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David R. Meyer, Washington University in St. Louis
“China’s ‘Belt & Road’ Options in a Trade War with the United States”

Tao Hu, Lakestone Institute for Sustainable Development, USA/China
“How Could China Promote Sustainable Development Goals along Belt and Road Countries? A Renewable Energy Example”

October 23, 2020 @ 10 am
Juliet Lu, Cornell University
“From Peripheral to Pivotal: Province Level Powers in China’s Global Expansion”

Kean Fan Lim, Newcastle University, UK
“The Geoeconomics and Geopolitics of Sino-Singaporean Relations”

Eileen Otis, University of Oregon
“Walmart’s New Road into China”

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Oyuna Baidakova, Freie University Berlin
“China’s Solution for the Global South: Study of Belt and Road Investments in Kazakhstan and Kyrgyzstan”

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Jessica diCarlo, University of Colorado, Boulder
“Behind the Spectacle of the BRI: Grounding Global China in Laos”

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Nianshen Song, University of Maryland Baltimore County
“Border, Modern, and East Asia: The Tumen River Demarcation 1881-1919”

Soren Urbansky, German Historical Institute
“Beyond the Steppe Frontier: A History of the Sino-Russian Border”

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Tyler Harlan, Loyola Marymount University
“A Green Belt and Road? Environmental Discourse and Energy Realities in Laos & Myanmar”

Alexander C. Diener, University of Kansas
“Mongolia’s Transportation Infrastructure: Building a Transit Corridor between China and Russia”

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