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School of International Studies

# Five University Conference 2025

## Reconfiguring Global Order Amid Competitive Interdependence



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**Venue:** Peking University, Beijing, China

**Organizer:** School of International Studies, Peking University



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# 01/ Program & Schedule

## Day 0. December 4 (Thursday)

18:00 Vehicle: 18:00 at Lakeview Hotel Entrance

18:30-20:00 **Welcome Dinner**

Venue: BLU Italian Restaurant (near campus) (地点: Blu·澜意大利餐厅)  
Transport back to hotel

## Day 1. December 5 (Friday)

09:20 Vehicle: 9:20 at Lakeview Hotel Entrance

09:50-10:00 **Group Photo**

Venue: B101 Conference Room, Gymnasium No.2 (地点: 二体 B101 会议室)

10:00-10:05 **Opening Session**

Welcoming Remarks:

- Tang Shiqi (Peking University)

10:05-11:35 **Public Panel:**

**Postwar International Order and Its Future**

Moderator:

- Jia Qingguo (Peking University)

Speakers:

- Kiichi Fujiwara (University of Tokyo)
- John Ikenberry (Princeton University)
- Jae-Seung Lee (Korea University)
- Danny Quah (National University of Singapore)
- Yu Tiejun (Peking University)

12:00-13:05 **Lunch**

Venue: Ginkgo Restaurant Buffet (地点: 勺园西餐厅)

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**13:30-15:00****Session 1.****Shifting Political Dynamics and Its Global Impacts**

Venue: North Hall, Zhibeizi Garden (地点: 治贝子园北厅)

The world got a taste of Trump's populist, nationalist, and unilateralist foreign policy during his first term. Now, however, Trump 2.0 can be seen as an enhanced and systematic version of Trump 1.0. Less than one year into his second presidency, the administration has already unleashed a whirlwind of MAGA policies with far-reaching impacts on the international order. Moreover, political developments beyond the U.S.—such as the rise of populist forces in Europe and the election of a new prime minister in Japan, alongside the 4th Plenary Session of the 20th Central Committee of the Communist Party of China—will also shape the trajectory of international relations in this region and beyond. What do these and other political developments mean for international order? Has the world become less globalized? Is the world becoming less secure and if so in what ways? Where lies opportunities for international and regional cooperation? This panel will explore these and other questions.

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**Moderator:**

- Danny Quah (National University of Singapore)

**Speakers:**

- Takako Hikotani (University of Tokyo)
- Jie Dalei (Peking University)
- Jae-Seung Lee (Korea University)
- Dylan Loh (Nanyang Technological University)
- Peter Trubowitz (London School of Economics and Political Science)

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**15:00-15:15****Coffee Break**

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**15:15-16:45****Session 2.****Navigating Geopolitical and Economic Competition in the Asia Pacific**

Venue: North Hall, Zhibeizi Garden (地点: 治贝子园北厅)

The weaponization of interdependence has emerged as a defining feature of contemporary great power competition, raising critical questions about the resilience of the global economic system. While this trend toward fragmentation threatens decades of economic integration, complete decoupling remains both economically prohibitive and strategically complex. Major economies are increasingly pursuing economic security policies and industrial strategies—from reshoring critical supply chains to restricting technology transfers—while simultaneously attempting to

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balance competing security imperatives with economic interests. The Asia Pacific region stands at the epicenter of these tensions. This panel examines a fundamental question: will intensifying geopolitical and economic competition produce chaos and instability, or might it catalyze the emergence of new rules and norms that can sustain a workable international economic order?

**Moderator:**

- Kiichi Fujiwara (University of Tokyo)

**Speakers:**

- Gui Yongtao (Peking University)
- Yuen-Foong Khong (National University of Singapore)
- Sijeong Lim (Korea University)
- Kazuto Suzuki (University of Tokyo)
- Peter Trubowitz (London School of Economics and Political Science)

**17:30-19:30**

**Dinner**

Vehicle: 17:00 at Zhibeizi Garden

Venue: Langrun Hall, Shaoyuan Restaurant (2nd floor) (地点: 勺园中餐厅)

Transport back to hotel

**Day 2. December 6 (Saturday)**

**08:30**

Vehicle: 8:30 at Lakeview Hotel Entrance

Venue: North Hall, Zhibeizi Garden (地点: 治贝子园北厅)

