

*Curriculum Vitae*  
DR CHRISTOPHER M. KISSANE

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**Academic Employment**

January 2014-January 2016

Researcher in Economic History, London School of Economics & Political Science

*From January 2014 I worked as a postdoctoral researcher on an EU FP-7 project on the history of citizenship in Europe.*

January 2016-April 2016

Temporary Lecturer, Department of Economics, University of Warwick

*I lectured in economic history during spring term 2016*

**Education**

**DPhil** (2010-14), Economic & Social History

Balliol College, University of Oxford

Dissertation: 'Food & Community in Early Modern Europe: Inquisition, Reformation, & Witchcraft'

Examiners: Robin Briggs & Professor Peter Burke

Supervisors: Professor Lyndal Roper & Professor Deborah Oxley

**MPhil** (2008-10), Economic & Social History

Balliol College, University of Oxford

**B.A. Hons.** (2004-8), History (First Class Hons.)

Trinity College, University of Dublin

**Media & Public Engagement**

- BBC/AHRC New Generation Thinker 2016-17
- Recent newspaper opinion pieces: *The Irish Times*, [13 December 2015](#)
- Recent newspaper reviews: *The Guardian*, [9 April 2016](#); *The Irish Times*, [23 April 2016](#)
- Irish National University Debating Champion 2008
- BBC2's *Great British Railway Journeys*, Series 3, Episode 11
- Blog projects: [whydoweeatthis.tumblr.com](http://whydoweeatthis.tumblr.com) (2013), [ahistoryofthepresent.com](http://ahistoryofthepresent.com) (2012)

## **Research**

### **Books**

*Food, Religion, & Communities in Early Modern Europe* (Bloomsbury, forthcoming).

### **Articles in review/preparation**

‘The extent of citizenship in Early Modern Europe: preliminary estimates’. Co-authored with C. Minns, C. Crowston, R. de Kerf, B. de Munck, M. Prak, P. Wallis. Under review with *Economic History Review*.

‘Barriers to citizenship & trades in early modern European cities’. Co-authored with P. Wallis, B. de Munck, C. Crowston, R. de Kerf, C. Minns, M. Prak. Under review with *International Review of Social History*.

‘Guild traditions, economic development and the formation of national political economies in Germany, the United Kingdom, and the Netherlands in the 19th & early 20th centuries’. Co-authored with M. Hoogenboom, C. Minns, M. Prak, & P. Wallis. Under review with *Theory & Society*.

‘Access to the Trade: Citizens, craft guilds, and social & geographical mobility in early modern Europe’. Co-authored with M. Prak, C. Crowston, C. Minns, P. Wallis. Under review with *Economic History Review*.

‘Deciphering Food Identities’, *Historische Anthropologie*, invited submission to Special Issue (forthcoming, 2016).

### **Recent Review Articles**

‘Past, Present, & Future in Writing on Early Modern Magic & Witchcraft’ (Review Article), [\*Reformation\*](#), vol. 20 no. 2 (November, 2015).

‘Europe from Charlemagne to UKIP: Review of Peter H. Wilson’s *The Holy Roman Empire*’, [\*The Guardian\*](#), 9 April 2016.

‘A Chance to Heal Wounds? Review of David Rieff’s *In Praise of Forgetting: Historical Memory & Its Ironies*’, [\*The Irish Times\*](#), 23 April 2016.

‘Review of David Brundage’s *Irish Nationalists in America: The Politics of Exile, 1798-1998*, [\*The Irish Times\*](#), 18 June 2016.

### **Selected Conference Presentations & Invited Seminars**

- Cambridge Comparative Social & Cultural History Seminar 2011
- Oxford Symposium on Food & Cookery (multiple years)
- Queen Mary Reformation & Reform Colloquium 2012
- European University Institute, Florence, History Seminar 2013
- European Social Science History Conference Vienna 2014
- Sixteenth Century Society Conference New Orleans 2014
- Renaissance Society of America Conference Berlin 2015
- German Historical Institute London Annual Workshop 2015
- Seventeenth Century Studies Conference Durham 2015