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Jon Cooper is a PhD candidate in History at Stanford University. He is focused broadly on intellectual history in early modern Europe, with a special interest in the history of political economy in Britain and its empire. His dissertation project is provisionally entitled “Dealing with Money: A Genealogy of Economic Theology in England, 1544–1623".

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Best Graduate Teaching of an Undergraduate Seminar, Department of History, Stanford University (2022)
- Charles Schmitt Prize, International Society for Intellectual History (2020)
- Joslin Prize for Economic History, Pembroke College, Cambridge University (2018)
- Jacob Bronowski Prize, Department of History and Philosophy of Science, Cambridge University (2018)
- Peter Lipton Prize, Department of History and Philosophy of Science, Cambridge University (2018)
- Hadley History Prize, Pembroke College, Cambridge University (2017)
- Istvan Hont Prize, Faculty of History, Cambridge University (2017)
- Peter de Somogyi Memorial Prize, Pembroke College, Cambridge University (2017)
- Harvard Book Prize, Harvard Club of the United Kingdom (2014)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

- Early Career Member, Royal Historical Society (2021 - present)
- Member, North American Conference on British Studies (2019 - present)

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

- MSc, University of Cambridge , History and Philosophy of Science (2018)
- BA, University of Cambridge , History (2017)

Teaching

COURSES

2026-27

- The Invention of Society in Early Modern Britain: HISTORY 230B (Aut)

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **A science of concord: the politics of commercial knowledge in mid-eighteenth-century Britain** *Intellectual History Review*
  Cooper, J.
  2021; 31 (2): 301-320

- **Credit and the problem of trust in the thought of John Locke, c. 1668-1704** *Historial Journal*
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