Global Economic Recovery: 
The Role of China and Other Emerging Economies

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Programme

Sunday 11 July (St Anne’s College)

4:00 – 6:00 pm Registration:
Coffee and Refreshment

Monday 12 July (Engineering Dept. Building)

9:00 – 10:00 Registration
8:30 – 9:40 PhD Colloquium (DSS 1 to 5)

10:00 – 11:00 Opening Ceremony
Chair: Xiaolan Fu, Oxford University, President-elect, CEA (Europe/UK)

10:00 – 10:10 Welcome Address: William Hamilton (Vice Chancellor, Oxford University), Valpy FitzGerald (Director of ODID, Oxford University)

10:10 – 10:20 Welcome Address: Xiaoming Liu (Ambassador of China to the UK, TBC)

10:20 – 10:30 Presidential Address: Jinghai Zheng (Gothenburg University, President, CEA)

10:30 – 11:10 Keynote Speech: Supachai Panitchpakdi (Secretary-General, UNCTAD) 
Rebalancing Global Growth: the Role of China and emerging economies

11:10 – 11:30 Tea/Coffee

11:30 – 13:00 PLENARY SESSION 1: Economic crisis and emerging economies
Chair: Xiaolan Fu (Oxford University, President-elect, CEA (Europe/UK)

11:30 – 12:00 Global financial crisis and emerging economies: impact and responses
Valpy FitzGerald (Director of ODID, Oxford University)

12:00 – 12:30 China's new deal: How to respond to international financial crisis
Angang Hu (Director of China Studies Centre, Tsinghua University)
12:30–13:00 Shock and Recovery in China’s Labor Market: Flexibility in the Face of a Global Financial Crisis  
Albert Park (Oxford University)

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch Break

14:00 – 15:30 PLENARY SESSION 2: China’s rise and the world economy

Chair: Andrew Dilnot (Pro-Vice Chancellor, Oxford University)

14:00-14:30 Innovation Capacity-building towards 2020 in China  
Rongping Mu (Director of Institute of Policy and Management, Chinese Academy of Science)

14:30-15:00 Has China de-industrialised other developing countries?  
Adrian Wood (Oxford University)

15:00-15:30 Panel discussion: The role of emerging economies in global economic prosperity  
John Knight (Oxford), Carl Dahlman (Georgetown), Pierre Mohnen (UNU-MERIT)

15:30 – 16:00 Tea/Coffee

16:00-18:00 Parallel Sessions A 1 to 5

18:10-19:00 General Annual Meeting

19:30-21:30 Conference Dinner  
Dinner Speaker: Laixiang Sun (SOAS), Frank Pieke (Oxford University), Guy Liu (JCEBS Editor)

Tuesday 13 July (Manor Road Building)

9:00-10:30 Parallel Sessions B 1 to 7 & Special Section

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-13:00 Parallel Sessions C 1 to 7 & Special Section

13:00-14:00 Lunch Break

14:00-15:30 Parallel Sessions D 1 to 7 & Special Section

15:30-16:00 Coffee break

16:00-17:40 PhD Colloquium (DSS 6 to 12) & Special Section
**Monday, 12th July, Engineering Department Building**

**Session A1 The Sustainability of Miracles (Lecture Room 1)**
Chair: Patrick Reinmoeller (Warwick University)

China’s Growth Potential in Comparison with the US and the European Union  
*Jinghai Zheng (University of Gothenburg)*

Complexity Perspective: UK and China  
*Boisot, M. (University of Catalunya)*

Japan's Creative Response to the Double Crisis in the 1970s  
*Yonekura, S. (Hitotsubashi University)*

Market Design in Chinese Market Places  
*Krug, B. (Rotterdam School of Management)*

Miracles and Learning Opportunities  
*Patrick Reinmoeller (Warwick University)*

**Session A2 Macro Economy (Lecture Room 2)**
Chair: Haiyan Song (Hong Kong Polytechnic University)

China's High Savings Rate: Myths and Reality  
*Guonan Ma (Bank for International Settlements)*
*Yi Wang (People's Bank of China)*