**09:00-10:30**

**Session 3.**

**Regional Cooperation: Pathways and Challenges**

Amid competitive interdependence, regional cooperation has become both a lifeline for shared prosperity and a battlefield of strategic rivalry. Initiatives like BRICS reflect a growing emphasis on South-South cooperation, while attempts to reconfigure regional and global supply chains continue to reshape economic geography. Yet regionalism today faces internal fragmentation, external pressure from great-power rivalries and unilateral tariffs, and uneven capacity to deliver public goods. This panel explores how regional institutions (e.g., ASEAN, EU, RCEP) navigate competitive interdependence while advancing collective interests. How are they recalibrating their strategies to avoid becoming collateral damage in great-power rivalry while leveraging opportunities from their competition? What innovative mechanisms are emerging to strengthen regional resilience against supply chain disruptions and climate risks? To what extent can regional organizations become stabilizing pillars of a fractured world?

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**Moderator:**

- Jae-Seung LEE (Korea University)

**Speakers:**

- Chen Shaofeng (Peking University)
- Keisuke Iida (University of Tokyo)
- John Ikenberry (Princeton University)
- Dong Jung Kim (Korea University)
- Joseph Liow (National University of Singapore)

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**10:30-10:45****Coffee Break****10:45-12:15****Session 4.****East Asian Approaches to Global Governance**

Global governance today faces a dual crisis: it is increasingly undermined by great power competition and geopolitical conflicts, yet its role has never been more critical. Humanity confronts persistent challenges alongside transnational issues, from digital governance to green transition. These domains are not only arenas of state competition but, more critically, requires cross-border consideration and collaboration to move things forward. Against this backdrop, the shifting dynamics between state sovereignty and global governance have become a central focus of international politics. This also invites critical reflection on the existing liberal international order, which seems to face growing contestation and struggles to deliver inclusive and effective solutions. In this complex landscape, a pivotal question arises: Can East Asian approaches offer alternative pathways? Might they furnish distinct normative foundations and practical governance models that help overcome current impasses and contribute to a more resilient and adaptive global governance framework?

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**Moderator:**

- John Ikenberry (Princeton University)

**Speakers:**

- Selina Ho (National University of Singapore)
- Hideaki Shiroyama (University of Tokyo)
- Anran Wang (Korea University)
- Xu Qinyi (Peking University)

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**12:30-13:35****Lunch**

Venue: Faculty Club Buffet (地点: 北大教师之家)

**14:00-15:30      Graduate Panel: Presentations of research**

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**Panel 1:**

Venue: North Hall, Zhibeizi Garden (地点: 治贝子园北厅)

- Chen Jingwen (Peking University), "Resurgence of Geopolitical Competition and the Construction of the Economic Institutions in the Asia Pacific"
- Mae Chow (National University of Singapore), "Competing for Control: US and China's Infrastructural Power in Southeast Asia's Undersea Cable Infrastructure"
- Zhu Yimin (Peking University), "The Institutional Value of Consensus Decision-making in An Era of Global Governance Deficits"

**Discussants:**

- Danny Quah (Chen)
- Chen Shaofeng (Chow)
- John Ikenberry (Zhu)

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**Panel 2:**

Venue: South Hall, Zhibeizi Garden (地点: 治贝子园南厅)

- Ian Russell Koh (National University of Singapore), "Democracy & Autocracy in Southeast Asia: Forces to Reckon With"
- Li Lai Ching (Peking University), "From Strategic Defense to Space Security: Japan-U.S. Technological Cooperation and the Reconfiguration of Postwar Order"
- Sze Manlut (Peking University), "Reclaiming Prudence and the Human Factor in the Reconfiguration of Global Order"

**Discussants:**

- Jie Dalei (Koh)
- Hideaki Shiroyama (Li)
- Peter Trubowitz (Sze)

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**15:45-16:15      Wrap-up**

Venue: North Hall, Zhibeizi Garden (地点: 治贝子园北厅)

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**END OF CONFERENCE**

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**17:00-19:00      Dinner**

Vehicle: 16:30 Zhibeizi Garden

Venue: Ruijing Hall of Changchunyuan Restaurant (3rd floor, near campus)  
(地点: 畅春园餐厅)

