

# Political economy, tax and real world change with Andre...

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With permission from both Professor Andrew Baker of Sheffield University politics department and my old friend and colleague John Christensen, I [provide this link to a video](#) that the three of us made for use as the concluding lecture of the term in a masters course on political economy being taught by Andrew at Sheffield.

I am sorry that I cannot embed this as that does not seem to work, but if you follow the link you can have an hour and seven minutes of the three of us talking about political economy, tax and real-world change as well as the influences that led all of us to work in this field.

As Andrew said after the recording:

*You can have all the political economy insight and knowledge in the world, but if you just critique and don't offer practical solutions and tools you are not much use to anyone. I don't see much point in being in the field of Political Economy unless you are prepared to practice it.*

I agree with him.

If you want to know more of Andrew's thinking there is also [an excellent interview with him just out in the Real World Economic Review.](#)