What Determine China’s Inflation?  
*Huang Yiping (Peking University)*  
*Wang Xun (Peking University)*  
*Hua Xiuping (China Finance 40 Forum)*

An Evaluation of Different Proposals and a Trade-off Solution to the Reform of RMB Exchange Rate Regime  
*Bin Zhang (Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, and China Finance 40 Forum)*  
*Xiuping Hua (Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, and China Finance 40 Forum)*

Keynes in Beijing: The Savings-Investment Relation in China in Light of Global Imbalances  
*Andrew M. Fischer (Erasmus University)*

**Session A3 Trade, FDI and Globalisation (Lecture Room 3)**
Chair: Eric Thun (Oxford University)

Global rebalancing: effects on trade flows and employment in China and other emerging economies  
*Joerg Mayer (UNCTAD)*

The Effects of Taiwan’s Outward FDI on Home Country R&D Activities: The Roles of Locations and Industry Characteristics
Jeremy Clegg (Leeds University)  
Chengqi Wang (Nottingham University)  
Wen Chung Hsu (Leeds University)  

Internationalisation of Chinese MNEs during the Global Financial Crisis: Opportunities for Pursuing Strategic Asset-Seeking Outward Foreign Direct Investment?  
Lutao Ning (Durham University)  

Corporate Governance, Internationalisation and Firm Value: The Case of China  
Jian Chen (Nottingham University)  
Roger Strange (Kings College, University of London)  

Session A4 Innovation, Technology and Industrial Development (Lecture Room 7)  
Chair: Andrew Tylecote (Sheffield University)  

Complementarity between Internal Knowledge Creation and External Knowledge Sourcing: Evidence From Chinese Manufacturing Firms  
Jun Hou (UNU-MERIT and University of Maastricht)  
Pierre Mohnen (UNU-MERIT and University of Maastricht)  

Technology Spillovers and the Evolution of Inter-Regional Industrial Structure in China  
Enjun Xia (Beijing Institute of Technology)  
Xiaohui Liu (Loughborough University)  

Knowledge Capital, Endogenous Growth and Regional Disparities in Productivity: Multi-level Evidences from China  
Xiaolan Fu (Oxford University)  
Yundan Gong (Aston University)  
Shujin Zhu (Hunan University)  

Do Intellectual Property Rights Impede or Assist Developing Country Firms in Reaching Technological Competitiveness? Case Studies of Three Chinese Manufacturing Firms  
Andrew Tylecote (University of Sheffield)  
Xiao Yangao (UESTC)  
Jiajia Liu (Manchester Business School)  

Session A5 Inequality and Development (Faculty conference room, 8th floor)  
Chair: Christine Wong (Oxford University)  

Electoral Accountability and the Provision of Public Goods in Rural China  
Laixiang Sun (SOAS, University of London)  

Urban and Rural Household Savings in China: Determinants and Policy Implications  
Riccardo Cristadoro (Bank of Italy)  
Daniela Marconi (Bank of Italy)  

Inequality and Productivity Growth in China  
Paul Deng (Copenhagen Business School)  
Gary Jefferson (Brandeis University)  


Redistribution and Government Tactical Behaviour: An Analysis of Local Public Expenditure in China after 1994 Tax Reform

Gabriele Guggiola (University of Insubria)

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Dinner Speaker: Laixiang Sun (SOAS), Frank Pieke (Oxford University), Guy Liu (JCEBS Editor)
Tuesday 13th July 2010: Manor Road Building

9:00-10:30 Parallel Sessions B

**Session B1: China and the world economy (Lecture Room 1)**
Chair: Osaka Kayasan (European Research Centre, UK)

Bubbles, Froth and Substance: World Recession, World Recovery, Developing Countries and the China Factor
*Kenneth Jackson (University of Auckland)*