Transport back to hotel

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# 02/Biography



## CHEN Shaofeng

CHEN Shaofeng, Associate Professor, School of International Studies, Peking University (PKU). Prior to joining PKU, he served as a Research Official and Visiting Research Fellow at the East Asian Institute, National University of Singapore. He held visiting professor appointments at the University of Hong Kong (2014), New York University (2015), and the University of Würzburg (2023). His research focuses on energy security and energy transition from an international relations perspective, alongside regional integration in the Asia Pacific and government-business relations. He is the author of *China's Approach to Energy Security: An International Comparative Perspective* (Palgrave Macmillan, 2023) and has published over 50 papers and book chapters in both English and Chinese. His work appears in journals including The China Quarterly, Journal of Current Chinese Affairs, China: An International Journal, Copenhagen Journal of Asian Studies, Policy and Society, and Journal of Chinese Political Science.



## DONG Zhaohua

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## Kiichi FUJIWARA

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## GUI Yongtao

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## Takako HIKOTANI

Takako HIKOTANI is a Professor and Head of the International Support Division at the Center for Global Education, the University of Tokyo. She is also a Senior Fellow at the Asia Society Policy Institute. From 2016 to 2021, she served as the Gerald L. Curtis Associate Professor of Modern Japanese Politics and Foreign Policy at Columbia University. Prior to that, she was an Associate Professor at the National Defense Academy of Japan.

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## Selina HO

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## Keisuke IIDA

Keisuke IIDA is Senior Professor at the National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (GRIPS). His area of specialization is International Political Economy. His major publications include International Monetary Cooperation among the United States, Japan and Germany (1999), Legalization and Japan: The Politics of WTO Dispute Settlement (2006), International Political Economy (in Japanese, 2007), The Future of Economic Hegemony (in Japanese, 2013), and Japan's Security and Economic Dependence on China and the United States (2017). He has published numerous articles in international journals such as International Organization, Public Choice, International Studies Quarterly, the Journal of Conflict Resolution, and so on. His research interests include the politics of trade, the political economy of financial crises, and the interactions between security and economics. He is a former President of the Japan Association of International Relations (JAIR). He received his Ph.D. in Political Science from Harvard University. He has formerly taught at Princeton University, Aoyama Gakuin University, and the University of Tokyo. He has been a pre-doctoral fellow at Brookings Institution, a visiting scholar at University of California, Berkeley, and an academic associate in the Program on U.S.-Japan Relations at Harvard University.

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<https://politics.princeton.edu/people/g-john-ikenberry>

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## JIA Qingguo

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## JIE Dalei

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Recognized as one of Korea's leading experts on Europe and transatlantic affairs, Professor Lee's scholarship brings together American and European perspectives to interpret major shifts in the global strategic landscape. His recent research examines EU strategic autonomy, Korea-EU and Korea-NATO relations, and the evolving intersection of security and economic policy in the Indo-Pacific. He has co-edited *The Routledge Handbook of Europe-Korea Relations* (2021) and published extensively on foreign policy, energy security, and the geopolitics of economic interdependence.

Professor Lee currently chairs the Expert Committee on Just Energy Transition under Korea's Presidential Commission on Carbon Neutrality and Green Growth and serves as a policy advisor to both the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Ministry of Unification. He holds a B.A. in Political Science from Seoul National University and an M.A. and Ph.D. in Political Science from Yale University. He contributes regular op-ed columns to major Korean newspapers and provides analysis on international affairs for BBC, CNN, NHK, and Korean broadcast networks. He is frequently invited to speak and moderate at major global forums, including the Trans-Pacific Dialogue, Lennart Meri Conference, Nordic-Korea Dialogue, Tokyo Forum, and Shanghai Forum.



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Joseph's research interests encompass Muslim politics and social movements in Southeast Asia and the geopolitics and geoeconomics of the Asia-Pacific region.

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## Dylan M.H LOH

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His work has been published in journals such as International Affairs, China Quarterly, Pacific Review, Cambridge Review of International Affairs, Australian Journal of International Affairs, Cooperation and Conflict, International Relations of Asia-Pacific and International Studies Review. His first monograph - China's Rising Foreign Ministry - was published in 2024 by Stanford University Press in their 'Studies in Asian Security' series. It was nominated for and received an 'Honorable Mention' in the ISA 2025 DPLST Book Award. His 2023 article on Singapore and the international order was nominated for the 2024 International Affairs 'Early Career Prize' for best article.

