MPhil in Politics and International Studies, 2020-21

**China and International Security**

Course Organiser: Dr Kun-Chin Lin

Time and Location: 11am - 1pm Wednesday, starting on 14th October 2020.

**Course Outline**

This course focuses on the geopolitical, traditional and nontraditional security challenges arising from the People’s Republic of China’s material, aspirational, and strategic claims over global politics in the 21st Century. Strongly referential to current events, it evaluates mainstream theories of international relations and international political economy theories developed in the Western historical context, in juxtaposition to critical perspectives from Asian epistemic communities.

**Teaching**

The course will consist of 7 two-hour seminars. Students are expected to have done sufficient readings in advance of each seminar, in order to participate actively in the seminar discussions, including taking leadership of at least one critical discussion of the readings and contributing to group presentations. Students without a basic familiarity of international relations theories should ask the instructor for advice on background readings. Students with a specific interest in topics not covered in the course should speak to him for additional literature and an opportunity to present in seminar.

**Assessment**

Students are expected to write one 3000 word essay that explores a question of relevance to the core themes and topics of the course. The essay is worth 100% of the final grade and will be due on 4th December 2020.

**Readings**

Students are *not* expected to read all the items on the reading list. Prior to each seminar, students will be given advise on select themes and readings to focus on in preparation for individual or group contributions to seminar discussion. As long as students remain engaged with the literature presented each week, they are encouraged to propose independent research into specialized topics such as cyber security, industrial espionage, coronavirus pandemic, human security and migration, non-proliferation, and space and deep-sea capabilities, etc. to share in the seminar.

The SPS library will have most of the specified readings; others will be available at the UL. Some books are also available in the Faculty of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies Library and the Department of History library on the Sidgwick site. Many articles can be accessed electronically through the course website on Moodle. It is also possible to get online access to articles by obtaining a password from the University Library (see www.lib.cam.ac.uk/electronicresources).

While there is no requirement for prior knowledge of PRC, students may find helpful the following books that provide overviews of historical and contemporary issues in Chinese foreign relations:

Shaun Breslin, ed., *Handbook of China’s International Relations*.

G. John Ikenberry and Michael Mastanduno, eds. *International Relations Theory and the Asia-Pacific*.

David M. Lampton, *The Three Faces of Chinese Power: might, money, and minds* (UC Press 2008).

Mazaar et al. *China and International Order*. Rand Corporation, 2018. Free Ebook at: https://www.rand.org/pubs/research\_reports/RR2423.html

David Shambaugh and Michael Yahuda, eds. *International Relations of Asia*.

Robert S. Ross and Øystein Tunsjø, ed. *Strategic Adjustment and the Rise of China: Power and Politics in East Asia*.

Susan L. Shirk, *China: Fragile Superpower* (Oxford 2008).

Robert Sutter, *Chinese Foreign Relations*.

Major academic journals on contemporary China and Asian foreign affairs include China Quarterly, Modern China, The China Journal, Chinese Journal of International Politics, China Information, China Economic Quarterly, Journal of Chinese Political Science, Journal of Current Chinese Affairs, China: An International Journal, Pacific Review, and Asian Survey, etc. Chatham House and Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) produce excellent research reports, and “China Leadership Monitor” by the Hoover Institute and the “China Brief” of the Jamestown Foundation provide expert analyses of current events.

**Seminar 1: IR Theories on Rising China and Global Power Transition**

Realists

Steve Chan, “Exploring Puzzles in Power Transition Theory: Implications for Sino-American Relations”, Security Studies 13:3 (2004): 103-141

Tom Christensen, The China Challenge - Shaping the Choices of a Rising Power (WW Norton 2015).

Ian Clark, “China and the United States: a succession of hegemonies?” International Affairs 87:1 (2011): 13–28.

Aaron L. Friedberg, “Globalisation and Chinese Grand Strategy”, Survival 60:1 (2018): 7-40,

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Charles Glaser, “Will China’s Rise Lead to War? Why Realism Does Not Mean Pessimism”, Foreign Affairs Vol. 90 No. 2 (March/April 2011).

Avery Goldstein, “Power Transitions, Institutions, and China's Rise in East Asia: Theoretical expectations and evidence”, Journal of Strategic Studies 30:4-5 (2007): 639-682.

Avery Goldstein, “An Emerging China’s Emerging Grand Strategy: A Neo-Bismarckian Turn?”, in Ikenberry, G. John, and Michael Mastanduno, ed. International Relations Theory and the Asia-Pacific ( Columbia UP 2003).

Woosang Kim and Scott Gates, ed. “Special Issue: Power transition theory and the rise of China,” International Area Studies Review 18(3, 2015): 219–226.

