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PIP V FELLOWS: 2016-2018

Dr. Ang Yuen Yuen
Assistant Professor, Political Science, University of Michigan
China’s political economy, China’s bureaucracy, development strategies in emerging markets, complex systems, conditions for effective adaptation

Dr. Matthew Erie
Associate Professor, Modern Chinese Studies, Oriental Institute, University of Oxford
Anthropology of Chinese law, ethnicity and religion, legal implications of Chinese outbound investment in Central Asia, the Middle East, and South Asia

Dr. Matthew Ferchen
Resident Scholar, Carnegie-Tsinghua Center for Global Policy and Associate Professor of International Relations, Tsinghua University
Governance of China’s urban informal economy, the “China model” of development debates, economic and political relations between China and Latin America

Ms. Virginia Harper Ho
Professor, School of Law, University of Kansas
Comparative corporate and securities law, green finance reforms, corporate social responsibility, multinational enterprise governance and accountability

Dr. Denise Ho
Assistant Professor, History, Yale University
Twentieth-century Chinese history, society and culture in the Mao era, the Cultural Revolution, museums and material culture, urban history

Dr. Angel Hsu
Assistant Professor, Environmental Studies, Yale-NUS College/Yale University
Environmental policy, with a focus on climate change, energy, and air pollution issues, data-driven and big data environmental approaches, U.S.-China relations on climate change
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<td>Dr. Scott Kastner</td>
<td>Associate Professor, Government and Politics, University of Maryland, College Park</td>
<td><em>China’s foreign relations, contemporary cross-strait relation, international political economy</em></td>
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<td>Dr. Aynne Kokas</td>
<td>Assistant Professor, Media Studies, University of Virginia</td>
<td><em>Media policy, media industries, U.S.-China trade, U.S.-China cybersecurity relations, China-Hollywood relations</em></td>
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<td>Dr. Oriana Mastro</td>
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<td>Dr. Dawn Murphy</td>
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<td><em>China’s relations (political, economic, military, and foreign aid) with the Middle East and Africa, China’s contemporary rise, Chinese foreign policy and domestic politics, U.S.-China relations</em></td>
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<td>Dr. John Osburg</td>
<td>Assistant Professor, Anthropology, University of Rochester</td>
<td><em>China’s new rich and &quot;second generation rich&quot; (fu’erdai), corruption and anti-corruption, gender and sexuality, new forms of spirituality in post-Mao China, especially Han Chinese patronage of Tibetan Buddhism</em></td>
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<td>Dr. Johanna Ransmeier</td>
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<td><em>Qing and Republican China’s legal history, trafficking, crime, family life, legal literacy, rights, contemporary art and expression</em></td>
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<td>Dr. Maria Repnikova</td>
<td>Assistant Professor, Global Communication and Acting Director, Center for Global Information Studies, Georgia State University</td>
<td><em>Chinese media politics, symbolic nation-building, China-Russia comparative governance models</em></td>
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<td>Dr. Jennifer Staats</td>
<td>Director, China Program, Asia Center, United States Institute of Peace</td>
<td><em>China’s foreign policy, China’s impact on peace and conflict dynamics, peacekeeping, peacebuilding, defense policy, grand strategy, cybersecurity</em></td>
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<td>Ms. Sun Yun</td>
<td>Senior Associate, East Asia Program, Henry L. Stimson Center</td>
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<td>Dr. Shellen Wu</td>
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<td>Politics of natural resource management, history of Chinese environmental policy, history of science, Qing and twentieth-century history, geopolitical discourse</td>
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<td>Dr. John Delury</td>
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<td>Mr. Alonzo Emery</td>
<td>Lecturer on Law and Clinical Instructor, Harvard Negotiation and Mediation Clinical Program, Harvard Law School</td>
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*Chinese politics, Indonesian politics, labor politics, political economy, legal institutions and issues*

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*Women and gender in 20th-century China, law and punishment, Chinese cities, rumor and political propaganda in Mao’s China, socialist culture, memory and politics in post-revolutionary China*

