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FUDAN-UC CENTER ON CONTEMPORARY CHINA

Call for Papers

Young Scholars Conference 2024

Hosted by the Fudan-UC Center on Contemporary China
Co-Organized by the 21st Century China Center at UC San Diego and the Carter Center

May 6-7, 2024
La Jolla, California

Theme: China's Social Challenges and Legal Landscape

This conference will bring together young scholars studying social dynamics in contemporary China and the legal system's responses. We are soliciting papers from young scholars, defined below, based on their research topics such as but not limited to gender, inequality/poverty, the environment, and privacy. The conference will also convene 1-2 panels that will focus on research related to U.S.-China relations, particularly on how domestic laws in the U.S. and China are impacting bilateral relations.

We invite young scholars, including advanced graduate students, post-doctoral scholars, and early career faculty to submit papers as described below to participate in our conference. Conference organizers will provide reimbursement up to \$1,000 to selected speakers for travel to and accommodations in San Diego. Meals will be covered during the conference. UC San Diego students and other students interested in the topic are welcome to attend.

Additionally, this conference will invite leading scholars in the field to participate in the conference as moderators, discussants, and audience members.

Applicants should submit a brief abstract (under 250 words) and a short (under one page) cover letter describing how your proposed paper fits into the conference, the current state of data collection/analysis, and any other relevant details to help us understand your contribution to the conference.

Applicants should attach PDFs of their abstract, brief description, and CV to the form found on [this link](#). Email any questions to Harris Doshay at hdoshay@ucsd.edu. Applications must be submitted by **January 15th, 2024**. International applicants needing a visa may request review of their submissions earlier so that, if selected, they have sufficient time for visa applications and travel preparations. Completed papers should be sent to the conference organizers by May 1st.