Emerging New Rules of the Globalisation: Strategic Pragmatism of Emerging Countries
*Osaka Kayasan (European Research Centre, UK)*

Global Challenges from the Rapid Rise of China
*Carl J. Dahlman (Georgetown University)*

**Session B2: Trade, FDI and Globalisation (Seminar Room A)**
Chair: Valeria Gattai (University of Milan-Bicocca)

Dissecting Chinese ODI: Dragon Multinationals in Italy
*Valeria Gattai (University of Milan-Bicocca)*

“Transnational Thermals”: A Discussion of the Interaction of The Combined Effects of Outward FDI Via Chinese SOEs and the Chinese Diaspora to The United States and Other Advanced Economies
*Peter J. Dowling (La Trobe University)*
*Allen D. Engle, Sr. (Eastern Kentucky University)*

The Dynamics of Globalizing China’s Iron and Steel Industry: An industrial level assessment on the evolving global imbalance in the global financial crisis era
*Cao Yong (Nanjing University)*

**Session B3: Innovation, Technology and Industrial Development (Seminar Room B)**
Chair: Pierre Mohnen (UNU-MERIT and University of Maastricht)

Technology, Specialisation and Productivity in Manufacturing Industry: A Cross Country Analysis
*Yılmaz Kılıçaslan (Anadolu University)*
*Levent Erdoğan (Anadolu University)*
*Nilgün Çağlar Uslu (Anadolu University)*
*Ethem Esen (Anadolu University)*

Technology Spillover Effect of International Outsourcing To Chinese Supplier Enterprises: A Study on Ningbo Garment Industry Cluster
*Yejing Huang (Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences)*

Technological learning and competitiveness: evidence from the Optical Fibre Industry in China
*Jizhen Li (Tsinghua University)*
*Xiaolan Fu (Oxford University)*
Session B4 Education, Labour Market (Seminar Room C)
Chair: John Knight (Oxford University)

Employability, Skills and Talent Management in Zhejiang Province
Paul Iles (University of Salford)
John Shutt (Leeds Metropolitan University)
Xiaoxian Zhu (Leeds Metropolitan University)

Education Return in Urban China: Evidences from China’s Dataset
Lili Kang (Birmingham Business School)
Fei Peng (Birmingham Business School)

Are Children Dropping Out During Compulsory Schooling, and Are There Differences Between Ethnic Groups? The Cases of Rural Areas in Guizhou And Hunan Provinces, China
Kelly Labar (IAMO Leibniz Institute of Agricultural Development)
Bente Castro Campos (IAMO Leibniz Institute of Agricultural Development)

Session B5 Corporate governance and firm performance (Seminar Room D)
Chair: Alessandra Guariglia (Durham University)

Does Social Capital Affect the Financing Decisions of Chinese Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises?
Jun Du (Aston University)
Alessandra Guariglia (Durham University)
Alexander Newman (University of Nottingham)

Acquisition Size and Institutional Ownership: Evidence from China
Fei Peng (University of Birmingham Business School)
Jun Jiang (Renmin University)
Ji Huang (University of Birmingham)

State Ownership and Financial Constraints on Investment of Chinese Listed Firms: New Evidence
Hsiang-Chun-Michale Lin (University of London)

Session B6: Poverty and inequality (Seminar Room E)
Chair: Albert Park (University of Oxford)

Housing Windfalls and Intergenerational Transfers In China
Maria Porter (University of Oxford)
Albert Park (University of Oxford)

Migration
Institutional Reactions to the Impact of Global Crisis At Source And Destination Cities Of Migration In China
Maria Csanadi (Hungarian Academy of Sciences)

Rural Women Migrant Returnees in Contemporary China
Nana Zhang (University of Warwick)
**Session B7: Financial markets (SSD library IT Room)**
Chair: Eric Girardin (Aix-Marseille University)

Spatial Econometric Analysis of Chinese Provincial Inflation Rates  
*_Changsheng CHEN* (Aix-Marseille University)  
*Eric GIRARDIN* (Aix-Marseille University)

