

## The Alice Murray Distinguished Scholar Medal

The Alice Murray Distinguished Scholar Medal will be awarded annually by the Centre for Economics, Policy, and History (CEPH) to an economic historian who has made a major contribution to the discipline. The recipient will be invited to give the Alice Murray Distinguished Scholar Lecture, where the medal will be formally presented.

Dr Alice Effie Murray (1877-1951) was an economic historian who studied the history of commercial and financial relations between England and Ireland. When she received her D.Sc. Econ. in 1903 for her doctorate on the topic, she became the first woman to receive a degree from the London School of Economics. Her thesis was subsequently published by P. S. King in 1907.

The recipient is chosen by the directors of CEPH in consultation with its advisory board.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Berg, M. (1992). 'The first women economic historians.' *Economic History Review*, 45, pp.308-29.