Yale Center Beijing plays an indispensable role in the Yale-China connection—hosting important and successful programs, strengthening Yale-China academic exchanges, helping to create new relationships and exchanges, and, by its very presence in Beijing, symbolizing Yale’s commitment to these activities. The importance of these roles has only increased. May YCB continue to thrive.

— Paul Gewirtz
Potter Stewart Professor of Constitutional Law and
Director, Paul Tsai China Center, Yale Law School

In a time when in-person connections are curtailed by the pandemic and relations between the United States and China are in difficulty, the role of Yale Center Beijing is more important than ever in providing channels of communication and chances to share experiences. I thoroughly enjoyed the chance to engage with a virtual audience to discuss U.S.-China engagement and hope the Center can continue to expand its work in the coming year.

— Susan Thornton
Senior Fellow and Visiting Lecturer, Paul Tsai China Center, Yale Law School,
and Former Acting Assistant Secretary for East Asian and Pacific Affairs, U.S. Department of State

Yale Center Beijing is an essential part of Yale’s engagement with China, an engagement that now reaches back almost 200 years. It is a meeting place for people from Yale and different groups from Chinese society: Scholars, business people, and officials. At times like these, nothing is more important than maintaining ties between Yale and all parts of Chinese society. We have much to learn from each other, and YCB is a vital part of that learning process.

— Odd Arne Westad
Elihu Professor of History and Global Affairs, and
Director, International Security Studies, Yale University

Yale Center Beijing is one of our most important partners. It was our great pleasure to work with YCB in the past year to build a high-quality academic exchange platform, benefiting scholars from Yale and Tsinghua University. The internationalization and professionalism of YCB impressed me deeply. I look forward to future cooperation with YCB in the coming years for more interactions between the two universities and two countries.

— Wei Da
Professor, School of Social Sciences, and
Director, Center for International Security and Strategy, Tsinghua University

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Dear Friends of Yale Center Beijing,

Yale Center Beijing (YCB) is proud to celebrate its eighth anniversary in Fall 2022.

We are grateful for the generosity and support of Yale University’s leadership, faculty, administrators, alumni, students, YCB’s founding donors and advisory committee members, as well as the Yale School of Management’s supervision and guidance on behalf of the University. Together, the Yale University community has enabled the Center to thrive as a convening space and intellectual hub that advances the University’s mission and engages thought leaders from China, U.S., and beyond.

Global engagement is core to Yale’s mission, and engaging with the University’s affiliates and partners in China forms an important part of the Center’s work. Over the past eight years, YCB has welcomed hundreds of Yale faculty speakers, close to 5,500 leadership and enrichment program participants, 53,000 guests, and collaborated with leading Chinese and non-U.S. universities to foster dialogues on diverse topics from architecture, environmental issues, to healthcare, and geopolitics. Through the thousand-plus events and programs the Center has led or supported, from speaker series such as the Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium, to leadership programs that include the Yale-Sequoia China Leadership Program, we strive to enhance Yale’s reputation, bring Yale’s research and scholarship to a broader audience, and magnify the impact of Yale faculty’s work in China.

During 2021–2022, although the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in restrictions on in-person activities and international travel, YCB has continued to lead as the most active and visible U.S. university center in China. In addition to a robust portfolio of frequent programming, the Center has maintained a substantial Chinese social media presence, with more than 855,000 followers to date. YCB’s Chinese news feed help keep the Chinese audience abreast of all things Yale from afar, whether it be the latest Yale faculty-led scientific breakthroughs, or the President’s 2022 Baccalaureate Address.

Looking ahead, the immense challenges that our world faces create an urgent need for engagement across cultures and disciplines. In the spirit of Lux et Veritas, we look forward to continuing to serve as a bridge connecting Yale, China, and the world.

Sincerely,

Carol Li Rafferty, Executive Director
On Behalf of the Yale Center Beijing Team
EVENTS, SPEAKER AND PROGRAM SERIES

Since Yale Center Beijing opened in late 2014, it has become a prominent convening space and vibrant activity hub for thousands of events and programs that feature Yale faculty and alumni speakers, as well as thought leaders from fields ranging from arts and humanities, economics and politics, environment and sustainability, health and medicine, and technology and entrepreneurship.