Research on Spillover Effects in Financial Higher Moments Risk  
*_Jian Ke* (University College Dublin)

Dynamic Relationships between Market Volatility and Futures Trading Activity For Hedgers And Speculators In China  
*_Ren Zhang* (Queen’s University Belfast)

### Special session1: Global Competitiveness of Chinese Industries and Internationalization of Chinese Firms (St Catherine's College)

09:00 – 09:10 Welcome Address: Mingjie RUI, Head of Department of Industrial Economics, Fudan University Management School

09:10 – 09:40 Keynote Speech: Theory of the MNE and Outward Investors from Emerging Economies  
*_Klaus Meyer,* School of Management, University of Bath

09:40 – 09:50 Questions

09:50 – 11:00 Session I Chair: Pei Sun
Motives for Outward FDI of Chinese Private Firms: Firm Resources, Industry Dynamics, and Government Policies  
*_Jiangyong Lu,* Peking University  
*_Xiaohui Liu,* Loughborough University  
*_Mike Wright,* Nottingham University  
*_Igor Filatotchev,* City University London

Antecedents of Outward FDI in Emerging Economies: The Role of Government Involvement  
*_Chengqi Wang,* Nottingham University  
*_Junjie Hong,* University of International Business and Economics  
*_Mario Kafouros,* Leeds University  
*_Mike Wright,* Nottingham University

An Investigation of OFDI Strategies in China’s Private Businesses: ‘Round Tripping’ or ‘Onward-Journeying’?  
*_Dylan Sutherland,* University of Nottingham

10:30-11:00 Tea break
11:00-13:00 Parallel Sessions C

Session C1 Macro economy (Lecture Room 1)
Chair: Andrew Fischer (Erasmus University)

Trade Policy and Food Security
Alastair Macbean (Lancaster University)

The Impact of Food Safety Regulation and Institution Capacity on Trade - A Case Study of Groundnut Trade from China to the EU
Liming Wang. (University College Dublin)

The global economic crisis as leverage for emerging regional growth paths in China: a comparison of the Pearl River Delta and the Yangtze River Delta
Daniel Schiller (Leibniz University)
Henning Kroll (Oxford University)

China’s Sovereign Wealth Funds: Problem or Panacea?
Qingxiu Bu (Queen’s University Belfast)

Session C2: Trade, FDI and Globalisation (Seminar Room A)
Chair: Ari Van-Assche (HEC Montreal)

The Role of Trade Costs in Global Production Networks. Evidence from China’s Processing Trade Regime
Ari Van-Assche (HEC Montreal)

The Real Value of Large Trade Surplus of Chinese High-Technology Products
Shouhua Wei (Nanjing University)
Yuan He (Nanjing University)
Mu Cheng (Nanjing University)

Exploring International Strategy of Firms from Emerging Economies: The Locational Choice and Entry Mod
Huaning Li (Loughborough University)

Marin Marinov (University of Gloucestershire)

Session C3 China and Africa (Seminar Room B)
Chair: Mammo Muchie (TUT, South Africa & Aalborg University)

The Role of China in African Portuguese Speaking Countries - The Case of Mozambique
Fernanda Ilhéu (Technical University of Lisbon)

China Africa Relationship: Good for Both Parts?
Paul De Grauwe (University of Leuven)
Romain Houssay (University of Leuven)
Giulia Piccillo (University of Leuven.)

