

Curriculum Vitae

Dr Jianyong Yue

Languages Mandarin Chinese [native]: speaking [native]; reading [native]; writing [native]

Research Interests Chinese Politics/ Political Economy, Chinese Foreign Policy
International Political Economy/ International Relations
Globalisation and Development Studies

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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS & TRAINING

05.2012 Training for **PhD supervision**, King's College London (**KCL**)

09.2004 - 09.2011 **PhD in Government**
The London School of Economics and Political Science (**LSE**)

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENT

05. 2012 Nominated for **King's Teaching Excellence Award 2011-12**,
King's College London (KCL), UK

MEDIA EXPERIENCE

Interview by *Today on Wall Street* (26/10/2021):
■ 'The WTO deal, Sino-US Relations, and China's Rise'

Interview by *Today on Wall Street* (07/10/2021):
■ 'Biden's New Trade Policy Toward China'

Interview by *Today on Wall Street* (16/04/2021):
■ 'EU-US Feud over Approaches to China and China's Diplomatic impasse'

Interview by *Today on Wall Street* (11/03/2021):
■ 'Is China Overtaking the United States as the New Global Hegemon?'

Special Interview: '**Ten Years after China joins the WTO: Gains and Losses**':
By *Phoenix Weekly* (凤凰周刊), one of the most influential periodicals in China focusing on politics, business and social events, from its base in Hong Kong
Dates: 15 Dec 2011 (Part I) and 25 Dec 2011 (Part II)

PUBLICATIONS (select)

Book

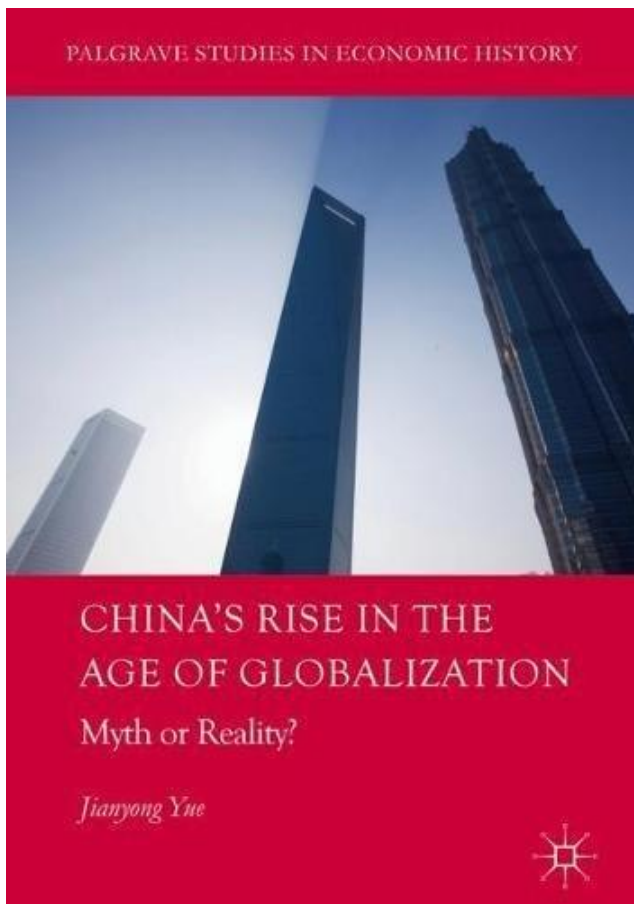
- 1) (2023) **The Institutional Origins of China's Rise and Decline** (London: *Palgrave Macmillan*), forthcoming
- 2) (2018): **China's Rise in the Age of Globalisation: Myth or Reality?** (London: *Palgrave MacMillan*). <http://www.palgrave.com/gb/book/9783319639963>
Hardcover ISBN: 978-3-319-63996-3; Softcover ISBN: 978-3-319-87694-8
eBook ISBN: 978-3-319-63997-0; DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-63997-0
Length: 386 pages
Amazon: <https://www.amazon.co.uk/Chinas-Rise-Age-Globalization-Palgrave/dp/331963996X>

