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UChicago HK Summer Application deadline extended to May 31!



The University of Chicago Hong Kong Summer Academies for **Data Science** and **Introduction to Public Policy** have extended their application deadline to **May 31, 2025**.

Scholarship awards are available for students of high caliber applying specifically for ***Making the Rules that Rule Us: Introduction to Public Policy***.

All Summer Academy students are eligible to join **exclusive admissions workshops** offered by the UChicago Admissions Office to understand the highly selective admissions process practiced by U.S. colleges and universities. Read more about the program details and submit your application before May 31, 2025!

APPLY NOW

Register HK Event: The Globalization of Baghdad: An Imperial Capital and Its Global Entanglements (Jun 4)



The Globalization of Baghdad

An Imperial Capital and Its Global Entanglements

巴格達的全球化：一個帝國都城與世界的交織

June 4

5:30 pm Refreshments

6:00 pm Public Talk



Richard Payne

The University of Chicago



Hugh Kennedy

SOAS, University of London



Together with University of Chicago Professor Richard Payne, Professor Hugh Kennedy from SOAS, University of London, will consider how the elites of Baghdad – whether as rulers, merchants, or consumers – perceived their participation in a globalized economy and, especially, the role of governmental and commercial institutions in its development.

This lecture will explore the connections between Western Asia and China, circa 700-1100 CE, and their impact on perceptions of global entanglement in the primary metropole of the Islamic world, Baghdad. It will focus on shifting routes of trans-Asian trade, continental and oceanic, especially after the emergence of Baghdad as the most important market for goods and services in the Western Eurasia from its foundation in 762.

REGISTER IN-PERSON EVENT

HK Event Recording: Reimagining the Past: Digital Chinese Heritage Initiatives at UChicago (May 8)

**Reimagining the Past:
Digital Chinese Heritage Initiatives at UChicago**

重構歷史意象：芝加哥大學的中國數字遺產項目

May 8, 2025 | 8:00pm HKT



Wei-Cheng Lin

Associate Professor of Art History and the College
Chinese Art and Architecture
The University of Chicago



China On The Move Series: “Reimagining the Past: Digital Chinese Heritage Initiatives at UChicago” is now available on YouTube!

WATCH NOW!

HK Event Recording: Global Race for A Better Battery (May 14)

Global Race for A Better Battery

電池革新之全球競賽

May 14, 2025 | 12:00noon HKT



Y. Shirley Meng, Ph.D.

Energy Technology Initiative,
Institute for Climate and Sustainable Growth (ICSG), The University of Chicago
Energy Storage Research Alliance (ESRA), Argonne National Laboratory



Director's Pick Series: “Global Race for A Better Battery” is now available on YouTube!

WATCH NOW!

HK Event Recording: Resolving the Childcare Paradox (May 12)

Resolving the Childcare Paradox 解決育兒困境

May 12, 2025 | 7:00pm HKT



Julia R. Henly
Samuel Deutsch Professor in the
Crown Family School of Social Work, Policy, and Practice
The University of Chicago



Director's Pick Series: "Resolving the Childcare Paradox" is now available on YouTube!

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