China’s Special Economic Zones in Africa: The Egyptian Case
Ahmad El-Gohari (University of Wales Institute)
Dylan Sutherland (University of Nottingham)

China's Economic Relationship with Africa: Distinguishing fiction from facts
Mammo Muchie (TUT, South Africa & Aalborg University)

**Session C4 Innovation, Technology and Industrial Development (Seminar Room C)**
Chair: Rongping Mu (CAS)

Business Model Innovation in the Theory of Innovation: Some Lessons Learnt from Electronics Industry in China
Yongjiang Shi (University of Cambridge)
Jiang Yu (Chinese Academy of Science)

Innovation Strategy and Industrial Dynamics: The Case of Hong Kong-owned Manufacturing in Guangdong Province, China
Naubahar Sharif (The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)
Can Huang (United Nations University-MERIT and Maastricht University)

Innovation Evolvement along Different Patterns of Catch-up: Evidence from China
Fangrui Wang (University of Oxford & Zhejiang University)
Xiaolan, Fu (University of Oxford)
Jin Chen (Zhejiang University)

Technological Innovation, Productivity and Competitiveness - Evidence From China’s IT Manufacturing
Jinghua Xu (South China Normal University)

**Session C5 Corporate Governance (Seminar Room D)**
Chair: Peter J. Dowling (La Trobe University)

Corporate Governance Reform through Internationalisation: A Case Study of S State Owned Insurance Enterprise, China Life
Boya Wang (Durham University), Lutao Ning (Durham University)

Corporate Governance: Investors’ Perspective
Jaiprakash Sharma (Delhi University)

CEO Duality And Firm Performance: ------Do Macro Factors Matter?
Mei Yu (Birmingham City University)
Yong Yang (Brunel University)

How Do People Contact Each Other? A Revisit of Social Network Using A Unique Dataset
Xi Chen (Cornell University)
Session C6: Financial Industry, (Seminar Room E)
Chair: Maggie Fu (Macao University)

Bank Efficiency and Productivity Growth in Hong Kong and Macau
Xiaoqing (Maggie) Fu (Faculty of Business Administration, University of Macau, Macau, China.)
Alden Vong (Industrial and Commercial Bank of China, Macau Branch)

The Determinants of Commercial Bank Performance in China
Wei Huang (University of Nottingham China)

Financial Development and the Structure of China’s Trade
Joachim Jarreau (Paris School of Economics)
Sandra Poncety (Université Paris 1 and CEPI)

Market Behaviour of Foreign Versus Domestic Investors Following A Period Of Stressful Circumstances
Meziane Lasfer (City University)
Sharon Lin (City University)
Gulnur Muradoglu (City University)

Session C7: Markets, housing and Macro Economy (SSD Library, IT Room)
Chair: K-C Wong (Hong Kong University)

Market States and Contrarian strategy: Evidence from Chinese stock market
Ying Jiang (University of Nottingham Ningbo)

Housing market in China’s growth recovery and house price determination
Qing-Ping Ma (Nottingham University)

Transfers and Development – Easy Come, Easy Go
Lei Pan (Wageningen University)

Government Land Ownership and Public Housing; the Experiences of Hong Kong and China
K-C Wong (Hong Kong University)

Special session 2: Global Competitiveness of Chinese Industries and Internationalization of Chinese Firms (St Catherine’s College)
Chair: Dylan Sutherland (Nottingham University)

How Do Family Ownership and Involvement Affect the Decision and Performance of Internationalization in Chinese Private Businesses?
Pei Sun, Fudan University, and Xiaoya Liang, Fudan University

Exploring the Determinants for the Chinese Outward FDI into Africa
Tina Y. Xu, Hull University; Leilei Tang, University of Strathclyde; Raphaël Akamavi, Hull University

Negative Investment in China: Restructuring and Financing Constraints versus Growth
Sai Ding, University of Glasgow; Alessandra Guariglia, Durham University; John Knight, University of Oxford
14:00-15:30 Parallel Sessions D

Session D1 Labour Market and Employment (Lecture Room 1)
Chair: Linda Yueh

Protecting Workers in the Workers’ State: Labor Market Tightness and Unemployment Insurance in Chinese Industrial Firms
Johanna Rickne (Uppsala University)

Shaohui Chen (China Europe International Business School)
Marcus Ho (Auckland University of Technology)
Marie Wilson (Griffith University)
Erling Rasmussen (Auckland University of Technology)

Neutralizing the Effect of Perceived Underemployment on Organizational Citizenship Behaviors by Ingratiation Motive
Yi-Jung Chen (National Kaohsiung University of Applied Sciences)

