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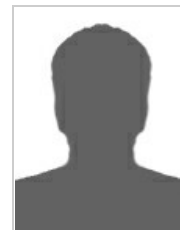
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About

Roger Backhouse's recent research has been on the history of economics, including a book on John Maynard Keynes, and the the history of the social sciences since 1945. His book, co-authored with Mauro Boianovsky, *Transforming Modern Macroeconomics; Exploring Disequilibrium Microfoundations, 1956-2003* has been awarded the Blangui Prize by the European Society of the History of Economic Thought. His main current project is an intellectual biography of Paul A. Samuelson, supported by a Leverhulme Trust Major Research Fellowship.

Qualifications

B.Sc. in Economics and Economic History (University of Bristol)

Ph.D. in Economics (University of Birmingham)

Teaching

On research leave, 2011-2014. Teaching has included the history of economic thought, research methods, applied economics and macroeconomics.

Research

Working on an intellectual biography of Paul A. Samuelson, supported by a 3-year Leverhulme Trust Major Resarch Fellowship. Other research covers Keynes, the history of the social sciences since 1945, and the history of disequilibrium macroeconomics.

Other activities

Co-organiser of History of Recent Economics Conference (HISRECO).

Personal Homepage (<http://www.socscistaff.bham.ac.uk/backhouse/homepage/>)

Publications

Selected recent publications include (see personal homepage for a more comprehensive list):

Backhouse, R. E. and Boianovsky, M. (2013) **Transforming Modern Macroeconomics: Exploring Disequilibrium Microfoundations, 1956-2003**. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2013.

Backhouse, R. E. and Bateman, B. W. (2013). Inside-out: Keynes's use of the public sphere, **History of Political Economy**, 45 (Annual Supplement): 68-91.

Backhouse, R. E. and Forder, J. (2013) Rationalizing incomes policy in Britain, 1948-1979. **History of Economic Thought and Policy** 2013(1):17-35.

Backhouse, R. E. (forthcoming 2014) MIT and the other Cambridge, **History of Political Economy**, 46 (Annual Supplement).

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Backhouse, R. E. and Fontaine, P. (eds) (forthcoming 2014) **A Historiography of the Modern Social Sciences**. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Backhouse, R. E. and Tribe, K. (forthcoming 2014) Economic thought and ideology, 1700-1870'. in: Floud, R., Humphries, J. and Johnson, P. (eds) **The Cambridge Economic History of Modern Britain, Volume I: 1700-1870**. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

