

Work in progress on Agrarian and Rural History, 2000

Compiled by Bethanie Afton

- AFTON, Dr Bethanie, University of Hull
Sustainable agriculture on the Hampshire chalks, 1700–1914; sheep-corn husbandry – a systems approach to agriculture on the light lands of England, 1837–1914; farm production in English agriculture, 1700–1914 (with M. E. Turner and J. V. Beckett); land tenure in England, c. 1700–1925 (with M. E. Turner and J. V. Beckett); sustainability in English agriculture, 1500–2000 (with M. E. Turner and J. V. Beckett); landownership in the late nineteenth-century United Kingdom (with J. V. Beckett).
- ALLEN, Prof. Robert C., Nuffield College, Oxford
Decision making in the open fields; cross-European comparisons of agricultural productivity.
- ARCHER, Dr John E., Edge Hill College of Higher Education, Ormskirk
The origins and impact of the 1862 Night Poaching Prevention Act.
- ATKINS, Dr Peter, University of Durham
Nineteenth- and twentieth-century food systems; food and health, with particular reference to milk and bovine tuberculosis.
- BADCOCK, Matthew, post-graduate, University of Leicester
The geopolitics of rural landownership, 1800–1870.
- BAGSHAW, Mr Peter, University of Sussex
The value of the answers to rural enquiries in reconstructing past rural communities.
- BAILEY, Dr Mark, University of Leeds
Late medieval monastic estate management; source-based introduction to medieval manorial records.
- BAKER, Ms C. M. Ann
Evolution and genetics of domestic animals.
- BANGOR-JONES, Dr Malcolm
Social and economic history of the northern Highlands of Scotland.
- BANHAM, Debby, Wolfson College Oxford
Anglo-Saxon farms and farmers (with Rosamond Faith).
- BEAUROY, Dr Jacques, University of Paris I, Panthéon-Sorbonne
Lordship and landscape in Norfolk 1350–1610 – terriers, accounts and deeds associated with the Holkham manors.
- BECKETT, Prof. J. V., University of Nottingham
Farm production in English agriculture, 1700–1914 (with M. E. Turner and B. Afton); land tenure in England, c. 1700–1925 (with M. E. Turner and B. Afton); sustainability in English agriculture, 1500–2000 (with M. E. Turner and B. Afton); landownership in the late nineteenth century United Kingdom (with B. Afton).
- BENDALL, Dr Sarah, Merton College, Oxford
Large scale local maps and map-makers of Great Britain and Ireland, 1530–1850.
- BIGMORE, Dr Peter, University of Middlesex
Conflict resolution and the removal of woodland in seventeenth-century Hertfordshire; financing the country estate: Panshanger, Hertfordshire in the late nineteenth century.
- BIRRELL, Ms Jean, University of Birmingham
The use of forests and parks in medieval England, in particular for hunting.
- BRASSLEY, Mr Paul, Seale-Hayne, University of Plymouth
Technical change in UK agriculture in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries; animal diseases in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries; the history of the pig.
- BRIGDEN, Dr R. D., Rural History Centre, University of Reading
Farming and the countryside between the two World Wars; farming in partnership: The Leckford Estate and the pursuit of profit in inter-war agriculture.
- BRITNELL, Prof. Richard, University of Durham
Settlement, rural society, field, moors, and agricultural practices in the Palatinate of Durham 1100–1550; economic history of Britain, 1000–1530; north-eastern landscape history, 1000–1530.
- BROAD, Dr John, University of North London
London's rural hinterland; rural poverty and housing 1600–1850; agriculture and society in wood-pasture regions; geography of rural dissent.

- BROOK, Mrs Shirley, post-graduate, University of Hull
The buildings of high farming in Lincolnshire.
- BROOKENY, Ass. Prof. Tom, University of Otago, New Zealand
Land settlements and special Scottish contributions; rural New Zealand society and environmental history – comparing New Zealand and English farmers' unions 1900–1929.
- BROWN, Dr David, City College, Norwich
New men of wealth and the purchase of land; peddling and industrialization; squatter colonies; management of landed estates; motives for parliamentary enclosure.
- BROWN, Dr Jonathan, University of Reading
British agriculture from 1850; marketing and market towns.
- BURCHARDT, Dr Jeremy, Rural History Centre, University of Reading
Rural leisure in the early twentieth century; village halls in England; allotments in England; English rural society in the interwar period; attitudes to the countryside since the industrial revolution.