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*River conservation and resource management, water and air pollution, civil society and NGOs, ecotourism*

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*Chinese agriculture, land rights, historical preservation, urban planning*

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*Economic statecraft, East Asian security, business-government relations, Chinese foreign and security policy, international relations theory*

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*Foreign direct investment, returnees and homeland states, China’s regional policies, China and India comparative politics*

**PIP III FELLOWS: 2011-2013**

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*Politics in modern Xinjiang, relations among China, Russia, and Central Asian states*

Dr. James Carter
Professor and Acting Chair, History, Saint Joseph’s University
*Colonialism in treaty port China, historical preservation, Sino-Western cultural relations*

Dr. Michael Chang
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*The Qing court, political and institutional history, historiography, material and political cultures*

Dr. Martin Dimitrov
Associate Professor of Political Science and Director of the Asian Studies Program, Tulane
*Comparative international relations, rule of law, intellectual property rights, privatization/property transformation*

Dr. Taylor Fravel
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*Chinese foreign and security policy, with a focus on territorial disputes and military strategy*

Mr. Keith J. Hand
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*Legal reform, constitutional law, judicial reform, the role and development of China’s procuratorate*

Dr. HE Yinan
Associate Professor, Department of International Relations, Lehigh University
*Politics of memory and reconciliation, East Asian international security, Chinese and Japanese foreign policy, national identity and nationalism in East Asia*

Mr. Thomas Kellogg
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*Legal reform, Chinese constitutionalism, civil society development, Chinese foreign policy*

Dr. Sabina Knight
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*Literature and medicine, contemporary Chinese women’s fiction, philosophy and literature in comparative perspective*

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*Energy and climate change policy in China, energy technology transfer and innovation in China, international and bilateral cooperation with China on energy and climate*
Dr. Darrin Magee
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Energy and water resources in China, dams and hydropower, electricity sector, geographies of garbage and waste, south-north water transfer, sustainability

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Chinese law and politics, judicial reform, rule of law, citizen petitioning, social unrest

Dr. Tashi Rabgey
Research Professor, International Affairs, The Elliot School of International Affairs at George Washington University
Theories of state, sovereignty and legal pluralism, regional autonomy, comparative federalisms and Chinese constitutionalism, multilevel governance, institutional politics and public policy in contemporary Tibet

Dr. Kay Shinizui
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Political economy of China, including central-local relations, rural development, urbanization, and industrialization, administrative reform and local governance, U.S.-Japan-China economic relations

Dr. Anthony J. Spires
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Global civil society, philanthropy, grassroots NGOs, organizational culture

Dr. Phillip Stalley
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China’s domestic and international environmental politics, climate change

Dr. Jessica Teets
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Local government innovation, civil society and governance

Dr. Janet Theiss
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Gender and family history in the early modern period, legal culture in late imperial China, global perspectives on Chinese gender history

Dr. Elanah Uretsky
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Medical anthropology, global health, the anthropology of China, gender and sexuality (with a focus on masculinity), governance, HIV/AIDS, chronic disease, borders, ethnic minorities, migration

Dr. Jessica Chen Weiss
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International relations, Chinese foreign policy, nationalism and public opinion, popular protest and state-society relations.

**PIP II FELLOWS: 2008-2010**

Dr. Andrew Erickson
Associate Professor, Strategic Studies, China Maritime Studies Institute, U.S. Naval War College
**Energy cooperation, securing East Asian sea lanes and supply chains, the rise of great powers, maritime strategy, space commerce and security, cooperation against avian influenza—all in the U.S.-China context**

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*Environmental politics and governance, administrative reform and innovation, participatory governance, associations and NGOs*

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*Chinese and Indian grand strategy/security behavior, political economy of technological innovation in China, Chinese energy industry development*

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*Consumption and inequality in China, culture and social change in Chinese marketplaces*

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*Senior Fellow for Global Health, Council on Foreign Relations, Public health politics in China, environmental health in China, Chinese politics and U.S.-China relations, global health governance*

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*Ethnic minority policy, provincial-county governmental relations, rule of law, human rights*