Editorial Review (Original)

————— "A volume that will make for uncomfortable reading for those in both the PRC and western capitals who believe China's rise poses a meaningful challenge to the liberal order. China in this reading is an inward-looking 'restless empire' focusing on internal security and continuing ruling its own people the way that is bound to fail in the age of the Internet. Interesting and uncertain times lie ahead!" (**Michael Cox**, Professor Emeritus at London School of Economics and Political Science; Director of LSE IDEAS, UK)

————— "This is a novel and critical examination of China's rise that challenges received views and reveals the inconsistencies in more conventional accounts. After a forensic re-examination of key chapters of China's recent economic history that focuses on the domestic political debate, Jianyong Yue questions whether today's China can commit to Western policy norms and highlights its failure to overcome fundamental economic weaknesses. A must-read for those looking for an alternative view of China's past and future." (**John Farnell**, Academic Visitor at Oxford University China Centre, UK, and Senior Adviser, EU-Asia Centre, Brussels. He used to be the European Commission's Director responsible for international affairs in the Enterprise and Industry Directorate-General: <https://blog.politics.ox.ac.uk/author/john-farnell/>)

————— "Insightful, eloquent, and thought-provoking, this book challenges many prevailing but misleading academic and policy interpretations of China's ascend as a global power, and provides a fresh view to international societies for reconsidering the rise of China and its global implications. Such an analysis is desperately needed but overdue for a long time, now Jianyong Yue has made it." (**Guoguang Wu**, Professor of Political Science at University of Victoria, Canada; author of *Globalization against Democracy*; former adviser to the CCP's General Secretary Zhao Ziyang on Chinese political reform in the 1980s)



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This book deconstructs a series of myths surrounding China's economic rise. The first myth is that globalization led directly to China's rise; the second is that China is another East Asian developmental state; the third that China's market reform had been implemented in an incremental way; and fourth that China's "resilient authoritarianism" has been effective in ensuring the country's economic and political transformation. Covering the entire reform period from the end of the Cultural Revolution in 1976 to the present day, the author calls for readers to rethink globalization and leave more policy space for China and the developing nations to pursue national development through internal integration, which is more conducive to democratic transition and global peace.

Jianyong Yue formerly taught Chinese Politics and Development at King's College London and London School of Economics and Political Science, UK.

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<https://www.worldcat.org/title/992785278>

Book Review

(2018): Book Review for *Globalization against Democracy* authored by Guoguang Wu, ***Journal of Contemporary East Asia Studies***, 7:1, 76-78, DOI: 10.1080/24761028.2018.1477465.

To link to this article: <https://doi.org/10.1080/24761028.2018.1477465>

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Journal homepage: <http://www.tandfonline.com/loi/reas20>

