History of Technology: Making of Europe

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History of Science – History of Technology

- Similarities:
- professionals are interested in the findings
- scientists as well as engineers get to write the history
- ... and are respected for that
- Differences:
- Science may sometimes be done without instruments (maths)
- Technology involves heavy investments and society (design)
- ... scientific development may influence technology and vice versa

History of technology

- Nuts and bolts
- Social construction of technology
- Trevor Pinch
- Medium is the message.
- Do artefacts have politics?

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