Additionally, we are proud to have engaged millions of viewers and thousands of participants through our diverse portfolio of speaker and program series, including:

GREENBERG DISTINGUISHED COLLOQUIUM

Thanks to the generosity of Mr. Maurice R. Greenberg, Chairman and CEO of Starr Insurance Companies, and a member of Yale Center Beijing’s Advisory Committee, Yale Center Beijing is pleased to host the Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium, which convenes thought leaders from all sectors who, in the spirit of Mr. Greenberg, play pivotal roles in building bridges among China, the U.S., and the rest of the world.

YALE UNIVERSITY PRESS-YALE CENTER BEIJING
“FIND YOUR NEXT GREAT READ” SERIES

In collaboration with Yale University Press (YUP), Yale Center Beijing has launched a speaker series that brings YUP’s new publications to a wider audience and create opportunities for readers to interact with the authors.

EXPERIENCE YALE PROGRAM SERIES

Yale Center Beijing has held Yale faculty-led multi-day programs over the years for next generation leaders and lifelong learners to engage in intellectual exchanges with peers and Yale faculty, discover new passions, and be immersed in critical thinking, evidence-based discussions, and collaborative activities.

2021.07.06

Rong Fan
Professor of Biomedical Engineering, Yale University

Space Adventure: The Next Wave of Biology Revolution Fueled by Spatial Omics

Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium

2021.07.09–07.30 Fridays

Tong Liu
Associate Research Scientist, Child Study Center, Yale University

Transforming Conflict Into an Educational Opportunity: Social-Emotional Parenting

Experience Yale Program Series
I had a wonderful experience working with Yale Center Beijing. My virtual talk on gender and public policy in China was engaging and generated a lot of interesting questions from the audience. After the talk, two high school students even reached out to me expressing interest in my research and in sociology in general. I hope there will be an opportunity for me to visit YCB in person.

— EMMA ZANG, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF SOCIOLOGY AND BIOSTATISTICS (SECONDARY), YALE UNIVERSITY
Mingzhu Wang MM ’07
Flutist

Guan Wang
Acting Principal Clarinetist, Orchestra Academia China

Bo Li
Horn Player, National Ballet of China Symphony Orchestra

Tzu-I Lee
Bassoonist, National Ballet of China Symphony Orchestra

Zhaohao Meng
Oboist

Midsummer Woodwind Quintet Recital
Mozart: The Magic Flute Overture
Bizet: Carmen Suite
Debussy: Prelude for Piano, Book I No. 8 (The Girl with the Flaxen Hair)
Shostakovich: Waltz No. 2
Ibert: Three Short Pieces
Disney Movie Music
Merry Women Warriors (Ballet: The Red Detachment of Women)
Folk Song from Xinjiang

2021.08.03

Weimin Zhong
Associate Professor of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology, Yale University
Why Neurons Die to Cause Neurodegeneration: A Need for Reevaluation of Alzheimer’s Disease and ALS Pathogenesis and Therapy
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium

2021.08.05

Lin Zhong
Professor of Computer Science, Yale University
From Massive MIMO to Quantum Computing: A Decade of Discovery by Prototyping
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium
2021.08.06

Robbie Kellman Baxter
Consultant, Author, Speaker

Song Ma
Assistant Professor of Finance, Yale School of Management

“Good to Great” in the Digital Economy: How Does the Membership Economy Drive Successful Businesses in China and the U.S.?
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium

2021.08.14–08.15

Jinyi Chu
Assistant Professor of Slavic Languages and Literature, Yale University

How to Read Others and Express Myself: Imagination and Critical Thinking
Experience Yale Program Series

2021.08.19

Michael Brenes
Interim Director, Brady-Johnson Program in Grand Strategy, and Lecturer in History, Yale University

Michael Franczak
Postdoctoral Fellow in Global Order, Perry World House

The Future of Great Power Relations
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium
In Collaboration With Penn Wharton China Center
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Music Producer, Composer, Father of Serene Li ’17  
Jing Lin  
Composer, Mother of Serene Li ’17  
Yulei Yu  
Author of *Journeying at a Snail’s Pace*,  
Mother of Mengyuan Li ’20  
Yufen Yang  
Educator, Author of *Grooming Future-Ready Kids*, Mother of Meng Li ’10 |
| 2021.08.27 | Social Responsibility in the Age of Climate Change:  
Personal, Corporate, and Global                                   | Xiaojun Qian  
Professor, School of Economics and Management, Director, Research Center for Green Economy and Sustainable Development, and Associate Dean of Academics, Schwarzman College, Tsinghua University  
Yi Wang  
Party Secretary, Deputy Dean, and Professor,  
School of Marxism Studies, Renmin University of China  
Meng Liu  
Head of Asia and Oceania, United Nations Global Compact |
My work with Yale Center Beijing was invigorating! I had the chance to lecture and workshop with a group of more than 40 Chinese high school writers. The students amazed me with their gameness; they were expertly prepared and the format gave them the chance to do their very best work. My contacts at YCB did a great job getting me ready and the other speakers at the event were absolutely brilliant.

