

### **Current Appointment**

Reader in Economic History, Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge (since 1999)

### **Education**

- 1992:** M.A. in the Social Sciences (Economics), University of Chicago (Johnson Prize)  
**1985:** Ph.D. in History, University of Cambridge  
**1979:** M.A. in Modern History/English, University of St Andrews (First Class Hons, Class Medal, Rutherford Prize, Lawson Prize)  
**1975:** CEGEP Certificate, French Language, Jonquière, Québec  
**1974-5:** Canadian Secondary Matriculation (9 subjects), Queen Elizabeth School, Calgary, Canada  
**1973-4:** Scottish O-Grades (7 subjects), Grantown Grammar School, Grantown-on-Spey, Scotland

### **Professional History**

- 1999-:** Reader in Economic History, Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge  
**1992-9:** University Lecturer, Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge  
**1989-2:** University Assistant Lecturer, Faculty of Economics, University of Cambridge  
**1984-8:** Research Fellow in History, Trinity College, Cambridge

### **Visiting Appointments**

- 1998-9:** Senior Research Fellow, Cambridge Group for the History of Population and Social Structure, University of Cambridge  
**1998:** Visiting Fellow, Center for Economic Studies, Faculty of Economics, University of Munich  
**1994-5:** Visiting Fellow, Centre for History and Economics, King's College, Cambridge  
**1993-4:** Guest Professor, Department of Economic and Social History, University of Vienna  
**1993-4:** Visiting Fellow, Central State Archive, Prague

### **Professional and Advisory Bodies**

- 2003-:** Member, Collegium Carolinum for the Study of the the Czech and Slovak Lands  
**1999-:** Fellow, CESifo Research Network of Leading Economists  
**1985-:** Economic History Association  
**1985-:** German History Association  
**1993-6:** Advisory Committee, Austrian Ministry of Sciences, project 'Social Structures in Bohemia'

### **Editorial Boards**

- 2003-:** *Bohemia: A Journal of History and Civilisation in East Central Europe*  
**2000-:** *Historical Journal*  
**2000-:** *Cambridge Studies in Economic History* (CUP monograph series)  
**1995-:** *Muse* (non-fiction magazine for children)  
**1986-:** *Critical Review*  
**1992-9:** *Continuity and Change*  
**1994-9:** *Österreichische Zeitschrift für Geschichtswissenschaft*

**Prizes, Awards, Honours**

- 2004:** Elected Fellow of the British Academy  
**2004:** Conference in honour of *A Bitter Living*, supported by Wallander Foundation, Stockholm  
**2003:** Elected to the Collegium Carolinum for the Study of the Czech and Slovak Lands  
**2001-3:** British Academy Research Readership  
**1999:** Elected to CESifo Research Network of Leading Economists  
**1999:** Gyorgy Ranki Prize, Economic History Association (for *State Corporatism and Proto-Industry*, best book in European economic history published 1997 and 1998)  
**1992:** Johnson Prize (best Divisional Master's Thesis, University of Chicago)  
**1986-7:** Hewlitt Demographic Fellowship, University of Chicago  
**1985-7:** Institute for Humane Studies Claude R. Lambe Fellowship, University of Chicago  
**1985-7:** University of Chicago Unendowed Scholarship  
**1984-8:** Trinity College Prize Research Fellowship  
**1983-4:** Institute for Humane Studies Claude R. Lambe Fellowship, University of Cambridge  
**1980-3:** Trinity College External Research Studentship  
**1979:** Samuel Rutherford Prize (Outstanding First-Class Hons Degree), University of St Andrews  
**1978-9:** Thomas Thow Scholarship, University of St Andrews  
**1978-9:** Lawson Memorial Prize (Final Year), University of St Andrews  
**1978-9:** Class Medal (Junior and Senior Honours Years), University of St Andrews  
**1977:** Class Medal (Second Year), University of St Andrews  
**1976-9:** Harkness Residential Exhibition, University of St Andrews  
**1976:** Class Medal (First Year), University of St Andrews  
**1975-6:** Lawson Memorial Prize (First Year), University of St Andrews

**Major Research Grants**

- 2004-7:** Leverhulme Foundation Award  
'Economy, Gender, and Social Capital in the German Demographic Transition'  
(3 years, with Timothy W. Guinnane and Richard M. Smith)
- 1997-9:** Volkswagen Foundation Award  
'Social Structures in Bohemia, 1500-1800'  
(3 years, with Markus Cerman, Josef Ehmer, Michael Mitterauer)
- 1994-5:** Pew Trust Award  
'Population and Security'  
(1 year, with Gareth Stedman Jones and Emma Rothschild)

**Personal Details**

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