His commentaries and interviews have appeared in local and global media outlets such as Bloomberg, Wall Street Journal, The Guardian, Channel 8, AFP, South China Morning Post, The Straits Times, 93.8 Live, Today, 联合早报, Berita Harian and The Nation among others.



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Among other positions, Quah serves on the World Bank President's Economic Advisory Panel; the World Bank Group Institute for Economic Development's Advisory Board; the World Economic Forum's Global Future Council on Geopolitics; and Tsinghua University School of Public Policy and Management's Global Advisory Board.

Quah was previously Assistant Professor of Economics at MIT, and then at LSE Professor of Economics and International Development, and Director of the Saw Swee Hock Southeast Asia Centre. At LSE he also served as Head of Department for Economics. At LKYSPP, Quah served as Dean 2018-2025.

Quah studied at Princeton, Minnesota, and Harvard.



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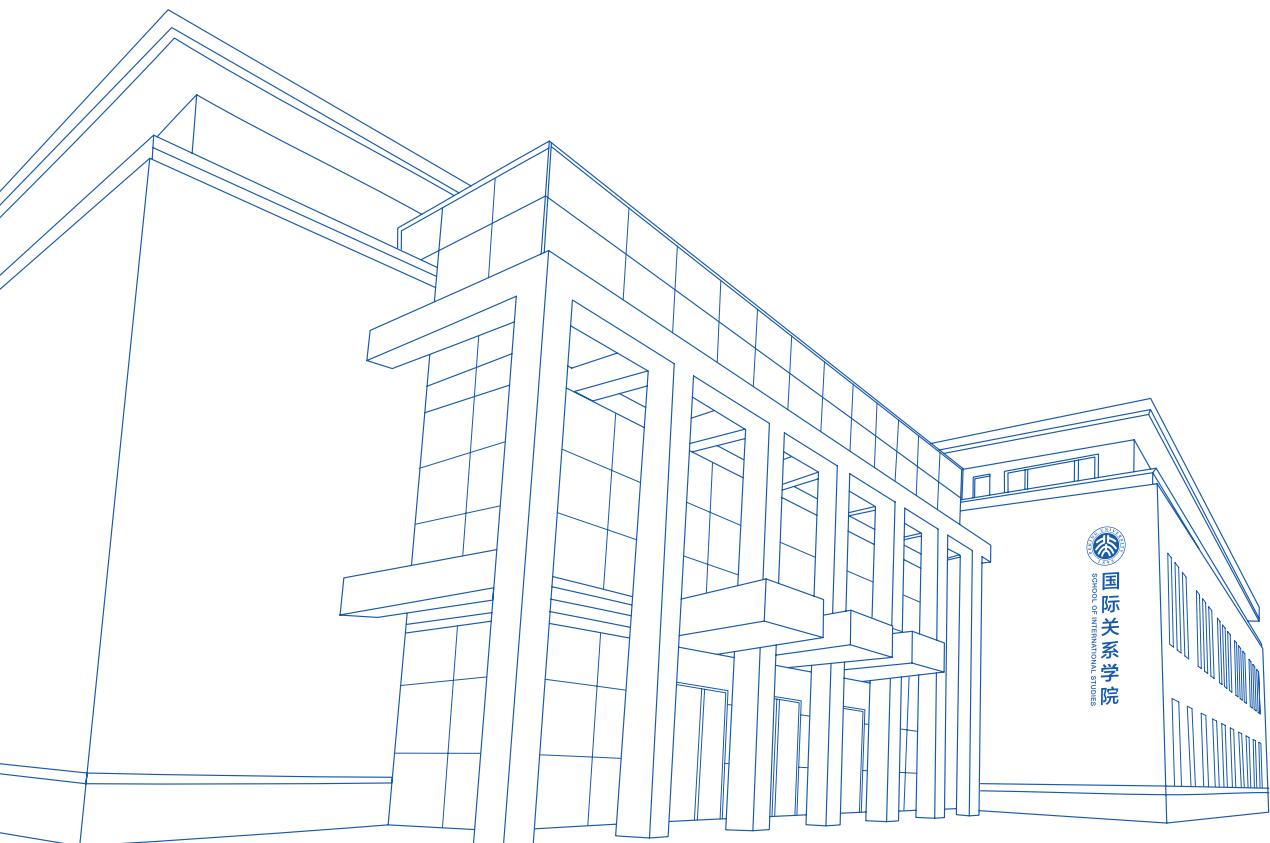
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