



EXECUTIVE TRAINING SEMINAR

GLOBAL GOVERNANCE PROGRAMME

CHINA'S PROSPECTS AFTER THE 19TH COMMUNIST PARTY CONGRESS: ENVISIONING MULTIPLE SCENARIOS

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■ INTRODUCTION

This Executive Training Seminar brings together European and Chinese scholars with robust experience in strategic foresight to explore the most salient political and socio-economic trends currently defining China's domestic transformations and her increasingly high-profile international posture. It offers outstanding international students, young scholars and professionals an intimate setting that encourages informal interaction and hands-on learning through scenario analysis.

Over the first two days of training participants will be exposed to a variety of perspectives on the strategic outcomes of the 19th Congress of the Chinese Communist Party, as well as on Beijing's evolving foreign policy, and the latest cycle of domestic reforms envisaged to adjust China to a 'new normal' phase of growth. This will include their impact on world trade, on regional and global macro-economic stability, and on international development. The increasingly ambitious economic, foreign and security policies pursued by the Chinese government will be examined in the context of the 'One Belt, One Road' initiative and the 'Made in China 2025' programme, President Xi Jinping's signature propositions to enhance Eurasian connectivity and achieve the 'Chinese dream' of national rejuvenation.

In order to maximise the applied nature of this learning experience, the Executive Training Seminar then culminates in a half-day scenario-building exercise. In a very interactive session, participants identify and assess relevant macro-variables, isolate megatrends and critical uncertainties, articulate



alternative ‘futures’, and discuss appropriate policies to steer from the ‘official future’ to their preferred scenario.

■ PROGRAMME

11 DECEMBER

- 09.00 - 09.15 Opening
Giovanni Andornino | University of Torino, Torino World Affairs Institute (T.wai) and European University Institute
- 09.15 - 10.45 The Political Topography of the Chinese Party-State after the 19th CCP Congress (part I)
Giovanni Andornino | University of Torino, Torino World Affairs Institute and European University Institute
- 10.45 - 11.15 Coffee break
- 11.15 - 12.45 The Political Topography of the Chinese Party-State after the 19th CCP Congress (part II)
Giovanni Andornino | University of Torino, Torino World Affairs Institute and European University Institute
- 12.45 - 14.00 Lunch break
- 14.00 - 15.30 China’s Domestic Economic Reforms: What Paths to Sustainable ‘National Rejuvenation’? (part I)
Fang Jin | China Development Research Foundation
- 15.30 - 15.45 Coffee break
- 15.45 - 17.15 China’s Domestic Economic Reforms: What Paths to Sustainable ‘National Rejuvenation’? (part II)
Fang Jin | China Development Research Foundation
- 17.15 - 17.30 Juice & fruit break
- 17.30 - 19.00 China’s FDIs in the EU: Trends, Strategies, and European Reactions
Andrea Goldstein | Nomisma
- 20.00 Welcome dinner

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- 09.00 - 11.00 The BRI, Trade and China’s Sustainable Development Goals
Giorgia Giovannetti | European University Institute and University of Florence
- 11.00 - 11.30 Coffee break

11.30 - 13.00	The Security Implications of China's More Ambitious Foreign Policy Posture (part I) Men Honghua Tongji University
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch break
14.00 - 15.30	The Security Implications of China's More Ambitious Foreign Policy Posture (part II) Men Honghua Tongji University
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee break
16.00 - 17.30	Can China Lead? Governing Security Risks along the Belt and Road Katherine Morton University of Sheffield

13 DECEMBER

09.00 - 09.15	Introduction to the scenario-building exercise Giovanni Andornino University of Torino, Torino World Affairs Institute and European University Institute Giorgia Giovannetti European University Institute and University of Florence
09.15 - 10.45	Scenario-building exercise (part I)
10.45 - 11.00	Coffee break
11.00 - 13.30	Scenario-building exercise (part II), followed by distribution of participation diplomas
13.30 - 14.30	Farewell lunch

■ SPEAKERS

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