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**Session 3: Quantitative approaches**

**Les Oxley** (University of Waikato): ‘Testing the predictive power of genuine savings as a long-run indicator of future well-being’.

**Matthew C. Chang** (Hsuan Chuang University, Taiwan): ‘Weather effects, order submissions and order imbalances: New evidence from Taiwan during 2000–2007’.

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**Session 4: Education**

**Alex Major** (University of Sherbrooke, Canada): ‘Education in the Paris of the East: The French mission to modify and modernise the identity of Shanghai’s Chinese elite’.

**Sok Chul Hong** (Sogang University, South Korea) and Hoyt Bleakley (University of Chicago, USA): ‘Postbellum Decline of White School Enrollment in Southern US’.

**Kitae Sohn** (Kookmin University, South Korea) and **Sun Go** (Chung-Ang University, South Korea): ‘The school attendance of black children by paternal occupation, 1870–1930’

**Sun Go and Kijoo Park** (Chung-Ang University, South Korea): ‘The elite-biased growth of elementary schooling in colonial Korea.’

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**Session 5: Institutions and human resources in industrialisation**

**Sang Yun Ryu** (LG Economic Research Institute, South Korea): ‘Coordination between colonial government and big business in 1920s and 1930s: A case of silk industry’.

**Myung Soo and Young-Jun Cho** (Seoul National University): ‘Trend in the Korean stature, 1547–1882’.

**Stephen Morgan** (University of Nottingham, UK): ‘Economic and political impact on nutritional status in early Qing China 1670–1760’.

**Chulhee Lee** (Seoul National University): ‘Intergenerational effects of in-utero exposure to the 1980 Kwangju Uprising in South Korea’.