Key Note Speech

"Political Meritocracy: China and the Limits of Democracy"

July 21, 2014
Starting at 9.30 am

Location: Peking University School of Government, Center for European Studies

SPEAKERS

Prof. Daniel Bell
Professor at Department of Philosophy and Director of the Center for International and Comparative Political Theory at Tsinghua University

Relevant Readings

Books:
- Daniel Bell, *China's new Confucianism* (Princeton University Press, 2008)
- Daniel Bell, *Beyond Liberal Democracy* (Princeton University Press, 2007)

Articles:
- Daniel Bell, *Meritocracy is a good thing*, New Perspectives Quarterly, Fall 2012

AGENDA

Introduction
Prof. Paolo Davide Farah

9.30 am – 12.30 am
Part I: "On the Selection of Good Leaders in a Political Meritocracy"
Part II: "What's Wrong with Political Meritocracy"
Part III: "Models of Democratic Meritocracy"
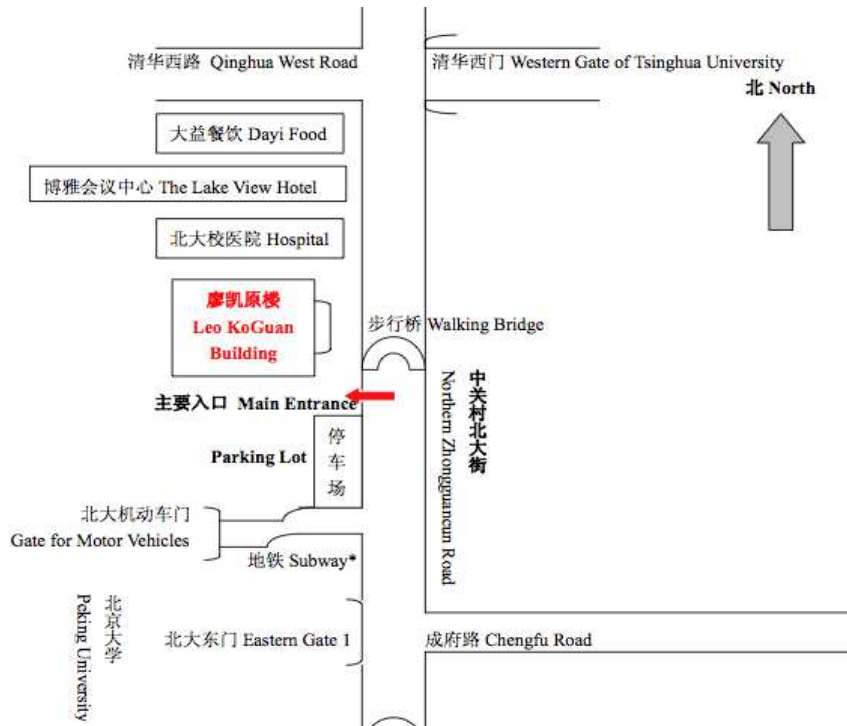Prof. Daniel Bell

Questions and Answers

Introduction and Comments:

Prof. Paolo Davide Farah

West Virginia University (WV, USA), gLAWcal – Global Law Initiatives For Sustainable Development (United Kingdom), University Institute of European Studies, IUSE (Turin, Italy)

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The lecture will be held in Room 505 at the 5th Floor of the Leo Koguan Building

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