

**17th China Goes Global Conference:**

**Call for Papers**

**July 11<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> 2023**

**Bologna, Italy**

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**China and Globalization at a turning point**

We are happy to announce the highly anticipated return of the China Goes Global™ Conference to be held **in-person** Italy hosted in Bologna (Italy), by **CiMET** (Italy's National University Centre for Applied Economic Studies).

As the premier conference on the topic, we seek contemporary contributions from various business/management disciplines, to broader social sciences and other multidisciplinary perspectives of the globalization of China.

Papers, book presentations, and panel proposals are especially encouraged in the following areas:

- Theoretical explorations of Chinese flows of people, goods, ideas and money
- Testing the limits of Western-centric theories in the context of China's globalization
- Industrial policies and structural change in China
- Business models with "Chinese characteristics"
- Development of new Chinese-centric and indigenous theories
- The role of emerging market multinationals
- Managing and organizing Chinese companies/subsidiaries abroad
- Comparison of China with other emerging markets
- Chinese engagement in India, Asia, America, Australia, Latin America, and other regions
- Local and global impacts of Chinese foreign direct investment
- The role of government in shaping the "going out" policy and its impact on internationalization
- Chinese state capitalism and alternative economic systems' impact on globalization
- Sustainable development and corporate social responsibility (CSR) of Chinese multinationals
- Global supply chain/logistics and global value chains with China
- Culture, trust, reputation of Chinese multinationals
- Techno-entrepreneurship, e-commerce, online development in and out of China
- Big data, privacy and digital innovation in China
- Environmental protection and law in China
- Europe and China legal and economic cooperation
- New challenges in technology, innovation and hard sciences in China
- China's competitors: industry, innovation, and technology in Europe/US/Emerging Countries

Against the backdrop of the severe testing of the global institutional framework caused by the Russian invasion of Ukraine and the lingering Covid-19 challenges, China's role in globalization is undergoing fundamental changes. We invite interested scholars and practitioners to come together and explore these changes.

**The background**

Since 2006, China Goes Global conferences have convened a unique set of contributions on the globalization of the Chinese business environment, economy, and society. The conference stands out in several ways. First, the conference is international, inter-disciplinary and developmental in

nature. We invite competitive papers, recently published book authors, focused panels and work-in-progress for submission. The conference provides an ideal opportunity for scholars and practitioners, as well as Ph.D. students to share and discuss their most recent high-quality work with other experts in this research field. Best papers are also given the chance to be published in the [International Journal of Emerging Markets](#), a Scopus-ranked journal by Emerald. Second, we have fun. In addition to insightful ideas, the conference also includes a reception, a performance, and great people and scholars with whom you can network. For the review of previous conferences, including a photo gallery, please see: <http://www.chinagoesglobal.org/past-conferences/photos-from-past-conferences/>. Finally, the conference is always accented with world re-known keynoters from the academic and business sectors. For a list of previous keynoters, please see: <http://www.chinagoesglobal.org/past-conferences/previous-key-noters/>

### Submissions

Please submit your paper through our online submission system no later than **March 15, 2023**. Papers should follow the author style and referencing guide provided on the conference website. By submitting a paper, all authors also agree to review up to 3 papers.

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### Important Dates

Deadline for submission: March 15, 2023  
Paper acceptance/rejection: April 15, 2023  
Revised paper submission: May 15, 2023

### Registration Fee

Please note that all presenters and participants must register to attend the conference.

**Early bird** registration due on **April 25, 2023**: \$499

**Regular** registration due on **June 10, 2023**: \$649

**Phd student rate**: \$249 early bird (\$299 regular)

The registration fee includes one-year CGA membership, reception, and conference dinner. Conference registration does not include accommodation or travel costs.

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