Session D2 Innovation, Technology and Industrial Development (Seminar Room A)
Chair: Jizhen Li (Tsinghua University)

Technological Capability, Employment Growth and Industrial Development: A Quantitative Anatomy of Indian Scenario
Lakhwinder Singh (Punjabi University)

Technology transfer in a linear city with symmetric locations
Fehmi Bouguezzi (Polytechnic School of Tunisia)

An Empirical Study of Resources, Dynamic Capabilities and Performance of Village Firms in Clusters of China
Rongwei Ren (Sun Yat-sen University)
John Zhang (Guangdong University)
Yan Zhou (Sun Yat-sen University)

Session D3 Innovation, Technology and Industrial Development (Seminar Room B)
Chair: Yongjiang Shi (University of Cambridge)

Imitation and Patent Licensing in a Cournot Market
Fehmi Bouguezzi (LEGI and Faculty of Management and Economic Sciences of Tunis)

Health Biotechnology in China: National, Regional, and Sectoral Dimensions
Marcus Conlé (University of Duisburg-Essen)

Business Ecosystem Solution for China’s Emerging Mobile Computing Industry: Learning from industrial top players - Intel and ARM’s different strategies in Western Countries and China
Ke Rong (University of Cambridge)
Yongjiang Shi (University of Cambridge)
Session D4: Tourism and industry (Seminar Room C)
Chair: Haiyan Song (Hong Kong Polytechnic University)

Tourism Demand Modelling And Forecasting: How Should Demand Be Measured?
Haiyan Song (Hong Kong Polytechnic University)
Gang Li (University of Surrey)
Stephen F. WITT (Hong Kong Polytechnic University)

Government, Public Policy and Social Welfare In A Tourism Economy
Sheng Zhao (City University of Hong Kong)

China’s Impact on the Tropical Timber Value Chain Ingabon: The Disruptive Nature of Shifting Centres of Consumption
Anne Terheggen (Open University)

Session D5: Macro economy (Seminar Room D)
Chair: Eric Gerardin (Université de la Méditerranée)

De Facto ACU Targeting In East Asia: It has been there but we did not look for it
Eric Gerardin (Université de la Méditerranée)

Xing Wei (Oxford University)

The New Argonaut Venture Capitalists in China
Jing Zhou (University of Strathclyde)

Session D6: Firm performance and environment (Seminar Room F)
Chair: Daniela Marconi (Bank of Italy)

Do Ownership Ties and Board Ties to Government Affect Firm Value? Evidence from an Emerging Market Event Study
Pei Sun (Fudan University)

Defensive and Entrepreneurial Expansion Responses to Environmental Shocks in China: Interpreting the 2008 Economic Crisis
YJ Bao (University of Lethbridge)
Wenlong Yuan (University of Lethbridge)
Bradley Olson (University of Lethbridge)

The Role of Firms in China’s Green Marketing
Helen Song-Turner (University of Ballarat)
Session D7: Inequality and Rural Development (SSD Library IT ROOM)
Chair: Charles Kwong (Open University of Hong Kong)

Inequality, Human Capital, and Innovation ---Past, Present and Future of China
Zhongmin Wu (Nottingham Trent University)

Sustaining China’s Rural Development under Global Economic Instability: Some Critical Issues Charles Kwong (Open University of Hong Kong)

Poverty and Vulnerability in Urban China
Gravemeyer (University of Paderborn),
Gries(University of Paderborn),
Xue (Nagoya University)

Self-financing Urban Development
Shann Turnbull (International Institute for Self-governance)

Special session 3: Global Competitiveness of Chinese Industries and Internationalization of Chinese Firms (St Catherine’s College)
Chair: Jie Zhang (Fudan University)

Foreign Presence and Local Firms’ Decisions on Export and Domestic Sales in Chinese Manufacturing
Yingqi Wei, University of York; Xiaming Liu, University of London