- BURNETTE, Dr Joyce, Wabash College, Crawfordsville, U.S.A.
Wage and employment patterns of day-labourers in the early nineteenth century.
- CAMERON, Dr Ewen A., University of Edinburgh
Scottish agriculture since 1918; the Scottish highlands nineteenth and twentieth centuries.
- CAMPBELL, Prof. Bruce M. S., Queen's University, Belfast
Lordship, land-use, and agriculture in late medieval England with particular reference to the early fourteenth century: a comparative agrarian history of the North Sea region.
- CARTER, Dr Paul, Public Record Office
Waged labour and material benefits from customary rights in the countryside; opposition to enclosure in England and Wales, c. 1500–1900.
- CAUNCE, Dr Stephen, University of Central Lancashire
The contribution of northern English agriculture to industrialization, 1700–1900, and especially the relationship between agriculture and industry in Pennine West Yorkshire; farm mechanisation in north-eastern England, 1850–1914; farm service in the north of England, 1850–1950, and its contribution to agricultural progress there.
- CHALKLIN, Dr C. W.
Rural society and economy of Tonbridge and neighbouring parishes in Kent and Sussex Weald, 1550–1750.
- CHAPMAN, Dr John, University of Portsmouth
Impact of Queen Anne's Bounty on landownership; enclosure in England and Wales, 1700–1900.
- CHARTRES, Prof. J. A., University of Leeds
The English distilling industry, its system of supply, and its markets, c. 1600–c. 1840; markets and domestic trade in seventeenth, eighteenth and nineteenth century England; distributive and urban system of eighteenth century England.
- CLARK, Prof. Gregory, University of California, Davis, U.S.A.
Agricultural productivity in England, 1200–1913; rural living standards in England, 1200–1860; effects of institutional reform – enclosure, tithes, poor law; medieval grain markets.
- CLUTTON-BROCH (Jewell), Dr Juliet, Natural History Museum, London
Archaeozoology and the early history of domesticated mammals.
- COLLINS, Prof. E. J. T., University of Reading
Farming techniques and labour productivity, 1800–1950; rural industries in England and Wales, post 1945; landownership in Berkshire and Oxfordshire, 1500–1914 (with M. Havinden).
- CONWAY, Prof. Gordon, Rockefeller Foundation, New York, U.S.A.
Ecology of Roman Agriculture.
- COOPER, Dr Janet, Victoria County History, Essex
Agrarian and other history of Essex parishes – Lexden Hundred (with C. C. Thornton and S. Dargan).
- COX, Dr David, Shropshire Records and Research Centre; Victoria County History, Shropshire
The economic, institutional, and social history of several parishes in and around the Weald Moors in north-east Shropshire, a wetland landscape.
- CRAGOE, Dr Matthew, University of Hertfordshire
The farmer in Britain; politics and religion in the Welsh countryside.
- CROWLEY, Dr Douglas, Victoria County History, Wiltshire
Agrarian and other history of Wiltshire, Calne, Highworth, Cricklade and Staple Hundreds (with C. Smith).
- CUNNINGHAM, Prof. Griffiths L., York University, Toronto, Canada
Allotment garden history of England.
- DALTON, Dr Roger T., University of Derby
Agricultural change in Derbyshire and the adjacent counties since the late eighteenth century – with particular reference to dairying.
- DARGAN, Mrs Shirley, Victoria County History, Essex
Agrarian and other history of Essex parishes – Lexden Hundred (with J. Cooper and C. C. Thornton).
- DEWEY, Dr Peter, Royal Holloway
The history of the United Kingdom agricultural engineering industry, 1800–2000.
- DILLEY, Dr Robert, Lakehead University, Thunderbay, Ontario, Canada
The uses, significance and enclosure of common lands in Cumberland.
- DODDS, Mr Benjamin, University of Durham
Agricultural output on Durham Priory Estates, 1350–1450.

- DUNCAN, Dr Colin A. M., McGill University, Canada
Customs of the county that specified rotations and soil treatment, including legal cases of landlord/tenant dispute for every county and any period.
- DUNNING, Robert, Victoria County History, Somerset
Victoria County History of Somerset – Parishes of Bruton, Charlton Horethorne and Norton Ferris, and parishes of Glastonbury and Whitley Hundreds, Mid-Somerset (with M. Siraut).