Journal Articles

I. Chinese Politics, Political Economy, and Development

- 1) (2022): 'The Limits to China's Peaceful Rise – Deep Integration and a New Cold War,' *Global Policy*, 13:1, pp. 91-106. <https://doi.org/10.1111/1758-5899.13040>
- 2) (2018): '**The Sino-US Trade War: Problems and Essence**,' *Macau Journal of Law and Politics*, 1:7, pp. 1-21, ISSN 2225-5745; Reprinted by *New Perspectives* (formerly *Leaders*) owned by *The U.S.-China New Perspectives Foundations* (Washington DC, USA), Aug 2018; Vol 83, pp. 9-23, ISSN 1814-4284
- 3) (2016): '**China, Global Capitalism and the Quest for Legitimacy**,' *International Politics [SSCI]*, London, 53:6 (Nov-Dec), pp. 752-774, doi:10.1057/s41311-016-0013-9, ISSN 1384-5748.
- 4) (2014): '**Has Globalisation Led to China's Rise**,' *Leaders* (<领导者>, equivalent to China's *Foreign Affairs*), Hong Kong, No. 59, Issue 4, 41-58, ISSN 1814-4284
- 5) (2013): '**Behind the WTO Entry - The Neoliberal Logic of China's Developmentalism**,' *Twenty-first Century* (<二十一世纪>), June, pp. 83-94, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, ISSN 1017-5725
- 6) (2011): '**The Myth of the Chinese Model**,' *Leaders*, Hong Kong, No. 40, Issue 3, pp. 11-27, ISSN 1814-4284
- 7) (2011): '**Why is China Keen on Free Trade?**' *Leaders*, Hong Kong, No. 38, Issue 1, pp. 31-39, ISSN 1814-4284
- 8) (2008): '**Peaceful Rise of China: Myth or Reality?**' *International Politics [SSCI]*, London, 45:4 (July-Aug), pp. 439-456, ISSN 1384-5748. doi: 10.1057/ip.2008.13
- 9) (2008): '**What Caused China's Inflation? -- A Political Economy Analysis**' *Modern China Studies*, Issue 1, Princeton, U.S.A. (*first author*), pp. 148-155, ISSN 1053-1076
- 10) (2004): '**The Dim Prospect of China's Industrialization**,' *Dushu* (<读书>), Beijing, No. 7, pp. 140-144, ISSN 0257-0270
- 11) (2003): '**Why did China Strive for FDI in Full Drive?**' *Modern China Studies*, Issue 3, Princeton, U.S.A. (*first author*), pp. 83-89, ISSN 1053-1076
- 12) (2002): '**Exchange Market Share for Technology? An Analysis of China's Strategy in Absorbing FDI**,' *Modern China Studies*, Issue 4, Princeton, U.S.A. (*second author*), pp. 93-100, ISSN 1053-1076
- 13) (2002): '**The Predicament of Export for China's SOEs and an Analysis of RMB Exchange Rate Fluctuation**,' *Modern China Studies*, Issue 1, Princeton, U.S.A., pp. 68-81, ISSN 1053-1076
- 14) (2001): '**Foreign Direct Investment and China's Economic Growth - Roots of China's Integration into the Global Economy**,' *Strategy and Management* (<战略与管理>, equivalent to China's *Foreign Affairs*), Beijing, Issue 4, pp. 70-77, ISSN 1006-7582
- 15) (1999): '**The Current Challenge to China's Export - on the Strategy of RMB Depreciation**,' *Strategy and Management*, (<战略与管理>, equivalent to China's *Foreign Affairs*) Beijing, Issue 1 (*first author*), pp. 1-11, ISSN 1006-7582

II. Chinese Foreign Policy

- 1) (2004): '**The United States and China in the Age of Globalization**,' *Twenty-first Century* (online edition), Chinese University of Hong Kong, No. 31, October. <http://www.cuhk.edu.hk/ics/21c/supplem/essay/0409009g.htm>
- 2) (2003): '**China Hides Its Intentions again**' (a comprehensive review of Chinese foreign

policy in the post-Mao era) (pseudonym *Fu Bo*), *Le Monde Diplomatique* (France), March, ISSN 0026-9395

http://www.monde-diplomatique.fr/2003/03/FU_BO/9996 (French);

<http://mondediplo.com/2003/03/08china> (English)

*This article was translated and reprinted by Japan's leading academic journal *Sekai* (岩波書店『世界』), no.714 (June), 2003, pp. 252-257, ISSN 0582-4532

III. International Politics

- 1) (2014): 'The World War One Apocalypse: Conflicts between the International System and the World System and their Consequences,' *Leaders*, Hong Kong, No. 57, Issue 3, pp. 17-25, ISSN 1814-4284
- 2) (2005): 'The European Constitutional Crisis and Its Root Cause,' *Dushu* (<读书>), Beijing, No. 9, pp. 95-100, ISSN 0257-0270