An Institutional Perspective on the Strategic Behaviour of Chinese New Ventures
Joy Huan Zou, Loughborough University

Institutional System Development for Outward Foreign Direct Investment in China
Svetla Marinova, University of Birmingham; Marin A. Marinov, University of Gloucestershire; John Child, University of Birmingham

16:00-18:00 PhD Colloquium and Special Section

Special session 4(16:00 – 17:30): Global Competitiveness of Chinese Industries and Internationalization of Chinese Firms (St Catherine’s College)
Chair: Tina Y. Xu (Hull University)

The Relationship between Real Estate Investment and Economic Growth in China: A Threshold Effect
Jie Zhang, Fudan University

Richard Upward and Zheng Wang, University of Nottingham;
Jinghai Zheng, University of Gothenberg

Institutional Challenges for Outward Investment from Emerging Economies – A case of Chinese acquisition of British manufacturing company
Guy S. Liu, Brunel University
PhD Colloquium

Monday 12 July (Engineering Dept. Building)

8:30 – 9:40 Doctorate Students’ Sessions (DSS)

**DSS 1 Trade, FDI and Globalisation (Lecture room 1)**
Chair: Dr Yundan Gong
Supervisor: Prof Xiaohui Liu

The Impact of Trade Liberalization on The Environment In Some East Asian Countries
*Nguyen Duy Loi (University of Rouen)*

The Impact of Trade Restrictions on Exporter’s Markups: Evidence from AD against South Korea
*Laura Rovegno (Université Catholique de Louvain, IRES)*

Regional Determinants of FDI in China: A New Approach with Recent Data
*Martijn A. Boermans (University of Applied Sciences Utrecht)*
*Yi Zhang (Utrecht University)*

**DSS 2 Science & Technology, R&D and Property Rights (Lecture room 2)**
Chair: Can Huang
Supervisor: Prof Guy Liu

Government as the Platform Provider In The Triple Helix Perspective: Evidence From Technological Innovation Service Platform In China
*Xiaoxuan Ma (Tsinghua University)*
*Wei Yuan (National Science & Technology Infrastructure Center)*
*Wenbo Chu (National Science & Technology Infrastructure Center)*
*Yuntao He (National Science & Technology Infrastructure Center)*

A Study on Current Business Performance of Chinese Animation Industry
*Zheng Liu (University of Cambridge)*
*Yongjiang Shi (University of Cambridge)*

SMEs Development in Developing Countries Through Public Private Partnership
*Iftikhar Hussain (Shanghai University)*
*Steven Si (Shanghai University)*
*Lixia Wang (Shanghai University)*

**DSS3 Firm performance (Lecture room 3)**
Chair: Dr Yuning Gao
Supervisor: Dr Jian Chen

Market Competition Measurements and Firms’ R&D Responses To Market Competition Pressure
*Minjia Chen (University of Nottingham)*

Dividend Policy and Minority Shareholder Expropriation in China
*Jens Hansen (University of Agder)*
Privatisation with Chinese Character? A Panel Analysis to the Privatisation in China (1994-2008)
Charles I-Hsin Chen (University of London)

How Do Dynamic Capabilities and Institutions Influence The Post Internationalisation Performance Of Chinese State-Owned Firms?
Lan Gao (Loughborough University)
Huan Zou (Loughborough University)
Xiaohui Liu (Loughborough University)

DSS 4 Inequalities, Institutions and Macroeconomics (Lecture room 7)
Chair: Dr Maria Porter
Supervisor: Dr Aying Liu

Are Geese Flying By Themselves Inside China? An LSTR-SEM Approach to Income Convergence of Chinese Counties
Konstantin A. Kholodilin (DIW)
Eric Girardin (Université de la Méditerranée)

Weighted Convergence and Regional Clusters across China
Maria Jesus Herreras (Universitat Jaume I)
V. Orts (Universitat Jaume I)
E. Tortosa (Universitat Jaume I)

Christian Ploberger (University of Birmingham)

