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Led by the rapidly growing Chinese economy, the East Asian region is forging closer economic ties than ever before, and remains the most dynamic region in the world. It is believed that open regionalism can contribute substantially to enhanced productivity and economic growth, and to poverty reduction, within the region. The conference aims to bring together academics and researchers at policy institutions to discuss ongoing research on a wide range of theoretical and empirical issues related to globalization, regional economic integration and sustainable economic growth in the region. Potential topics may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- China’s economic reform, growth and dynamic integration
- Chinese outward direct investment and RMB internationalization
- Free trade agreements (TPP, AEC etc.) and regional integration in Asia-Pacific
- Global and regional value chains
- Chinese RMB and the source of global current account imbalances
- RMB internationalization
- Foreign exchange rates arrangement and monetary integration in East Asia
- Recent developments in international financial markets
- Financial liberalisation and the finance-growth nexus
- Nexus between international financial integration and global imbalances

Who should attend?
This conference will give you a well-rounded understanding of China’s rise, RMB internationalization, and regional integration in the East Asian region.

You should consider attending if you are doing research relating to the Chinese economy and the regional integration, and if you are doing business in East Asia and want to integrate the Asian market within your organisation.

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