



## AYHD Newsletter

April 2026

Welcome to our monthly newsletter series providing you with all updates from the **Association for Young Historical Demographers!** The AYHD newsletter keeps you up to date with events, conferences, and vacancies in Historical Demography and other related fields. It also gives you a chance to publicise your research or events to a diverse audience. If you would like to contribute to the newsletter, you can email Emma ([egd28@cam.ac.uk](mailto:egd28@cam.ac.uk)). Visit [our website](#) to sign up for future newsletters and get further information about the association. You can also find us on [Twitter](#) and [BlueSky](#).

### From the AYHD Board

#### Quarterly Seminar Series

**It's official, we are kicking off our new seminar series!**

Are you interested in presenting anything from a research idea to a full paper in a friendly and informal setting? Fill in this [→ form ←](#) and we will add you to our programme, there are times available throughout the year.

We will meet online and have half an hour for each presentation, including discussion. Whether you are looking to present or only want to attend, stay tuned for more information in the next newsletter!

#### PAA Social Event

If you are attending PAA this year, please join us for a social event on Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> May! We will meet from 19:30 at the BLT's at 626 N 6th Street, together with people from IPUMS, the Life Course Center and the Minnesota Population Center. We look forward to seeing you there!

### Spotlight Article

Every newsletter we will spotlight one article or working paper by a young historical demographer or researcher in an adjacent field. Would you like to have your work shared or do you know a recent paper that deserves to be spotlighted? Send an email to Joris ([joris.kok@iisg.nl](mailto:joris.kok@iisg.nl)) with information on the research you would like to see shared.

This newsletter's spotlight article is:

### **Multigenerational and Gender-Symmetric Transmission of Migration Behaviors in Historical Quebec**

Published in *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* by  
**Marielle Côté-Gendreau** (Princeton University).

You can read the full article here:

<https://www.pnas.org/doi/10.1073/pnas.2522792123>.

## **Events and Deadlines**


### **Early-Career Researcher Prize, *Population Journal***


 30 April 2026

 [Population Journal Website](#)

### **Barcelona Summer School of Demography**

Module 2: Demography with R

 CED, Barcelona

 6-10 July 2026

 30 April 2026

 CED

### **Posthumus Research Workshop**

'Mortality, Morbidity, and Medicine: Historical Health and Demography across the Atlantic'

 Groningen

 8 June 2026

 30 April 2026

 Posthumus Institute

### **GreatLeap WG5 Communications Masterclass**

 Riga

 24-28 August 2026

 30 April 2026





 GreatLeap

## **Economic History Society Research Fund for Graduate Students**




-  United Kingdom
-  1 May 2026
-  Economic History Society

## **GreatLeap Workshop**

‘Epidemics, Gender, and Public Institutions in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries’

-  University of the Balearic Islands
-  2-3 July 2026
-  1 May 2026
-  IUSSP

## **Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America (PAA 2026)**

-  St. Louis, Missouri
-  6-9 May 2026
-  PAA

## **Workshop: Modern British History and the ‘Environmental Turn’**

-  University of Oxford
-  16-17 September 2026
-  15 May 2026
-  BlueSky

## **Northern Network for Medical Humanities Research Early Career Workshop**





‘Decentring the Medical Humanities’

-  University of Stirling
-  29-30 October 2026
-  15 May 2026
-  NNMH

## **Annual Workshop on Formal Demography**

-  UC Berkeley
-  1-5 June 2026
-  26 May 2025
-  UC Berkeley

## Posthumus Summer School 'Crises and History'


 Utrecht  
 6-10 July 2026  
 1 June 2026  
 Posthumus Institute

## WaSH Workshop





'Faecal-oral diseases and 'Sanitary Revolutions' – the long view'

 Cambridge  
 15-16 June 2026  
 1 June 2026 (registration)  
 FamilyNex




## British Academy/Leverhulme Small Research Grants

 3 June 2026 | 27 May 2026 for independent scholars  
 BA

## ESTER Research Design Course for PhD Candidates





 Leuven  
 26-28 October 2026  
 15 June 2026  
 Posthumus Institute

## Society for the Social History of Medicine Annual Conference

 Leeds  
 30 June – 3 July  
 SSHM

## HEDG and SDU PhD Summer School


'Historical Perspectives on Current Economics Issues: Big Data and Applications'

 Odense  
 10-21 August 2026  
 1 July 2026  
 SDU

## Hybrid Conference

'Health and the Environment in the Preindustrial World: Multidisciplinary Approaches'


 Hybrid: Online and Monash University

 23-24 July 2026

 [Monash](#)

## Call for Papers, Journal for the History of Environment and Society

Special issue

 31 August 2026

 [Posthumus Institute](#)

## Call for Submissions BMJ Medical History Special Issue

'Race, Sexual and Reproductive Health: Histories, Inequalities, Futures'

 31 October 2026

 [mh.bmj.com](#)

## Vacancies

### Health Disparities Research Scholar Postdoctoral Fellow


 University of Wisconsin-Madison

 Open

 [Link to more information](#)

### Post-Doctoral Fellow in Latin American Spatial History

 Binghamton University, New York

 Open until filled

 [Link to more information](#)

### Postdoctoral Researcher on Family Formation Among Sexual Minorities

 NIDI

 5 May 2026

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### PhD scholarship in Sociology and Social Research

 University of Trento

 14 May 2026

 [Link to call](#)

## Tenure Track Assistant Professor position in Quantitative Sociology of Work & Labor Markets


 University Pompeu Fabra, Barcelona


 17 May 2026

 [Link to call](#)

## PhD position in Economic History

'Health Inequalities Across Time and Space in Sweden, 1968–2023: Long-Term Regional, Social and Environmental Perspectives'


 Lund, Sweden


 18 May 2026

 [LU jobs](#)

## PhD position in Economic History

'Greenspace Across the Life Course: Inequality, School Outcomes, and Later Health'

 Lund, Sweden

 18 May 2026

 [LU jobs](#)

## Professor/Associate Professor of Computational Social Sciences

 The University of Hong Kong

 31 May 2026

 [Link to More Information](#)

### Would you like to contribute?

The AYHD welcomes suggestions for collaboration or cross-promotion with researchers and institutions across the landscape of historical demography and its allied fields! Whether you are looking to promote your own research, suggest a conference social, or volunteer time on our Board, please get in touch!