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Ebb and Flow of a Not-for-profit Alternative within the Land of Financial Capitalism

British Building Societies 1970-2010

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Great Britain is still struggling with the consequences of the 2007-08 financial crisis and leads us to ask: Are alternatives within an isomorphic financial industry possible? Olivier Butzbach answers this question with reference to British building societies and their transformation over the past 50 years.

Olivier Butzbach is a researcher in Economics at the University of Campania “Luigi Vanvitelli” (Italy). His work is interdisciplinary and focuses on long- and medium-term transformations of not-for-profit banks in Europe, applying concepts and methods from economics and sociology to the historical emergence, development and decline of alternative organizational forms in the financial industry.

Everyone is welcome to attend.