- DYER, Prof. Christopher, University of Birmingham
Rural settlement – prehistoric to modern; transitions in late medieval society/economy; material culture; town and country in the late Middle Ages.
- DYMOND, Dr David P., Board of Continuing Education, University of Cambridge
Glebe terriers in the seventeenth century, including tithe customs, management of the glebe, and agrarian history in general; late medieval enclosure in East Anglia.
- EDGAR, Mr Michael, University of Southampton
Social and economic history of rural England in the nineteenth century, especially Dorset; demography of nineteenth-century Dorset.
- EDWARDS, Dr Peter, Roehampton Institute, London
The role of the horse in early modern British society.
- ELLIOTT, Mr Gordon
Agricultural history of the lake counties with special reference to field systems and the progress of enclosures.
- ENGLISH, Judie, Surrey Archaeological Society
Saxon and early medieval settlement in the Weald of west Surrey.
- EVERITT, Prof. A. M., University of Leicester
History, extent, and land usage of common land in England, c. 1000–1960 – including place-names, topography and occupations of commoners; heathlands, woodlands, and other wastes. Wild England: aspects of agrarian society.
- EWBANK, Mr Roger, Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons
A history of the New Edinburgh Veterinary College (the Williams Veterinary College) 1873–1904 and its move to Liverpool University in 1904.
- FAITH, Rosamond, Asnac, Cambridge
Anglo-Saxon farms and farmers (with Debby Banham).
- FISHER, Dr John, University of Newcastle, Australia
Veterinary history: control of contagious bovine pleuro-pneumonia through inoculation; farmers and rural sport.
- FLANAGAN, Mr James
Assessment of the value of traditional field boundaries in South Yorkshire as an historical archive and their potential to enhance public perception of local landscape history.
- FORSTER, Mr G. C. F., University of Leeds
County government in Tudor and Stuart Yorkshire.
- FOSTER, Joan, post-graduate, University of Newcastle
An inquiry into the lives of working children in rural Northumberland, 1834–1882.
- FOX, Mr Alan W., post-graduate, University of Leicester
Patterns of belonging around part of the border between Leicestershire and Lincolnshire from 1700 to 1810.
- FOX, Dr H. S. A., University of Leicester
Origins of fishing villages; the social history of settlement in medieval Devon; transhumance in Dartmoor; medieval demography of west-country manors.
- FOX, Mr Norman
“Berkshire to Botany Bay”, the causes and consequences of the threshing machine riots of 1830.
- FRANKLIN, Dr Peter
Economic, social and demographic history of the peasant community of Thornbury Manor, Gloucestershire, in the later Middle Ages.
- GALLOWAY, Dr James A., Institute of Historical Research, London
Trade in agrarian produce, c. 1300–1600; town and country relations, c. 1300–1600; prices and market structures c. 1300–1600.
- GLASS, Mr Richard, post-graduate, Anglia Polytechnic University
High hopes and high farming: Suffolk agriculture 1830–1914.
- GOOCH, Ms Jayne, Museum of East Anglian Life
Ransomes Heritage Project – research on the agricultural engineering company in Ipswich and how their products effected the community.
- GRACE, Mr David, Beaufort School, Gloucester
The origins and development of the agricultural engineering industry in England and Wales.
- GRIGG, Dr D. B., University of Sheffield
Geography and history of food consumption.
- GRITT, Dr Andrew J., University of Central Lancashire
The memoranda books of Basil Thomas Eccleston, 1757–1789; agricultural labour force in Britain, 1770–1851; aspects of agrarian change in south-west Lancashire, c. 1650–1850.
- HAGEN, Ms Ann, University of Cambridge
Anglo-Saxon food and drink – the agricultural background.
- HAGGERTY, Mr Martin
English landscapes and identities (contested heritage), with special reference to twentieth-century literature and topographical writing.
- HALLAS, Dr C. S., Trinity and All Saints, University of Leeds
Poverty and self-help in upland regions of England and Wales; study of friendly societies in upland regions – initially the Yorkshire Dales.

- HARE, Dr J. N., Peter Symonds' College, Winchester
Social and economic history, especially agrarian history of southern England (particularly Hampshire and Wiltshire), c. 1350–1520.
- HARRIS, Dr Simon J., University of Durham
Settlement and waste in the Palatinate of Durham, 1150–1550.