Alfred Guy
Director of Undergraduate Writing and Tutoring, Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning, Yale University

What Is a Good Op-Ed? The Writing and Reviewing Process

Carl Zimmer
Professor Adjunct of Biophysics and Biochemistry and Lecturer in English, Yale University, and Columnist, New York Times

Writing About Science for the Public

Fred Strebeigh
Senior Lecturer Emeritus in English and in Forestry and Environmental Studies, Yale University

Writing About Climate Change

--- Alfred Guy, Director of Undergraduate Writing and Tutoring, Poorvu Center for Teaching and Learning, Yale University
2021.09.23

Ning Zhu PhD ’03
Deputy Dean and Professor of Finance, Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance, and Faculty Fellow, International Center for Finance, Yale School of Management

*The Transformation of China’s Economy*
In Collaboration With the U.S. Embassy in China

2021.09.27

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Qian Xiao
Deputy Director, Center for International Security and Strategy, Tsinghua University

Robert Williams
Executive Director, Paul Tsai China Center, Yale Law School

Yale-Tsinghua Student Dialogue
U.S.-China Engagement: Where Do We Go From Here

Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium
In Collaboration With the Paul Tsai China Center, Yale Law School, and the Center for International Security and Strategy, Tsinghua University

2021.11.11

Yongcheng Long
Honorary Chairman, Chinese Primate Society

Zhonglun Lian
General Manager, Gojek Singapore

Ziying Liu, Qinglan Du, and Kexin Wang
Students, Finalists of the Smart Talks on Climate Change Essay Competition

*The 3rd Caixin Global Young Leaders Forum*

Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium
In Collaboration With Caixin Global

2021.12.07

Paul Freedman
Chester D. Tripp Professor of History, Yale University

*Why Food Matters?*

Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium
I very much enjoyed my discussion with Devin Lau and the Yale Center Beijing team. I was able to pose questions and engage in a discussion of topics I thought might be off limits owing to politics. There was almost nothing we shied away from.

—CRAIG WRIGHT, HENRY L. AND LUCY G. MOSES PROFESSOR OF MUSIC EMERITUS, YALE UNIVERSITY
2021.12.20

The 9th Shenzhen Piano Music Festival 2021
In Collaboration With the Shenzhen Piano Music Festival

2022.01.08

Misha Naminovsky MM ’11
Associate Professor of Piano, Central Conservatory of Music

“Tribute” Solo Piano Concert

Tribute to Solomon Mikowsky
Cuban Dances
Ernesto Leccisona: La Comparsa
Ignacio Cervantes: Tiene Que Ser
Ignacio Cervantes: La Carcajada
Ignacio Cervantes: Amistad
Ignacio Cervantes: Los Tres Golpes
Ernesto Leccisona: Danza Lucumi

Tribute to Eliso Versaladze
Rachmaninoff: Preludes and Etudes
Prelude in C Major, Op. 32, No. 1
Etude in E-flat Minor, Op. 33, No. 6
Prelude in G Major, Op. 32, No. 5
Prelude in C Minor, Op. 23, No. 7
Prelude in B Minor, Op. 32, No. 10
Etude in E-flat Major, Op. 33, No. 7

Tribute to Hung-Kuan Chen
Schubert: Sonata in C minor, D. 958

2022.01.11

Cole Roskam
Associate Professor of Architectural History, University of Hong Kong

Yishi Liu
Associate Professor, School of Architecture, Tsinghua University

Yale University Press-Yale Center Beijing “Find Your Next Great Read” Series

2022.01.15

Christopher Barden ’89
Wei Che MA ’95
Huan Gao MA ’03
Ting Wang JD ’05
Hongyu Huang PhD ’07

Remembering Jonathan Spence
In Collaboration With Yale Club of Beijing and Yale International Alliance
Song Ma  
Assistant Professor of Finance, Yale School of Management  
Big Data Evidence: Why College Education Matters and How to Make Educated Choices  
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium

2022.02.23

Elbridge Colby JD ’09  
Wei Da  
Professor, School of Social Sciences, and Director, Center for International Security and Strategy, Tsinghua University  
Minghao Zhao  
Adjunct Fellow, Center for International Security and Strategy, Tsinghua University, and Senior Fellow, Institute of International Studies, Fudan University  
Yale-Tsinghua Student Dialogue: The Strategy of Denial  
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium  
In Collaboration With the Paul Tsai China Center, Yale Law School, and the Center for International Security and Strategy, Tsinghua University

Jeremy Black  
Emeritus Professor of History, University of Exeter  
How Best to Tackle Global Military History  
Yale University Press-Yale Center Beijing “Find Your Next Great Read” Series

Working with Yale Center Beijing was a great pleasure. YCB was able to deftly arrange and host a forum on topics of immense sensitivity in Sino-U.S. relations. The discussion was candid but also cordial and constructive — a rarity in contemporary relations between Washington and Beijing.

2022.02.24

Emily Erikson
Associate Professor of Sociology, and Joseph C. Fox Director, Fox International Fellowship, Yale University

*Charting the Rise of Modern Economic Thought*

*Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium*

2022.03.03

Zoe Chance
Assistant Professor of Marketing, Yale School of Management

*Influence Is Your Superpower*

*Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium*

2022.03.09

Chris Armstrong
Professor of Political Theory, University of Southampton

*Why We Need a New Politics for the Ocean*

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Qing Li
Deputy Secretary-General, China Scholarship Council (CSC)

Li Meng
Director, Division of American & Oceanian Affairs, CSC

Chao Liu
Deputy Director, Division of American & Oceanian Affairs, CSC

Binxin Liu
Project Manager, Division of American & Oceanian Affairs, CSC

China Scholarship Council Delegation Visit
Fangfang Chen MBA ’99  
Asia Pacific Chairman, BNY Mellon

Chao Deng  
Managing Partner, HashKey Capital

Yuanjie Zhang  
Co-Founder, Conflux

Siyan Xu  
Senior Researcher, Tencent Research Institute

Ming Li  
Founder, Top Labs

Neo Liang  
Technical Director, Dfinity Asia Ecological Fund

Boyang Wang  
Founder, P12

Jingjie Long MBA ’13  
Advisor, HashKey Capital

Web 3.0: A Panel Discussion  
In Collaboration With Yale Club of Beijing

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2022.03.10

Jo Handelsman  
Director, Wisconsin Institute for Discovery, University of Wisconsin-Madison, and Science Advisor to Former U.S. President Barack Obama

Yan Shi  
Founder and Executive Director, Shared Harvest Organic Farm, and Co-President, International Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) Network (URGENCI)

A World Without Soil  
Yale University Press-Yale Center Beijing  
“Find Your Next Great Read” Series

The Yale Center Beijing audience was exciting and the panel most interesting! It was a pleasure to share the message of my book with this group.

—JO HANDELSMAN, DIRECTOR OF WISCONSIN INSTITUTE FOR DISCOVERY, UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON
2022.03.17

Ning Zhu PhD ’03
Deputy Dean and Professor of Finance, Shanghai Advanced Institute of Finance, and Faculty Fellow, International Center for Finance, Yale School of Management

Diffusing China’s Guaranteed Bubble
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium
In Collaboration With the Yale School of Management Alumni Association Beijing Chapter and Yale In Investment Group

2022.03.19

Michael Pettis
Professor of Finance, Peking University, and Senior Fellow, Carnegie-China Center

Matthew C. Klein ’09
Writer, The Overshoot

Trade Wars Are Class Wars
Yale University Press-Yale Center Beijing “Find Your Next Great Read” Series

2022.03.31

Alan Chen MBA ’06
Managing Partner, Bishan Capital

Martin Ma PhD ’07
Founder & CEO, Happy Universe

Zheng Feng MS ’11
Vice President, Shunwei Capital

Sen Hu MS ’11
Founder & CEO, MetaApp

Sandy Jin ’16
Founder & CEO, Versetech

Metaverse: A Panel Discussion
In Collaboration With Yale Club of Beijing
My virtual session at Yale Center Beijing was a wonderful experience. The attendees were fully engaged, asked thoughtful questions, and were willing to think critically about the misconceptions we have regarding the causes of criminal behavior. It was a rich and lively experience! YCB staff were incredibly organized and made it super easy to jump right into the material.