Blog Articles and Conference papers

- 1) (2012): 'What does Globalisation Mean for China's Economic Development?' *Global Policy Journal* blog article (24th May, 2012):
<http://www.globalpolicyjournal.com/blog/24/05/2012/what-does-globalization-mean-china%E2%80%99s-economic-development>
- 2) (2005): 'ASEAN's Trade Integration with China and Japan and Its Implications on East Asia's Power Structure,' Working Paper delivered to East Asian International Relations Conference, *University of Leeds*, March 2005

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Numerous non-academic articles concerning politics, economics and international history have been published in the past two decades in influential Chinese newspapers and periodicals, such as the *Shenzhen Legal Daily*, *South Reviews* (南风窗), and *Phoenix Weekly* (凤凰周刊), etc.

ARTICLE REVIEW

- 1) Sept 2018 Anonymous review of a research essay comparing Russia's with China's Economic Diplomacy for *Asia Europe Journal*
- 2) Mar 2011 Anonymous review of a research essay on China's Pension Reform for *The Journal of World History* (invited by Professor Jerry H. Bentley, University of Hawaii)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES (select)

- 1) 08 Apr 2019 Public Lecture at the School of International Relations and Public Affairs, [Shanghai International Studies University \(SISU\)](#)
Topic: **Sino-US Trade War -- A Developmental Perspective**
- 2) 20 Oct 2017 Public Lecture at the Law School, [Macau University of Science and Technology \(MUST\)](#)
Topic: **Globalization and China's Rise: An IPE Perspective**
- 3) 24 Apr 2015 Public Lecture at the Department of Politics, [East China Normal University](#)
Topic: **Is the Peaceful Rise of China Possible in the Age of Globalization?**
- 4) 21 Jan 2014 Public Lecture at [King's College London \(KCL\)](#)
Topic: **Sino-Japanese Relations: past, present, and future (Part 2)**
- 5) 05 Dec 2013 Public Lecture at [King's College London \(KCL\)](#)
Topic: **Sino-Japanese Relations: past, present, and future (Part 1)**
- 6) 06 Nov 2013 Public Lecture at [University College London \(UCL\)](#)
Topic: **Outer Mongolia and Sino-Soviet Relations**
- 7) 20 Dec 2012 Public Lecture at the Zhou Enlai School of Government, [Nankai University](#)
Topic: **Sino-Japanese Relations under the Shadow of Territorial Disputes**
- 8) 19 Dec 2012 Public Lecture at the [Renmin University of China](#)
Topic: **Power Shift: The Coming of the Chinese Century?**
- 9) 12 Dec 2012 Public Lecture at [University College London \(UCL\)](#)
Topic: **Sino-Japanese Disputes over the Diaoyu/Senkaku Islands and the Continental Shelf on the East China Sea**
- 10) 29 Nov 2012 Special Lecture at the Department of International Development, [LSE](#)
Topic: **China and the WTO - Politics and Consequences of Entry**
- 11) 21 Nov 2012 Public Lecture at the [LSE](#)
Topic: **Is China Challenging the West?**
- 12) 31 Oct 2012 Public Lecture at the [LSE](#)
Topic: **The Question of Ryukyu and Its Relevance to Diaoyu/Senkaku**
- 13) 29 May 2012 Public Lecture at the [LSE](#)
Topic: **The Question of the Diaoyu/Senkaku Islands: Origins and Consequences**
- 14) 10 May 2012 Guest Speech at EU-China Economic Relations Workshop, European Studies Centre, St Antony's College, [University of Oxford](#)
Topic: **What does Globalisation Mean for China's Economic Development?**
- 15) 11 April 2012 Public Lecture at the Law School of [Sun Yat-sen University](#)
Topic: **Is China Repeating the Same Economic Mistake of Japan in the 1980s?**
- 16) 15 Mar 2012 Public Lecture at [King's College London \(KCL\)](#)
Topic: **The Renminbi Revaluation: A Currency War against China?**
- 17) 01 Dec 2011 Public Lecture at [King's College London \(KCL\)](#)