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*Business lobbying, economic policymaking, Chinese participation in global regimes, U.S.-China relations*

**Dr. Pierre Landry**  
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*Chinese politics, comparative local government, quantitative comparative political analysis*

**Dr. Charles Laughlin**  
Professor, East Asian Studies, University of Virginia  
*Psychological aspects, specifically the negotiation of desire, of revolutionary fiction and film from the 1920s to the 1960s, documentary impulse in contemporary Chinese culture*

**Ms. Margaret Lewis**  
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*Legal reform in China/Taiwan, comparative criminal procedure, international law*

**Mr. Benjamin Liebman**  
Robert L. Lief Professor of Law and Director of the Center for Chinese Legal Studies, Columbia Law School
Role of populism in the legal system, China’s courts, popular access to justice

Dr. Peter Lorentzen
Assistant Professor, International and Development Economics, University of San Francisco
Central-local relations, media control, political economy of development

Dr. Andrew Mertha
Professor, Government, Cornell University
Bureaucracy, policy making and implementation, politics of international trade, intellectual property and energy

Dr. Tobie Meyer-Fong
Professor, History, Johns Hopkins University
Social and cultural history of late imperial China, post-Taiping Rebellion recovery, Qing conquest, Jiangnan region, women/gender, publishing history, urban history

Dr. Stephen Platt
Professor, History, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
Intellectual and military history of modern China, origins of Chinese nationalism, U.S.-China relations since the 1800s

Dr. Michael Szonyi
Professor, Chinese History, Harvard University
Social history of late imperial China, especially Ming, contemporary cross-Strait relations, debates about political reform

Mr. Alex Wang
Assistant Professor of Law, UCLA School of Law
Environmental governance, environmental law, open information, public participation, public interest litigation

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Journalists and journalism in Republican-era China, Sino-Taiwanese academic exchange and influence over the past 20 years

Dr. YU Zhou
Professor, Earth Science and Geography, Vassar College
Innovation and China’s high-tech industry, transnational Chinese communities in mainland China, Taiwan and the United States, multinational corporations and localities in China, China’s environmental policy and green building programs


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Chinese foreign policy, Asian security, U.S.-China relations, international relations theory

Dr. Mark Frazier
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Labor politics and social policy, inequality and governance in China and India

Dr. Mary Gallagher
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Labor Relations and workers’ rights in China, Chinese legal development, legal aid, dispute resolution

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Late Qing, 20th-century, and contemporary Chinese fiction and prose, translation, Chinese cinema and popular/print culture, Korean New Wave Cinema, Shanghai literature and culture

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Disability policy and practice in China, autism and special education in China, civil society and “NGOs” in China, inclusive education in China

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Chinese foreign and security policy, U.S.-China relations, Chinese military and defense industrial issues

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Chinese and Central Asian history, environmental history, the Silk Road and musical globalization, global guitar culture

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Rule of law

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Assistant Provost for Internationalization; Director, Asia Office; Interim Director, Center for Asian Studies, University of Notre Dame
Contemporary Chinese culture: film, theatre, TV, and media

Dr. David Pietz
Associate Professor, Modern Chinese History, UNESCO Chair in Environmental History, and Director of the Global Studies Program, University of Arizona
Resource development (water, oil), resources and international affairs

Dr. Phillip C. Saunders
Director, Center for the Study of Chinese Military Affairs and Distinguished Research Fellow, Institute for National Strategic Studies, National Defense University
Chinese foreign and security policy, Sino-U.S. relations, Asian security and political economy, non-proliferation

Dr. Kristin Stapleton
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Local government in urban China between 1895 and 1949, comparative urban administration, popular culture and humor in the Republican period

Dr. Edward Steinfeld
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Chinese political economy, industrial upgrading and competitiveness, technology innovation, energy sector modernization.
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Private entrepreneurship, informal finance and shadow banking, local political economy of China and India

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Urban development, migration and urbanization, local innovation policy

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Global climate change, geobiology, environmental studies, U.S.–China science policies