

**Revista de Historia Económica-Journal of Iberian and Latin American Economic History Fast Track Meeting: Special Issue on Portuguese Economic and Social History, 17 November, 2018, Lisbon**

Submissions are welcome for a Fast Track session to be held during the 2018 APHES meeting in Lisbon. All papers must be submitted in English and cover some aspect of Portuguese economic history, including the former colonies (prior to independence; e.g. a paper can be about Brazil, but only prior to 1821). Comparative papers are welcome.

All members of APHES are free to submit, but submissions from young scholars are particularly welcome. If you are not yet a member of APHES, it is very easy to become one: please refer to the association's site where instructions are given: <https://www.aphes.pt/index.php/about-aphes/aphes/members>. The authors of the papers chosen to participate in the session will have to enroll in the conference and will be then informed of the steps necessary to do so.

There are grants available for students. These grants are the equivalent to the amount of the registration costs. **Revista de Historia Económica-Journal of Iberian and Latin American Economic History will publish a special issue on Portuguese economic and social history based on some of the papers presented in this fast track session.** The scientific committee will then send the best papers to be refereed but a decision will be taken without a long delay and articles will appear in print within a relatively short time.

The scientific committee will be composed of Blanca Sánchez Alonso (Universidad San Pablo-CEU Spain and RHE-JILAEH chief editor), Nuno Palma (University of Manchester, UK) and Jaime Reis (ICS, University of Lisbon).

Nuno Palma (University of Manchester, UK) will serve as the guest editor for the special issue. Those interested should submit their papers to **RHE-JILAEH** via the manuscript central system no later than 15th October 2018. <https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/revista-de-historia-economica-journal-of-iberian-and-latin-american-economic-history>. When submitting through manuscript central, please mention in the cover letter that you would like your paper to be considered for Fast Track. The most promising papers will be selected for the Fast Track Meeting. Authors will be informed whether their paper will be selected to present by November 1, 2018.

Best Regards,

Blanca Sánchez Alonso (Universidad San Pablo-CEU, Spain and RHE-JILAEH chief editor)