Migration Constraints and Development: Hukou and Capital Accumulation In China
Thomas Vendryes (Paris School of Economics)

Session 5 Financial markets (Faculty conference room)
Chair: Dr Jun Du
Supervisor: Dr Liming Wang

Precautionary Reserves of Emerging Economies: A Behavioural Approach Under Loss Aversion
Zhichao Zhang (Durham Business School)
Frankie Chau (Durham Business School)
Li Xie (Durham Business School)

Defensive And Entrepreneurial Expansion Responses To Environmental Shocks In China: Interpreting The 2008 Economic Crisis
YJ Bao (University of Lethbridge)
Bradley Olson (University of Lethbridge)
Wenlong Yuan (University of Lethbridge)

Equilibrium Pricing and Transaction in Housing Market: An Alternative Explanation to China's Housing Market
**Tuesday, Manor Road Building**
16:00-18:00 Doctorate Students’ Sessions (DSS8-12):

**DSS 6 Financial Sector And Monetary Policy (Lecture Room 1)**
Chair: Dr Sharon Lin
Supervisor: Dr Maggie Fu

The Use of Proceeds from Seasoned Equity Offerings in China and Its Long-Term Performance
*Zhongnan Huang (University of London)*

Chinese Economic Imbalance and Structure Reform after the Crisis: —Based On Financial Development Analysis
*Sun Jin (University of California)*

Understanding Chinese Renminbi Appreciation: A Microfounded Model with Imperfect Capital Mobility
*Paul Luk (Oxford University)*

Causes of Global Imbalances: A NOEM Perspective
*Zhichao Zhang (Durham Business School)*
*Frankie Chau (Durham Business School)*
*Nan Shi (Durham Business School)*

Optimal Currency Composition of the Foreign Reserves of China in the Period of Global Economic Recovery
*Zhichao Zhang (Durham University)*
*Li Ding (Durham University)*
*Fan Zhang (Durham University)*

**DSS 7 Culture, society and Sustainability (Seminar Room A)**

Chair: Dr Changshen Chen
Supervisor: Dr Yang Chen

Pure Entertainment or Social Harmony? Understanding Private Returns to Social Spending On Household Ceremonies in China
*Xi Chen (Cornell University)*

Does Fiscal Decentralization Reduce Public Education Provision In China? A Theoretical Model and Prefectural Panel-Data Research
*Weiqing Luo (Tsinghua University)*
*Shi Chen (Tsinghua University)*
Guanxi As Competitive Advantage During Economic Crises: Evidence From China During The Recent Global Financial Crisis  
Susanne Ruehle (Goethe-University)

Risk, Agricultural Assets and the Persistence Of Poverty In Rural China  
Jing You (University of Manchester)  
Adam Ozanne (University of Manchester)  
Barnard Walters (University of Manchester)  
Xiaobing Wang (University of Manchester)

DSS 8 Trade and FDI (Seminar Room B)

Chair: Dr Yundan Gong  
Supervisor: Dr Liming Wang

FDI and Economic Growth Redux: A Comparison of the Effect of Trade Openness And Human Capital Between BRICs And SSA Countries  
Abimbola Babatunde (Hull University Business School)

The Impact of China’s Demand on Domestic Value Chains: Lessons From The Cassava Value Chains in Thailand  
Julia Tijaja (Open University)

Economic Recovery in Malaysia’s Manufacturing Sector  
Bethuel Kinyanjui Kinuthia (Leiden University)

Does Performance Matter In Service MNCs’ Strategic Choice of Entry Mode  
Zengyu Huang (University College Dublin)  
Xia Han (University College Dublin)

Session 9 Science/Technology Development, Knowledge Transfer And R&D (Seminar Room C)

Chair: Dr Fangrui Wang  
Supervisor: Dr Can Huang

Advertisements of China Unicom’s CDMA Service for the People’s Liberate Army: The Effects of Category-Based Stimulus  
Suyu Liu (Oxford University)

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