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MONDAY, JULY 17TH

REGISTRATION: 9:00 am – 6:00 pm

Location: Pullman Hotel Kaifeng

WELCOME DINNER: 6:30 pm

Location: Pullman Hotel Kaifeng

TUESDAY, JULY 18TH

OPENING CEREMONY: 8:30 - 8:35 am

KEYNOTE TALK: 8:35 - 9:35 am

James Kung (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology)

Long Live Keju! The Persistent Effects of China's Imperial Examination System.

GROUP PICTURE: 9:35 - 9:45 am

Coffee/Tea Break: 9:45-10:00 am

PLENARY SESSION: 10:00 - 12:20 am

Chair: Zhiyong Yao (Fudan University)

Qiang Fu and Ming Li Hong Kong Baptist University, **Xue Qiao** (Tsinghua University)

On the Paradox of Mediocracy

Chi-Chur Chao (Deakin University), Mong Shan Ee, and Jing Zhang

Shadow Banking and Economic Development in Developing Countries: Evidence from China

Phil Z. Xu (Henan University)

Limited penetration of governance and conflicts in Sub-Saharan Africa

Zhiyong Yao (Fudan University)

Bribe to Grow

LUNCH: 12:30 - 13:30 pm

PARALLEL SESSIONS 1: 13:30 - 15:00 pm

Panel 1A:

Chair: Dan Li (Fudan University)

Yu Hao (Peking University), Zhengcheng Liu

Strengthened Helping Hand and Tightened Grabbing Hand: the Short Life of a Successful Fiscal Reform

Bai Yu (University of Bologna)

Good Bye Chiang Kai-shek? Long-Lasting Effects of an Autocratic Regime

Dan Li (Fudan University)

Reputation Building of a Nascent Government in Debt Financing - Lessons from the Bond Market in China, 1912-37.

Panel 1B:

Chair: Frank M. Shao (Henan University)

Tsun-Feng Chiang (Henan University)

Land price and local fiscal expenditure in China: theory and evidence.

Qianqian Wang (Henan University)

To be direct or indirect exporter: a spatial Probit approach.

Frank M. Shao (Henan University)

Skill, occupation, and labor pay

Coffee/Tea Break: 15:00 - 15:10 pm

PARALLEL SESSIONS 2: 15:10 - 16:40 pm

Panel 2A

Chair: Haicheng Jiang (Queen's University Belfast)

Tobias Haegg (Peking University), X. Chen, Q. Meng, J. Strauss, Y. Wang, Y. Zhao

The Impact of health insurance generosity on health care utilization and expenditures --- evidence from CHARLS panel data

Chao Liang (Shandong University)

Bride Price and Sex Ratio

Haicheng Jiang (Queen's University Belfast)

Genetic Diversity and Trust: Evidence from African Continent

Panel 2B

Chair: Eden Yu (Chuhai College)

Cong Wang, **Xue Wang** (Jinan University)

The Macroeconomic Effects of RMB Internationalization: the Perspective of Outside Circulation

Lunan Jiang (Henan University), Lin Zhang

Accounting for Provincial Interest Margin Differences in China

Eden Yu (Chuhai College)

Invention, Innovation and Economic growth

Break: 16:40 -16:50 pm

PARALLEL SESSIONS 3: 16:50 - 17:50

Panel 3A

Chair: Baomin Dong (Henan University)

Shiyu Bo, **Liuchun Deng** (John Hopkins University), Yufeng Sun, Boqun Wang

A Tale of Two Decentralizations: Volatility and Economic Regimes

Baomin Dong (Henan University), Bingjin Li, Huasheng Song

Corruption and Natural Resources: Evidence from Chinese Coalmines

Panel 3B

Chair: Junwei Shi (Zhongnan University of Economics and Law)

Yan Wu (Washington University), Nico Heerink, Linhui Yu

Exposure to the Real Estate Boom and Intra-industry Resource Allocation Efficiency:
Industrial Level Evidence from China

Junwei Shi (Zhongnan University of Economics and Law), Weili Xie

Institutional quality and national industrial competence: evidence from large countries

DINNER: 18:00 - 20:30

WEDNESDAY, JULY 19TH

KEYNOTE TALK: 8:30-9:30 am

Gregory Clark (University of California at Davis)

The Big Sort: Selective Migration and the Decline of Northern England, 1900-2017

Coffee/Tea Break: 9:30-9:45 am

PLENARY SESSION: 9:45-11:15

Panel 4A

Chair: Pinghan Liang (Sun Yat-sen University), Runhua Zhou

Yuxiao Zhang, Mingyue Fang, Ting Jiang, **Huihua Nie** (Renmin University of China)

A New Broom Skims the Cream: Zombie Firms and Tenure in Office

Charles Vanmarrewijk (XJ Liverpool University)

Chinese economic development: two stories and two problems

Pinghan Liang (Sun Yat-sen University), Runhua Zhou

The Limits of Promotion Tournaments: Social Ties among Officials and Regional Economic Performance

Break: 11:15-11:20 am



PARALLEL SESSION 5: 11:20 - 12:50

Panel 5A

Chair: Ziyan Yang (University of Maryland)

Don Lien (University of Texas at San Antonio), TBA

Yuan Liu (South China Normal University), Pei Lu

合作化运动、农民退出权与新中国农业生产率

Jiwei Qian (National University of Singapore), Zhouyi Wen, Jin Jiang

Instrumental Enforcement of Social Regulation in Socialism with Chinese Characteristics

Ziyan Yang (University of Maryland)

Contract Design in China's Rural Land Rental Market: Contractual Flexibility and Rental Payment.

Panel 5B

Chair: Pasquale Sgro (Deakin University)

Xingtang Wang, **Jie Li** (Jinan University)

Hotelling's Competition with Non-uniform Consumer Distribution: A Relative Performance Evaluation Approach

Jiaqing Zhu (Jinan University), Guangzhong Li, Jie Li

Merge to Become Too Big to Fail: A Real Option Approach

Pasquale Sgro (Deakin University)

Product Quality, Intellectual Property Right Protection and International Standards

LUNCH: 13:00 - 14:30 pm

Note: authors whose names appear in bold font are presenting authors.