- HARRISON, B. J. D., University of Leeds
The estates of St Swithun's Priory, Winchester, 1248–1340; medieval field systems in Yorkshire; rural vernacular buildings in Yorkshire before c. 1750.
- HARVEY, Prof. P. D. A., University of Durham
Rural and agrarian history of England, eleventh – fifteenth centuries.
- HATHAWAY, Mr Mark, post-graduate, Kellogg College, University Of Oxford
Aspects of leisure in West Oxfordshire, 1850–1914.
- HAVINDEN, Mr Michael, University of Reading
Landownership in Berkshire and Oxfordshire, 1500–1914 (with E. J. T. Collins).
- HAY, Prof. David, University of Sheffield
Social and economic history of south Yorkshire and north Derbyshire; English surnames.
- HAYFIELD, Dr Colin
The archaeology and history of rural settlement and land use on the high wolds of east Yorkshire and in north Warwickshire.
- HENWOOD, Mr Christopher, post-graduate, University of Plymouth
The role and status of eighteenth-century overseers of the poor in Cornwall.
- HERBERT, Dr Nicholas, Victoria County History, Gloucestershire
Victoria County History of Gloucestershire, the North-leach Area; Highmeadow in Newland and Staunton, Gloucestershire: study of a deserted hamlet – medieval to eighteenth century; Woolridge, Hartpury, Gloucestershire: study of a squatter settlement, 1700–1850.
- HINDE, Dr P. R. A., University of Southampton
Poor law and rural depopulation in Southern England, 1800–1900; social and demographic history of Dorset; migration and the nineteenth-century rural community.
- HINDLE, Dr Steve, University of Warwick
Death, alms and the crisis of the 1590s.
- HIPKIN, Dr Stephen, Canterbury Christ Church University College
Landownership, land occupation and social structure in the Romney Marsh region, c. 1580–1800; Custom and popular protest in early modern Kent.
- HIRAMATSU, Prof. Hiroshi, University of Aoyama Gakuin, Tokyo, Japan
A comparative study of the history of commons – England, Northern Europe and Japan.
- HODGES, Mr C., University of Glamorgan
A study of the dry stone building technique – looking at derelict farmhouses in a south Wales valley.
- HOLLAND, Mr Michael, University of Essex
Rural survival and social crime in Essex, 1783–1851.
- HOLMES, Dr Heather, Napier University, Edinburgh
Scottish lowland agricultural history, nineteenth and twentieth centuries; social history of Irish migratory potato workers; housing of seasonal agricultural workers; social and economic history of the potato harvest in the Lothians.
- HOLT, Jennifer, University of Lancaster
The Diaries of Thomas Wilson Fenwick: landowner in Burrow in Lonsdale, Nunriding (Northumberland); Economic diversity and decline, Roeburndale, an upland case study, 1550–1850.
- HOWKINS, Prof. Alun J., University of Sussex
Social history of rural England and Wales, 1900–2000; the small peasant farmer in Britain after 1850; regional cultures of labouring life; resistance to enclosure after 1850.
- HOYLE, Prof. R. W., Rural History Centre, University of Reading
Social change in Pennine communities, the transition from peasant to capitalist agricultural systems; British rural history, 1350–1750; Tenurial systems 1350–2000 in the British Isles.
- HUDSON, Dr Tim, Victoria County History, Sussex
Agrarian and other history of West Sussex parishes north of a line from Bognor Regis to Worthing.
- HUMPHRIES, Mr Andrew, post-graduate, University of Lancaster
The development of agricultural education from 1840 – national and international context with a north of England case study; common lands in northern England – historical and contemporary links.
- HUNT, Dr E. H., London School of Economics
Essex agriculture c. 1850–1914 (with S. J. Pam); agricultural performance in Great Britain, 1873–1914.
- HUNTER, Mr Alan
Change and inter-relationship of people and agriculture in rural Bedfordshire with especial reference to the Wrest estate, c. 1700 to c. 1950.
- HURREN, Dr Elizabeth, University College, Northampton
Poor law politics and the crusade against outrelief in England 1870–1900.
- JENNINGS, Prof. Bernard, University of Hull
Farming and the rural landscape (series on Exploring Historic Yorkshire).
- JONES, Dr Anthea
A thousand years of the English parish.
- JONES, Mrs Judith
Gelligaer and Merthyr Common, South Wales, use

- and administration from the Middle Ages to the present day.