Jonathan Kirshner, “The Tragedy of Offensive Realism: Classical realism and the rise of China,” European Journal of International Relations 18:1 (2012).

Henry A. Kissinger, “Power Shifts”, Survival 52:6 (2010): 205-212.

Jack S. Levy, ‘Power Transition Theory and the Rise of China’, in Robert S. Ross and Zhu Feng, eds., China’s Ascent: Power, Security, and the Future of International Politics (Cornell 2009)

Yves-Heng Lim, “A Tale of Two Realisms in Chinese Foreign Policy”, China: An International Journal 9/2 (Sep 2011): 299-312; and “How (Dis)Satisfied is China? A power transition theory perspective”, Journal of Contemporary China 24/92 (2015).

James MacDouhall, Review Essay on Graham T. Allison, Destined for War: Can America and China Escape Thucydides's Trap? (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, 2017), https://pdfs.semanticscholar.org/b9ad/5c29be85e8e95a3a3a344c945394e5998faf.pdf.

Oriana Skylar Mastro, “The Stealth Superpower: How China Hide Its Global Ambitions”, 98 Foreign Aff. 31 (2019)

John J. Mearsheimer, “The Gathering Storm: China’s Challenge to US Power in Asia,” Chinese Journal of International Politics, Vol. 3 (2010).

Robert S. Ross, “Balance of Power Politics and the Rise of China: Accommodation and Balancing in East Asia”, Security Studies 15(3), Fall 2006.

Randell Schweller, “Emerging Powers in an Age of Disorder”, Global Governance 17 (2011): 285-297.

Randall Schweller and Xiaoyu Pu, “After Unipolarity China’s Visions of International Order in an Era of U.S. Decline”, International Security 36(1), Summer 2011: 41–72.

David Shambaugh, China’s Future. Polity 2016.

David Shambaugh, Charting China's Future: Domestic and International Challenges (Routledge 2011).

Robert Sutter, “China and America: The Great Divergence?”, Orbis (Summer 2014).

A. Tellis, A. Marble and T. Tanner, Asia’s Rising Power and America’s Continued Purpose (NBER 2010).

Liberal-Institutionalists

Gerald Chan, “China Faces the World: Making Rules for a New Order?” Journal of Global Policy and Governance Jul. 2013.

Rosemary Foot, “Remembering the Past to Secure the Present: Versailles legacies in a resurgent China”, International Affairs 95:1 (2019): 143–160.

Eric Helleiner, “A Bretton Woods moment? The 2007-2008 crisis and the future of global finance”, International Affairs 86(3, 2010): 619-636.

Eric Helleiner and Jonathan Kirshner, ed., The Great Wall of Money: Power and Politics in China's International Monetary Relations (Cornell 2014), Chapters 1, 2, 7, 8.

Andrew Hurrell, “Hegemony, liberalism and global order: what space for would‐be Great Powers?” International Affairs 82(1), Jan. 2006.

G. John Ikenberry, “The End of Liberal International Order?” International Affairs 94/1 (2018) 7–23.

Evan S. Medeiros. China’s International Behaviour (RAND 2009). Available at: http://www.rand.org/content/dam/rand/pubs/monographs/2009/RAND\_MG850.pdf

Edward Steinfeld, Playing Our Game: Why China's Rise Doesn't Threaten the West (Oxford 2010).

Constructivists/English School

Amitav Acharya, “Power Shift or Paradigm Shift? China's rise and Asia's emerging security order,” International Studies Quarterly 58(1), March 2014: 158–173.

A. Acharya, “‘Theorising the International Relations of Asia: necessity or indulgence?’ Some reflections,” The Pacific Review 30(6), 2017: 816-825.

Mark Beeson and Shaomin Xu, “Leadership with Chinese Characteristics: What role for soft power” Chapter 10 in Global and Regional Leadership of BRICS Countries (Springer 2016).

Barry Buzan, “China in International Society: Is ‘Peaceful Rise’ Possible?” Chinese Journal of International Politics 3(2010).

William Callahan, “Tianxia, Empire and the World: Soft Power and China’s Foreign Policy Discourse in the 21st Century”, in W. Callahan and E. Barabantseva, eds., China Orders the World? Soft Power, Norms and Foreign Policy (Woodrow Wilson Center Press, 2009).

David Kang, China Rising: Peace, Power, and Order in East Asia (Columbia 2007).

David C. Kang & Xinru Ma, “Power Transitions: Thucydides Didn’t Live in East Asia, The Washington Quarterly 41:1 (2018): 137-154.

Peter Katzenstein, “China’s Rise: Return, Rupture or Recombination?” in Peter Katzenstein and Takashi Shiraishi, eds., Beyond Japan, the Dynamics of East Asian Regionalism (Cornell University 2006).

