

**THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG**  
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Interdisciplinary Workshop on Contemporary China Studies

**The Boundaries of Democracy:  
New Developments in Hong Kong and Taiwan's Relations with China Mainland**

Date: Friday October 10, 2014

Time: 09:30 (Registration at 09:00)

Venue: Social Sciences Chamber, 11/F, The Jockey Club Tower, Centennial Campus, HKU

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TIME	PROGRAMME
09:30 – 09:40	Opening Address Professor John P. Burns, Dean of Social Sciences, HKU Professor Sebastian Veg, Director of the CEFC
09:40 – 09:45	Souvenir Presentation and Group Photo
09:45 – 10:45	<b>Session I: Business Migrations</b> Chair: Sebastian Veg (CEFC)  <i>Taiwanese Businessmen in China: Identity Change or Adaptation?</i> Professor Richard Hu Department of Politics and Public Administration, HKU  <i>Fading Opportunities: Hong Kong in the Context of Regional Integration</i> Professor Lui Tai Lok Department of Asian and Policy Studies, Hong Kong Institute of Education  Discussant: Professor David Zweig Division of Social Science, HKUST
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:00	<p><b>Session II: Economic Cooperation: Growing Economic Integration between Hong Kong / Taiwan and China and an Assessment of Its Impact on Populations and Policies</b></p> <p>Chair: Dr. Stéphane Corcuff French Centre for Research on Contemporary China</p> <p><i>Under the Shadow of China. Beijing's Policy towards Hong Kong and Taiwan in Comparative Perspective</i> Samson Yuen Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Oxford</p> <p><i>Real Estate Elite, Economic Development, and Political Conflicts in Post-Colonial Hong Kong</i> Dr. Stan Wong Hok-wui Department of Government and Public Administration, Chinese University of Hong Kong</p> <p>Discussant: Dr. Peter Cheung Department of Politics and Public Administration, HKU</p>
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch @ Bijas
13:00 – 15:00	<p><b>Session III: Pan-Chinese Nationalism and Cultural Identity Discourse</b></p> <p>Chair: Professor Jean-Philippe Béja French Centre for Research on Contemporary China</p> <p><i>Localism and Cultural Nationalism in Hong Kong since the Handover</i> Professor Sebastian Veg French Centre for Research on Contemporary China</p> <p><i>On-going Reform of History Textbooks since 1994 in Taiwan: The Situation under Ma Ying-jeou (2008-)</i> Dr. Stéphane Corcuff French Centre for Research on Contemporary China</p> <p><i>The Lilliputian Dream: Some Reflections on Hong Kong Nationalism</i> Dr. Wu Rwei-ren Institute of Taiwan History, Academia Sinica</p> <p><i>Nationalism and Liberal Democracy in Taiwan: Growth of Taiwanese National Identity among the Generations Educated under Democracy (1990s – 2010s)</i> Dr. Frank Muyard French Centre for Research on Contemporary China</p> <p>Discussants: Dr. Ip Iam Chong</p>

	<p>Department of Cultural Studies, Lingnan University</p> <p>Professor Sonny Lo Department of Social Sciences, Hong Kong Institute of Education</p>
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee Break
15:30 – 16:30	<p><b>Session IV: Political Institutions</b></p> <p>Chair: Dr. Yvonne Chiu Department of Politics &amp; Public Administration, HKU</p> <p><i>Looking into the Black Box: The KMT-CCP Forum and Cross-Strait Governance</i> André Beckershoff The European Research Centre on Contemporary China, University of Tübingen</p> <p><i>The Partnership between Chinese Government and Hong Kong's Capitalist Class: Implications for HKSAR Governance, 1997 – 2012</i> Dr. Brian Fong Department of Asian and Policy Studies, Hong Kong Institute of Education</p> <p>Discussant: Professor Jean-Philippe Béja French Centre for Research on Contemporary China</p>
16:30 – 18:00	<p><b>Session V: Social Movements</b></p> <p>Chair: Samson Yuen (CEFC)</p> <p>「中國因素」氣旋下的台港公民社會運動 Professor Wu Jieh-min Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica</p> <p><i>How Feedback Matters? The Diffusion of Vigorous Activism in Postcolonial Hong Kong</i> Edmund Cheng London School of Economics / The School of Arts and Social Sciences, The Open University of Hong Kong</p> <p><i>Understanding Taiwan's Sunflower Movement: Its Origin and Dynamics</i> Dr. Ho Ming-sho Department of Sociology, National Taiwan University</p> <p>Discussant: Chang Tieh-chih Chinese University of Hong Kong</p>
18:00 – 18:30	<p>Concluding Remarks</p> <p>Professor Richard Hu Professor Sebastian Veg</p>

19:00 - 21:00

Dinner in downtown 寧波同鄉會  
D'Aguilar Street, Central.