—Arielle Baskin-Sommers, Associate Professor of Psychology and of Psychiatry, Yale University
2022.05.09

Alex Kay
Senior Lecturer in History, University of Potsdam

Empire of Destruction: A History of Nazi Mass Killing
Yale University Press-Yale Center Beijing “Find Your Next Great Read” Series

2022.05.11

Saad Omer
Professor of Medicine (Infectious Diseases), Yale School of Medicine, Susan Dwight Bliss Professor of Epidemiology of Microbial Diseases, Yale School of Public Health, and Director, Yale Institute for Global Health

Where Are We Now With COVID?
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium

2022.05.18

Jing Tsu
John M. Schiff Professor of East Asian Languages and Literatures & Comparative Literature, Yale University, and Member, Yale Center Beijing Advisory Committee

Kingdom of Characters
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium
In Collaboration With the Royal Asiatic Society, Beijing (RASBJ)
2022.05.24

Peter Salovey PhD '86
President and Chris Argyris Professor of Psychology, Yale University

Kerwin Charles
Indra K. Nooyi Dean and Frederic D. Wolfe Professor of Economics, Policy and Management, Yale School of Management

Joel Getz
Deputy Dean for Alumni, Development, and Special Initiatives, Yale School of Management

Neil Shen ’92
Founding & Managing Partner, Sequoia China, and Chairman, Yale Center Beijing Advisory Committee

Bob Xiao Ping Xu
Founder, ZhenFund, and Vice Chair, Yale Center Beijing Advisory Committee

Jane Sun
CEO & Director, Trip.com Group Limited, and Member, Yale Center Beijing Advisory Committee

Andrew Metrick
Janet L. Yellen Professor of Finance and Management, Yale School of Management

Howard Forman
Professor of Radiology and Biomedical Imaging, Economics, and Public Health (Health Policy), and Professor in the Practice of Management, Director of the MD/MBA Program, Director of Healthcare Curriculum, MBA for Executives Program, Yale School of Management

Carol Li Rafferty ’00
Executive Director, Yale Center Beijing

Yale Center Beijing Advisory Committee Meeting 2022
2022.06.11

Deborah Davis
Professor Emerita of Sociology, Yale University
Suowei Xiao
Associate Professor of Sociology, Beijing Normal University

Changing Family Dynamics in Urban China
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium

2022.06.10

Andreas Kilcher
Professor of Literature and Cultural Studies, ETH Zurich
Paul North
Professor of Germanic Languages & Literatures and Department Chair, Yale University

Kafka’s Drawings
Yale University Press-Yale Center Beijing
“Find Your Next Great Read” Series

2022.06.17

Frank Snowden
Andrew Downey Orrick Professor Emeritus of History & History of Medicine, Yale University

When Does the Pandemic End—A Historical Perspective
Greenberg Distinguished Colloquium

2022.06.02

Carol Li Rafferty ‘00
Executive Director, Yale Center Beijing
Qingmei Yang
Secretary General, China-Italy Design Innovation Hub, Tsinghua University

Tsinghua University Office of International Affairs – Yale Center Beijing Dialogue on International Strategy

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LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

Since its inception, Yale Center Beijing has led and supported leadership development programs for established and aspiring leaders in China and beyond.

Although we come from different places, we share a common purpose: to improve ourselves, so that we can improve the world. Yale’s mission statement expresses our highest ambitions. It says, in part, “Yale is committed to improving the world today and for future generations,” and “Yale educates aspiring leaders worldwide who serve all sectors of society.”

—Peter Salovey PhD ‘86
President and Chris Argyris Professor of Psychology, Yale University

As a pioneering collaboration between a university and a venture capital-private equity firm, the Yale-Sequoia China Leadership Program was established in 2016 to groom the next generation of global business leaders and provide insights into both Chinese and Western entrepreneurship and business practices. The program has since welcomed more than 130 participants spread among four cohorts, who are founders, CEOs, and senior executives of Sequoia China’s portfolio companies.
"Under the current environment, do today’s entrepreneurs still have the same opportunities as ten or twenty years ago? My answer is yes, there are as many exciting opportunities today as the past."

