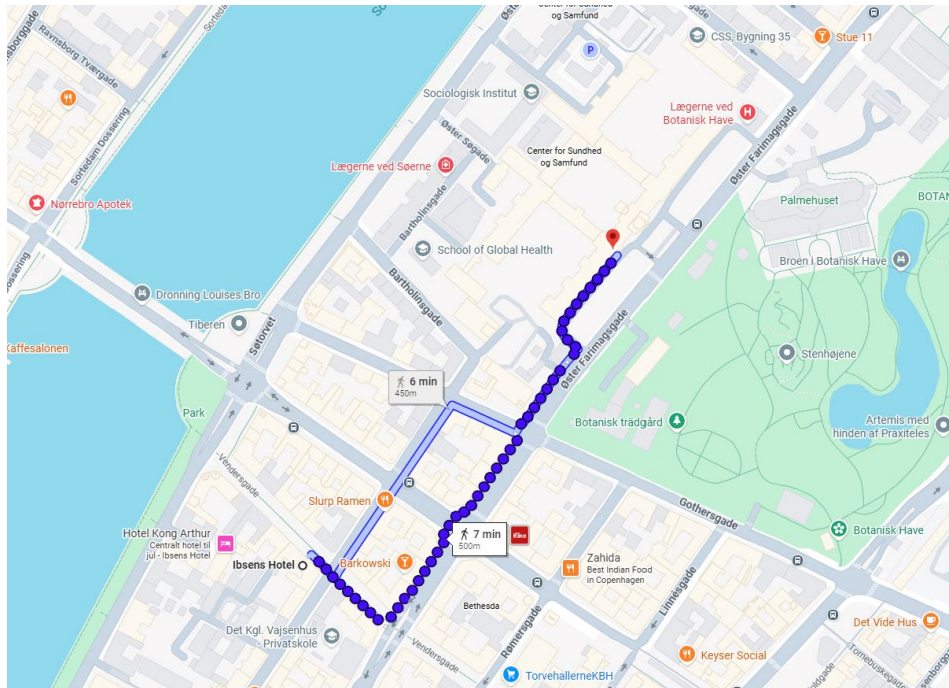
Paper 17: Jonathan Chapman: “State Capacity and Vaccination Effectiveness in Victorian Britain”

Paper 18 Philipp Ager: “The Long-term Effects of Charity Nurseries: Evidence from Early 20th Century New York”

Paper 19 Christian Vedel: “CHAOS: Converting Historical Accounts into Occupational Scores”

- **3:00 PM - ??:** Drinks, snacks, and goodbye

From Hotel Ibsen to main entrance of CSS



From main entrance of CSS to building 35