- JONES, Prof. Melvyn, Sheffield Hallam University
Landscape change on the Watson-Wentworth County Wicklow Estate, Ireland; woodland history in South Yorkshire and the North Midlands; the making of the South Yorkshire landscape.
- KAIN, Prof. Roger J. P., University of Exeter
History of English maps and mapping (focusing at present on enclosure maps of England and Wales).
- KENNEDY, Prof. Liam, Queen's University, Belfast
Marriage in rural Ireland, nineteenth Century; cost of living index: Ireland 1750-1914; pre-famine Irish economy.
- KIRK, Mrs Jayne, University of Sussex
The supply and utilisation of vernacular building timber in the Sussex Weald, 1500-1800.
- LANE, Barry, Somerset Archaeological and Natural History Society
Origins of the 'Old Auster' tenements; historical geography of Westbury-sub-Mendip, Somerset.
- LANGLEY, Miss Celia, University of Exeter
Family farming in the twentieth Century: a study of the Camelford rural district in north Cornwall.
- LANGTON, Dr John, St John's College and School of Geography, University of Oxford
English forests, c. 1600-1850; rural poor relief in eighteenth and nineteenth century Oxfordshire.
- LEE, Mr Robert J., University of Leicester
The Anglian clergy and rural society - Norfolk 1815-1914.
- LOCKHART, Dr D. G., University of Keele
Lotted lands and part-time farming in villages in north-east Scotland and the Scottish Highlands.
- MARSTON, Mrs Lynn, postgraduate, University of Leicester
The town and manor of Glastonbury in the middle ages - including rural landholding, farming and marketing.
- MARTIN, Dr J. M.
Micro-studies of living standards and demographic patterns 1700-1870: family reconstruction case-studies of parish groups in Cirencester, Tetbury, Stow, Dean Forest and Bedworth.
- MARTIN, Dr John, De Montfort University, Leicester
The development of British agriculture and the rural economy in the twentieth century with particular reference to the role of government policies.
- MASTERS, Mr Philip, University of Leicester
The Saxon and Norman church in West Sussex: relationship between form, siting, and status of churches and effects of the Norman Conquest on church organisation.
- MEREDITH, Anne, University of Sussex
Middle-class women and agriculture 1890-1939, including agricultural education, and women's participation in horticulture, dairying, and poultry-keeping.
- MILLS, Dr Dennis
Landownership in eighteenth through twentieth centuries - especially the Sibthorpe estates in Lincolnshire, Hertfordshire, Devon and Oxfordshire; dispersal of farmsteads.
- MOISA, Dr M. A., Yorkshire Archaeological Society
The Wakefield court rolls 1274-1352: roads to impoverishment.
- MOORE-COLYER, Prof. R. J., University of Wales, Aberystwyth
The agricultural and social history of rural Northamptonshire; rural society in Wales c. 1800-1945; H. J. Massingham, Rolf Gardiner and the 'Kinship in Husbandry'; Inter-War Britain
- MORRIS, Mr Bernard, The Gower Society
Gabriel Powell's Survey of Gower, 1764; Duke of Beaufort's manorial rights, holdings and tenants - detailed compilation by steward of Duke's Gower Lordship.
- MÜLLER, Miriam, University of Birmingham
A comparative study of peasant mentalities, cultures and lord-tenant relationships in two rural communities in the fourteenth century; Brandon, Suffolk and Badbury, Wiltshire.
- OVERTON, Prof. Mark, University of Exeter
Production and consumption in English households, 1600-1750; agrarian history of England, 1250-1939.
- OWEN, Mr Arthur E. B., Cambridge University Library
History of land drainage and coastal erosion to c. 1650, especially in Lincolnshire and eastern England.
- PAGE, Dr Mark, University of Birmingham
Medieval settlement and landscape in the Whittlewood area; the peasant land market in Medieval England; the estate of the Bishopric of Winchester; medieval Cornwall
- PAM, Mr S. J., London School of Economics
Essex agriculture, c. 1850-1914 (with E. H. Hunt).
- PERREN, Dr Richard, University of Aberdeen
History of the international meat trade since 1800; agricultural servicing and processing trade since 1800.
- PHILLIPS, Dr A. D. M., University of Keele
Provision of farm buildings in England, 1850-1900; capital investments in British agriculture in the nineteenth century; cropping and agricultural land use in England, 1815-75.
- PHILLIPS, Mr Paul
Transport of agricultural products by rail.