— Neil Shen ’92

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Joel Getz
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Opening Remarks

Miroslav Volf
Henry B. Wright Professor of Theology, Yale Divinity School, and Founder & Director, Yale Center for Faith and Culture, Yale University

Life Worth Living

Libua Yang
Professor of Philosophy, Peking University

The Essence of Confucius and Mencius Philosophy

Jinyi Chu
Assistant Professor of Slavic Language and Literature, Yale University

The Aphoristic Way: Lev Tolstoy’s Translations of the Tao Te Jing

Kaiping Peng
Dean, School of Social Sciences, Tsinghua University

Positive Psychology in Leadership

Paul Bloom
Brooks and Suzanne Ragen Professor Emeritus of Psychology, Yale University

Pleasure, Suffering and the Good Life

Zhihui Tang
Executive Coach, Former Vice President, JD Group

Finding One’s Self

Woo-Kyoung Ahn
Professor of Psychology, and Director, Thinking Lab, Yale University

Confirmation Bias

Tianchi Liu
Actress, Associate Professor in the Acting Department, Central Academy of Drama

Acting, Life, Leadership

Anyuan Zhang
Chief Economist, Sequoia China

China’s 14th Five-Year Plan (2021–2025) and Economic Development

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John Lewis Gaddis
Robert A. Lovett Professor of Military & Naval History, Yale University

Odd Arne Westad
Elihu Professor of History and Global Affairs, and Director, International Securities Studies, Yale University

Russia-Ukraine War and the New World Order

Tian Xu PhD ’90
Vice President, Westlake University
Professor Adjunct of Genetics, Yale School of Medicine
Biotechnology and Its Applications

Joey Chan
Organization Development Consultant
Developing Leaders for a Complex World

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Diffusing China’s Guaranteed Bubble

Kun Liu
President and Director of Research, Brain Peace Science Foundation, and Former Visiting Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Yale School of Medicine
Physical Exercise Affecting Cognition and Emotion
2021.07.17–07.18

Zhiping Song
President, China Association for Listed Companies

Ten Rules for Doing Business

2021.09.11

Wei Chen
Executive Director, China Jingyi Group, and Chairman, Zhejiang Huajingtong Tourism Development

How to Integrate Regional Strategy and Business Strategy Into a Coherent National Strategy: Case Study of Zaozhuang, A Resource-Exhausted City

Zhixiong Deng
Director, Sinochem Group, China Aerospace Science and Industry Group

Mixed Reforms at State-Owned Enterprises: Challenges and Opportunities

Baoxing Qiu
Counsellor, China’s State Council, and Former Vice Minister, Ministry of Housing and Urban-Rural Development

An Urban-Centered “Double Carbon” Strategy

*ICC-NDRC stands for the International Cooperation Center of China’s National Development and Reform Commission
FORTHCOMING PROGRAMS

EXPERIENCE YALE PROGRAM SERIES
&
SMART TALKS ON CLIMATE CHANGE
2022.07.15–2022.08.06

**Around the World in Eight Lectures**

**Experience Yale Program Series**

**Martha Muñoz**
Assistant Professor of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Yale University

*Anoles Lizards, Evolution, and Climate Change in the Caribbean*

**Mary Miller ’78, PhD ’81**
Sterling Professor Emeritus of Art, Yale University, and Director, Getty Research Institute

*Within the Palace: Maya Courtly Life c 800 CE*

**Maurice Samuels**
Betty Jane Anlyan Professor of French, Yale University

*Paris, 1832*

**Abbas Amanat**
William Graham Sumner Professor of History Emeritus, Yale University

*Iran: From an Empire to a Nation*

**Morgan Ng**
Assistant Professor of Renaissance Architecture and Visual Culture, Yale University

*The Artistic Splendors of Renaissance Rome*

**Erik Harms**
Professor of Anthropology & Southeast Asia Studies, Director of Graduate Studies, and Chair, Council on Southeast Asian Studies, Yale University

*Who is a Neighborhood? A View From Saigon*

**Lingxin Zhang**
Lector of Ancient Egyptian Languages, Yale University

*“Holy of Holies” — Monumentalizing the Extraordinary Reign of Hatshepsut*

**Elihu Rubin ’99**
Associate Professor of Urbanism, Yale School of Architecture

*The American City*
2022.08.19–20, 08.26–27

**Short Introduction to English Poetry**

David Bromwich  
Sterling Professor of English, Yale University

*What Is a Poem?*  
* Forms and Occasions  
* Youth and Drama  
* Individual Genius

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**Smart Talks on Climate Change**

In Collaboration With Caixin Global

**Ronald Smith**  
Damon Wells Professor Emeritus of Earth & Planetary Sciences, Yale University

*The Meteorology of Renewable Energy*

**Robert Dubrow**  
Professor of Epidemiology (Environmental Health Sciences), Yale School of Public Health, and Faculty Director, Yale Center on Climate Change and Health, Environmental Health Sciences

*Climate Change Mitigation: Protecting the Health of Current and Future Generations*

**Douglas Kysar**  
Joseph M. Field ’53 Professor of Law, Yale Law School

*International Climate Change Law and Policy*

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