

Seminar on China's Development Model for Developing Countries

Program Name	Seminar on China's Development Model for Developing Countries		
Organizer	Institute of South-South Cooperation and Development, Peking University		
Date	May15- May 23, 2023	Working language	English
Participants	Developing Countries	Total numbers	55
Class Target	The seminar mainly focus on hot topics related to national development of China and developing countries, such as South-South cooperation, green development transition, Structural Transformation and Industrialization, China immersion, etc.. Through systematic lectures, participants can better understand China's development concept and practice, and carry out exchanges and discussions on issues related to national development of developing countries.		
Requirements for trainees	Background	Those who are engaged in or interested in the development of developing countries, especially in the exchange and cooperation with China in relevant fields, and who have a certain professional background in economics and public management are also preferred.	
	Age	Under 50 years old for participants at director-general's level; under 45 years old for participants at or under division director's level.	
	Physical health	Applicants shall be in good physical and mental health, provide a health certificate or physical examination form issued by the local public hospital and not carry any disease prohibited by Chinese laws and regulations to enter China or long-term residence in China. Applicants shall not carry any mental diseases and serious chronic diseases, such as severe hypertension, cardiovascular and cerebrovascular diseases, diabetes and cancer. Applicants shall not be in the recovery from major surgery and acute episode and not carry any infectious diseases that may cause a serious impact to public health. Applicants shall not have any severe physical disability. Pregnant women are not allowed to attend the seminar.	
	Language proficiency	Fluency in listening, speaking, reading and writing in English	
	Others	Students are not allowed to bring spouses or relatives to the training in China.	
Host City	Beijing	Local Temperature	Spring: 14°C-26°C
Cities to Visit	Tianjin / Zhu Madian, Henan Province	Local Temperature	Tianjin: 18°C-29°C Zhu Madian: 18°C-29°C
Remarks	1. Please prepare your valid passport and visa in advance; 2. If the flight cannot leave on time due to special circumstances, or the flight is delayed during the transfer, please contact the		

	<p>project contact person to inform the latest flight status, so as to arrange pick-up; 3. In principle, individuals are not allowed to change the international ticket. If necessary, please contact the Commercial Office to change the ticket according to the procedures. If the ticket is changed without permission, the expenses and liabilities arising therefrom shall be borne by the individual; 4. Please confirm whether you need to check your luggage again during the transfer; After the flight lands, please wait patiently at the international arrival exit (or domestic arrival exit). The staff will pick up you with a pickup card with the name of the organizer on it. 5. Please pay attention to the weather conditions of the venue and bring appropriate clothes; Prepare light footwear to facilitate outside visits; Formal dress or national dress is required for important activities of the workshop. 6. Please bring a small amount of commonly used medicine.</p>
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<p>Brief Introduction of Organizer</p>	<p>Peking University was founded in 1898 as the first national comprehensive university of China. As the birthplace of the New Culture Movement, the developments of Peking University are closely linked with the rejuvenation of the Chinese nation, and have played an important role in the process of China's modernization. Peking University's traditional spirit of patriotism, progress, democracy, science, and being diligent, rigorous, realistic and innovative in studies is being passed from generation to generation.</p> <p>Peking University turned into an all-round university concentrating on fundamental liberal and natural teaching and researching after the foundation of People's Republic of China. The university supplied the nation with a huge number of talents in various fields. Rough statistics showed that there came out of Peking University approximately 400 members of the Chinese Academy of Sciences and Chinese Academy of Engineering, not to mention a large number of prestigious celebrities in the fields of liberal arts and social sciences.</p> <p>The idea that China establishes the Institute of South-South Cooperation and Development was initiated and announced by Chinese President XI Jinping during the High-Level Roundtable on South-South Cooperation at the 70th Anniversary Celebration of the United Nations in New York on September 26, 2015. With strong support from the Chinese Ministry of Commerce, the Ministry of Education, and the Ministry of Finance, and by virtue of Peking University's strength in humanities and social sciences, Institute of South-South Cooperation and Development (ISSCAD) was officially established at the National School of Development of Peking University (NSD) on April 29, 2016.</p> <p>Combining local knowledge with global vision, the new Institute is committed to excellence in national development research, talent training for developing countries, and dynamic exchange platform for global cooperation, and devoted to promoting equitable, inclusive and sustainable growth by sharing knowledge and experience on matters of public leadership and national</p>

	<p>development, with developing and especially the least developed countries.</p> <p>The core faculty of ISSCAD draws heavily from NSD, which has an established reputation both academically and as a policy think-tank in China. Well aware that to craft effective solutions to complex real-world problems would require a multidisciplinary and actionable approach, the core faculty is also supported synergistically by a scalable network of select faculty and professional (including senior government officials) associates from other schools and departments of Peking University and beyond. The purpose is to nurture a vibrant interdisciplinary learning environment that encourages intense inquiry, open dialogue, and cross-cultural learning, and serves as a bridge between theory and practice.</p> <p>The Institute offers both degree and non-degree executive educational programs. Our degree programs feature a rigorous economics-centered and problem-solving oriented curriculum which also covers quantitative analysis, political institutions, strategic management, leadership, and globalization.</p> <p>A flagship of internationalization of education at Peking University, the Institute offers regular semester-based courses in English. Through these regular courses, supplemented by fieldwork and workshops on various policy domains (such as education and poverty reduction, population and public health, social security and public safety, urban development and land reform, energy and environment, technological innovation, and global governance and foreign policy), students are expected to develop a box of conceptual tools that is cross-disciplinary in nature but adapted for actions appropriate for local or country-specific conditions.</p>
<p>Introduction of the content</p>	<p>1. Main training courses and content introduction</p> <p>This period of training will focus on hot issues related to the development of China and developing countries. Main training courses involve subjects: <i>China Immersion</i> (introduction to basic cultural, social, economic and other aspects of China); <i>South-South Cooperation; Economic Transformation and Cross Middle Income Trap; Demographic Trends and Population Policies; Health and Insurance in China; Transition Towards a Greener Development Path</i>, etc..</p> <p>2. Discussion and exchange introduction</p> <p>Discussion will be carried out with participants on the above-mentioned hot issues concerning the development of China and developing countries.</p> <p>3. Field trip introduction</p> <p>Besides the seminars, the students will also be organized to visit local enterprises in Tianjin (or Zhumadian in Henan Province), such as local processing trade enterprises or local demonstration bases for poverty alleviation and poverty reduction, etc..</p> <p>4. Cultural tour introduction</p> <p>In order to better know Chinese history, culture and social life: the cultural tour will be organized, (to visit famous places of interests such as the Great Wall, Forbidden City and other historical and cultural sites to learn about and experience Chinese history, culture and local customs).</p>