- PINCHES, Mrs Sylvia Margaret, post-graduate, University of Leicester
Law, structure and meaning: voluntary and endowed charities in Warwickshire in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries.

- PITCAIRN, Mr Ian, undergraduate, Open University
Farm histories of farms in Suffolk, Norfolk, Essex and Cambridgeshire.
- POPHAM, Mr John, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk
Sir Christopher Sykes Bt, 1749–1801: improving land-owner in East Yorkshire.
- POWELL, Mr Bob, Highland Folk Museum, Kingussie, Inverness-shire
The breeds, history and use of heavy horses, including associated lore, horsemen's societies, and trades, particularly regional harness making, c. 1800–2000.
- PRATT, Mr D.
Abbey property at dissolution; Wrexham, 1388–91; Valle Crucis Abbey charters, 1200–54.
- PRINCE, Dr Hugh, University College, London
Landscape gardens in England; tithe surveys and local history; H. C. Darby and English historical geography.
- PURCHON, Mrs Jenny
Parliamentary enclosure in Bedfordshire, 1780–1832 with particular reference to commutation of tithes and extinction of common rights.
- ROBERTS, Dr I. D., University of Durham
Life and works of A. B. Freeman Mitford, Lord Redesdale, Northumbrian landowner; journal of James Hedley of Bewshaugh, Northumbrian farmer; social and economic history of rural Northumberland and the Borders.
- ROBERTS, Mr Peter
Minstead a New Forest village in the seventeenth century: a social and economic history.
- ROTHERHAM, Dr Ian D., Sheffield Hallam University
The cultural history and environmental impact of the use of peatlands (heaths, commons, moors, bogs and fens) with particular reference to fuel; the landscape and environmental history of South Yorkshire (part of the South Yorkshire Biodiversity Research Programme); landscape ecology and archaeology of peatlands and of woodlands in the United Kingdom; the history of the utilisation of woodlands for charcoal other products, including social and environmental consequences.
- SHAW-TAYLOR, Dr Leigh M. W., Jesus College, University of Cambridge
Common rights, enclosure and rural proletarianization 1600–1850.
- SHEAIL, Dr John, Centre for Ecology and Hydrology, Monks Wood & University of Loughborough
Environmental history of the United Kingdom in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries, with special reference to the management of watercourses, emergence of policies for managing the natural environment, and the interface between public policy and the environmental sciences.
- SHEPPARD, Dr David, postgraduate, University of Leicester
Medieval and early modern landscapes of Allesley, Coundon and Stoneleigh parishes in the Warwickshire Arden.
- SHORT, Prof. Brian, University of Sussex
Agrarian change in nineteenth- and twentieth-century Sussex; state intervention in wartime farming; surveillance in the English countryside in World War II.
- SIRAUT, Mary, Victoria County History, Somerset
Victoria County History of Somerset – parishes of Bruton, Charlton Horethorne and Norton Ferris, and Parishes of Glastonbury and Whitley Hundreds, Mid-Somerset (with R. Dunning).
- SMITH, Carrie, Victoria County History, Wiltshire
Agrarian and other history of Wiltshire, Calne, Highworth, Cricklade and Staple Hundreds (with D. Crowley).
- SMITH, Dr Richard M., University of Cambridge
The manor court and economic and social relations in rural England; the Old Poor Law and rural demographic change, 1600–1834.
- SPUFFORD, Prof. Margaret, University of Surrey
The Hearth Taxes of the 1660s and '70s (series of county volumes including maps which will build up to map the density of households, etc., country-wide); seventeenth-century clothing below the gentry level.
- STANES, R.
Braunton Great Field – a question of survival.
- STEAD, Mr D. R., Nuffield College, University of Oxford
The business of farming, c. 1700–1850, with particular reference to land tenure, rent, parliamentary enclosure and agricultural productivity.
- STEVENS, Mrs Sheila
Non-parliamentary enclosure, 1500–1750.
- STEWART, Mr Philip C.
The Foster Papers: a synopsis of environmental information, 1879–1893 (based on the daily activities of the head game keeper of a large upland estate in North Wales).
- TALL, Mrs Janet, University of Lancaster
The development of agricultural education in Somerset, c. 1865–1914.
- TANN, Prof. Jennifer, University of Birmingham
Corn milling; water powered, steam powered and co-operative.
- THEOBALD, Dr J. A., University of East Anglia
The changing landscape and economy of woodland High Suffolk, 1600–1850.