Peter Katzenstein, ed., Sinicization and the Rise of China: Civilizational Processes beyond East and West (Routledge 2012).

Yuen Foong Khong, “Primacy or World Order? The United States and China’s Rise — A Review Essay”, International Security 38:3 (Winter 2013/14).

Jennifer Lind, “Life in China's Asia: What Regional Hegemony Would Look like,” 97 Foreign Aff. 71 (2018)

Liu Ruonan and Liu Feng, “Contending Ideas on China’s Non-Alliance Strategy”, The Chinese Journal of International Politics 2017, 151–171.

Liz Tobin, “Xi’s Vision for Transforming Global Governance: A Strategic Challenge for Washington and Its Allies”, The Strategist, Texas National Security Review, 2/1 (Nov 2018).

Chinese perspective and non-Western theoretical tradition

Yong Deng, “Hegemon on the Offensive: Chinese Perspectives on U. S. Global Strategy,” Political Science Quarterly 116(3), Autumn 2001: 343-365

Yong Deng, China’s Struggle for Status: The Realignment of International Relations (Cambridge 2008).

Roger Irvine, “Nationalists or Internationalists? China’s International Relation Experts Debate the Future,” Journal of Contemporary China 26(106), 2017: 586-600.

Jianwei Wang, “Xi Jinping’s ‘Major Country Diplomacy:’ A Paradigm Shift?”, Journal of Contemporary China 28:115 (2019): 15-30.

Wang Jisi, “International Relations Theory and the Study of Chinese Foreign Policy: A Chinese Perspective”, in T. W. Robinson and David L. Shambaugh, ed., Chinese Foreign Policy: Theory and Practice.

Xinbo Wu, “China in search of a liberal partnership international order”, International Affairs 94/5 (2018): 995–1018.

Zhengyu Wu, “Classical Geopolitics, Realism and the Balance of Power Theory”,

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Yan Xuetong, “From Keeping a Low Profile to Striving for Achievement,” The Chinese Journal of International Politics 7:2 (Summer 2014).

Yan Xuetong, “The Age of Uneasy Peace: Chinese Power in a Divided World”, 98 Foreign Aff. 40 (2019).

J. Zeng, Y. Xiao and S. Breslin, “Securing China’s Core Interests: the state of the debate in China”, International Affairs 91/2 (2015): 245–266.

Zhang Yongjin, “Introduction: Dynamism and contention: understanding Chinese foreign policy under Xi Jinping,” International Affairs 92(4), 2016: 769–772.

Y. Zhang and T-C. Chang ed., Constructing a Chinese School of International Relations: Ongoing Debates and Sociological Realities (Routledge 2016)

Zheng Bijian. “China’s ‘Peaceful Rise’ to Great-Power Status”, Foreign Affairs (Sep.-Oct. 2005), 18-24.

Various special readers of Chinese Journal of International Politics (CJIP), https://academic.oup.com/cjip/pages/cjip\_readers

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Mark Beeeson and Li Fujian, “What consensus? Geopolitics and policy paradigms in China and the United States”, International Affairs, 91(1, 2015) 93–109 and “China's Place in Regional and Global Governance: A New World Comes Into View”, Global Policy 7/4 (Nov 2016): 491-499.

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John Ciorciari, China’s Structural Power Deficit and Influence Gap in the Monetary Policy Arena”, Asian Survey, 54/5 (2014): 869–893.

Victor D. Cha, “Winning Asia: Washington’s Untold Success Story”, Foreign Affairs (Nov./Dec. 2007).

Dale Copeland, “Economic Interdependence and the Future of U.S.-Chinese Relations”, in Ikenberry and Mastanduno, eds., International Relations Theory and the Asia Pacific (Columbia 2003)

Daniel Drezner, “Bad Debts: Assessing China’s Financial Influence in Great Power Politics”, International Security, Vol. 34 No. 2 (Fall 2009).

Peter Drysdale, Adam Triggs and Jiao Wang, “China's New Role in the International Financial Architecture“, Asian Economic Policy Review, 12/2 (July 2017): 258-277.

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Amitai Etzioni, “The Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank: A case study of multifaceted containment,” Asian Perspective 40(2), Apr-Jul 2016: 173-196.

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Geoffrey Garrett, “G2 in G20: China, the United States and the World after the Global Financial Crisis”, Global Policy 1(1, 2010): 29-39.

Nana de Graaff and Bastiaan van Appeldoorn, “US–China relations and the liberal world order: contending elites, colliding visions?” International Affairs 94:1 (2018): 113–131.

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David A. Lake, “Economic Openness and Great Power Competition: Lessons for China and the United States”, The Chinese Journal of International Politics 2018: 1–34.

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**Seminar 3: The Belt and Road Initiative – toward a Grand Strategy?**

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