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The Politics of Pandemic Information and Health Emergency Decision-making: Lessons and Prospects
疫情資訊與緊急決策: 教訓與展望

May 22, 2024 | 6:30pm HKT

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The COVID-19 pandemic is a generation-defining event of global significance. In this talk, **Dali L. Yang**, the William C. Reavis Professor of Political Science at The University of Chicago, draws on his recent book on China's emergency response to the COVID-19 outbreak to examine the factors that have affected health emergency decision-making and hence the scale and scope of the outbreak. The focus of the study is on how epidemic information was processed or ignored, the cognitive framework that limited understanding of the virus's contagiousness and affected the quality of decisions, as well as the lessons to be drawn and prospects for reforms and capacity enhancement.

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