- THICK, Mr Malcolm
Life and work of Sir Hugh Platt (including his writings on agriculture, gardening and food); market gardening in England, 1500–1800.

- THIRSK, Dr Joan, St Hilda's College, University of Oxford
Food history and dietary change, 1500–1750; Gervase Markham's works and farming; horticulture and poultry keeping, 1500–1750; regional farming systems, 1500–1750.
- THOMPSON, Mr David, Gwynedd Archaeological Trust
Landscape history and characterisation of Northwest Wales, particularly the Llyn Peninsula.
- THORNTON, Dr Christopher C., University of Essex;
Victoria County History, Essex
Manorial domestic and farm buildings; agriculture 1200–1400, especially productivity, profitability, technology, and standards of living; rural society and farming in Essex and Somerset; agrarian and other history of Essex parishes – Lexden Hundred (with J. Cooper and S. Dargan).
- TURNER, Prof. Michael E., University of Hull
Farm production in English agriculture, 1700–1914 (with J. V. Beckett and B. Afton); sustainability in English agriculture, 1500–2000 (with J. V. Beckett and B. Afton); land tenure in England, c. 1700–1925 (with J. V. Beckett and B. Afton); Escrick Park – the evolution of an estate.
- UPTON, Mrs Penelope, postgraduate, University of Leicester
Rural depopulation in late medieval Warwickshire by means of a social and economic exploration of the manors in that county belonging to the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield.
- VERDON, Dr Nicola, Rural History Centre, University of Reading
Changing patterns of women's employment in the English countryside from c. 1790 to 1900, with special reference to eastern England and different regional patterns across England.
- VIRGOE, Mr John M., postgraduate, University of Liverpool
Eighteenth-century change and its impact on the communities and landscape of southwest Lancashire.
- WADE-MARTINS, Dr S., University of East Anglia
Study of the farming landscape, particularly farm buildings; landscapes of improvement and model farms of the eighteenth and nineteenth century.
- WALTON, Dr John R., University of Wales, Aberystwyth
Absentee interests, title disputes and parliamentary enclosure; provisioning Britain, 1750–1950.
- WATKINS, Dr Andrew, University of Birmingham
Social and agrarian history of the Forest of Arden, Warwickshire, c. 1300–1600; Production and management of medieval cattle.
- WATKINS, Dr Charles, University of Nottingham
National Farm Survey 1941–3; forest history, 1600–2000.
- WELLS, Prof. Roger, Christ Church University College, Canterbury
South-eastern English rural communities, with particular emphasis on social protest, poverty and policing – early eighteenth to early twentieth century.
- WHITTLE, Dr Jane, University of Exeter
Rural economy and society in England from the thirteenth to eighteenth centuries, especially labour and landholding, the role of women, and the transition to capitalism.
- WHYTE, Prof. Ian, University of Lancaster
Parliamentary enclosure and related agricultural, social, and landscape change in Cumbria.
- WILKYN, Mr Neil R.
Aspects of a pre-enclosure farm at Barrow upon Humber, 1714–41 – evidence from the farming account book of Laurence Wilkin of Barrow.
- WILSON, Avice R.
The history of the Wiltshire agricultural worker from prehistory to 1950.
- WINCHESTER, Dr Angus J. L., University of Lancaster
Pastoral farming in upland Northern England, 1400–1700; domestic fuel supply, medieval to modern; manor courts and management of common land in upland environments.
- WINSTANLEY, Dr Michael, University of Lancaster
The changing structure of the agricultural workforce in England, c. 1851–1911 (a census-based, comparative regional study of the changing composition of the workforce with particular reference to family members); the geography and decline of poaching in late Victorian England – an exploration of the spatial diffusion and declining incidence of poaching offences c. 1860–1910 (with Harvey Osborne).
- WOOD, Ms Gill, postgraduate, University of Leeds
Field arrangements in the West Riding of Yorkshire in the High Middle Ages.
- WOOD, Dr Andy, University of East Anglia
Rebellion and popular political culture, c. 1500–1800 – custom and identity; authority, power and resistance; popular senses of the past.
- WOODWARD, Prof. Donald M., University of Hull
Servants in husbandry in early modern England – a reconsideration.
- YATES, Dr Margaret, Rural History Centre, University of Reading
Town and countryside in West Berkshire, c. 1400–1600.