The 19th National Congress of CPC and China’s Development

The 19th National Congress of Chinese Communist Party held in October 2017. It delivered the national strategies of development for the next five years, as well as the next 30 more years, i.e. the two stage objectives of China’s development until 2050. The new leadership has the ambition to have China become the modernized strong socialist state with Chinese characteristics. What are the impacts of the Party Congress on the further development of China?

The Confucius Institute at VUB, Brussels Academy for China and European Studies, working together with Saint Louis University Brussels, College of Europe, Universite Libre de Bruxelles, European Institute for Asian Studies and Belgium China Studies Network will organize an academic conference on The 19th National Congress of CPC and China’s Development on 29-30 November in Brussels. The five panels will cover China’s domestic politics, economics, social development, environmental management, foreign policy and external relations.

Chinese Panelists:
- Prof. DU Peng, Vice President, Renmin University of China
- Prof. JING Yuejin, Department of Political Science, Tsinghua University
- Prof. ZHANG Jing, Department of Sociology, Peking University
- Prof. DING Chun, Centre for European Studies, Fudan University
- Prof. PAN Zhongqi, School of International and Public Affairs, Fudan University
- Prof. HUANG Weiping, School of Economics, Renmin University of China
- Prof. SHI Jian, Sichuan University
- Dr. LI Yong, China Association of NGO
- Mr. KANG Jincheng, Chinese Academy of Engineering

European Panelists:
- Prof. Mario Telo, Universite Libre de Bruxelles
- Prof. Jean-Christophe Defraigne, Saint Louis University Brussels
- Prof. SONG Xinning, Brussels Academy for China and European Studies & Confucius Institute at VUB
- Prof. MEN Jing, College of Europe
- Dr. Duncan Freeman, College of Europe
- Prof. David Fouquet, CERIS
- Mr. Fraser Cameron, EU-Asia Centre Brussels
- Prof. LIU Chunrong, Fudan Centre for China Studies, Copenhagen University
- Prof. Maelys de la Rupelle, Université de Cergy-Pontoise, France
- Prof. Thierry Kellner, Universite Libre de Bruxelles
- Dr. FENG Yuan, Universite Libre de Bruxelles

Venue:
29 November (9:00-17:30), U-Residence, VUB, Generaal Jacqueslaan 271, 1050 Brussels
30 November (9:00-11:30), Asian Platform, Rue de la Loi 26, 10th Floor, 1000 Brussels