Topic: **China's Accession to the WTO: Ten Years After**

- 18) 07 April 2011 Public Lecture at the Zhou Enlai School of Government, [Nankai University](#)
Topic: **China After the WTO Entry: Rise or New Dependency?**
- 19) 01 April 2011 Public Lecture at the Law School of [Sun Yat-sen University](#)
Topic: **The Rise of a Great Power: China in the International System**
- 20) 31 Mar 2011 Public Lecture at the Law School of [Sun Yat-sen University](#)
Topic: **Industrial Upgrading and Modernization: The case of Guangdong**
- 21) 05 Nov 2010 Public Lecture at the [Beijing Foreign Studies University](#)
Topic: **Why is China Keen on Free Trade?**
- 22) 15 June 2009 Public Lecture at the Law School of [Sun Yat-sen University](#)
Topic: **The Peaceful Rise of China: A Political Economy Analysis**
- 23) 19 Mar 2005 Guest Speech at the East Asian International Relations Conference,
[University of Leeds](#)
Topic: **ASEAN's Trade Integration with China and Japan and Its Implications on East Asia's Power Structure**

DESCRIPTIONS OF THE COURSES THAT I HAD TAUGHT AND (RE)DESIGNED:

1) Governing China in the Age of Globalization

This module provides a historical and analytical overview of mainland China's interactions with the global political economy throughout the centuries. Using general theories of international relations, international political economy, and development studies, students will gain insights into major episodes of China's engagement with globalization.

Lecture Topics

- Week 1: Globalization: Past and Present
Week 2: The Great Divergence: China as an 'Immobile Empire'
Week 3: China's Decline from Center to Periphery in the Age of Imperialism
Week 4: Pursuing Modernity: Learning from "Barbarians"
Week 5: Mao's China and the Cold War
Week 6: The Cold War and Development: The Industrialization of Taiwan
Week 7: China's Open-door and US 'Drawing-out' Strategy
Week 8: China Joins the WTO
Week 9: China as an Engine of Globalisation
Week 10: The Power Shift Debate: The Coming of the Chinese Century?

2) Contemporary Chinese Politics

This module provides an introduction to political science theories that are relevant for analyzing China's political system and institutional development. It covers a historical overview of Chinese politics from the early 20th century to the present day.

Lecture Topics

- Week 1: China's Political Culture and Tradition
Week 2: The Rise of the Chinese Communists

- Week 3: The Socialist Transformation
- Week 4: The Great Leap Forward
- Week 5: The Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution
- Week 6: The Emergence of Economic Reform
- Week 7: Transition toward Capitalism?
- Week 8: State and Society: The Question of Democracy
- Week 9: Chinese Nationalism: Nature and Consequences
- Week 10: China in the World: Foreign Policy and Peaceful Rise

3) Government and Governance in Contemporary China (Solely designed)

This course delves into the evolution of the Chinese political system, government and bureaucracy, central-local relations, civil society and new media, rights movements, and political and legal reforms in the post-Mao era. It aims to achieve three main objectives: Firstly, the course provides a critical analysis of various accounts and explanations of the authoritarian government and political governance in China during the reform era. Secondly, the course enables students to gain a comprehensive understanding of China's institutional changes in the context of post-communist transition and globalization. Thirdly, the course encourages students to think more critically and creatively about political governance in contemporary China from a broader comparative perspective, by exploring power structures in similar types of polities and societies.

Lecture Topics

- Week 1: Introduction
- Week 2: Political System, Government and Bureaucracy
- Week 3: Cadres: From Ideologues to "Technologues"
- Week 4: Decentralisation and Economic Federalism
- Week 5: Political Reform or Administrative Reform?
- Week 6: Central-Local Relations
- Week 7: Citizenship and Civil Society
- Week 8: Media: Between the Party and the People
- Week 9: Legal Reform: Towards the Rule of Law?
- Week 10: The Governance Crisis: Bottom-up Pressure for Democratic Transformation?