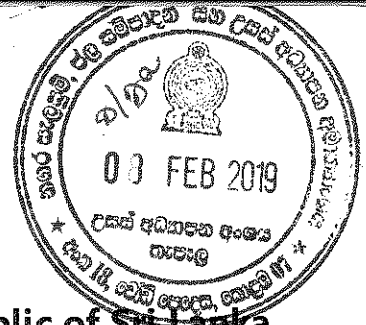
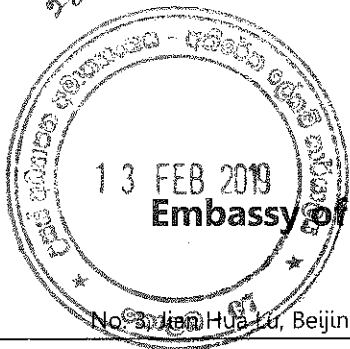


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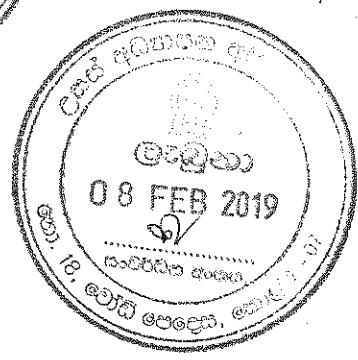
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Secretary
Ministry of Higher Education and Highways
No. 18, Ward Place
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Dear Sir

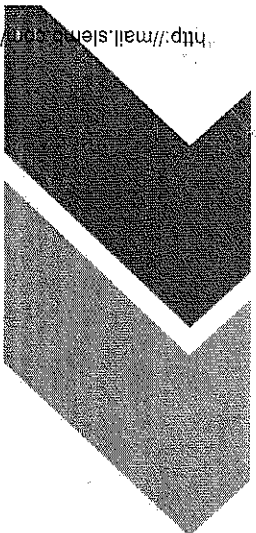
The Master Degree Program of Contemporary Chinese Studies (MCCS) offered by the Silk Road School of the Renmin University of China

Please find annexed herewith brochures received from the Renmin University of China regarding a two – year Master Degree program on Contemporary Chinese Studies (MCCS). The medium of this programme is English and it is expected to enroll around 100 students in September 2019.

The deadline for applying is 30th March 2019 and more information could be obtained from Ms. Wu Yinxuan via yinxuanrdcy@163.com, srsruc@ruc.edu.cn or wuyinxuan@ruc.edu.

Submitted for your information and necessary action please.


Inoka Weerasinghe
Second Secretary
for Ambassador



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● **Interview**

Interviewed by expert group (in English) online.

● **Application Schedule**

Cut-off date for online applications: March 30, 2019

Interview online: April, 2019

Letters of admission sent out: June, 2019

Semester begins: September, 2019

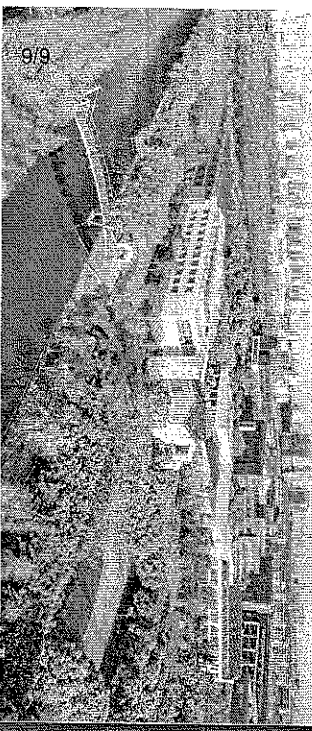
● **Curriculum Structure**

The following specializations are available on the program:

- Chinese Politics
- Chinese Economy
- Chinese Culture
- Chinese Law

The following is a selection of the available courses

- China Studies and Development
- Chinese Politics
- Investing in China and its Legal Requirement
- Development Studies and Developing Countries
- Seminar on the Belt and Road Initiative
- Political Economy of Development
- Technological Revolution and World Politics
- Chinese Economy Studies: Reform and Policy
- Chinese Language Courses



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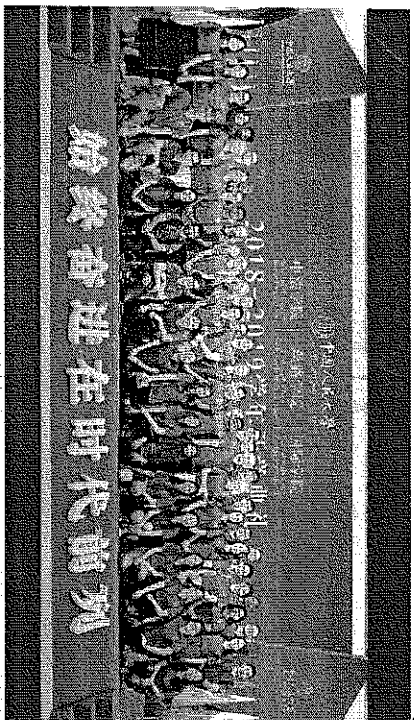
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Silk Road School

Renmin University of China (Suzhou)

Master of Contemporary Chinese Studies

2019 Program Overview



The Master of Contemporary Chinese Studies is a key measure by Renmin University of China (RUC) to actively support the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) in education. Following several years of preparation, the program leverages RUC's educational platform, international operational experience and high-level think-tank resources to train future elite leaders for countries along the BRI that have a passion for Chinese culture, understand profoundly the path, model and experience of China's development.

Departing from a global strategic perspective and amassing global political leaders, business elite and outstanding faculty resources, the program combines competitive professional courses, expert seminars, high-level forums, visit to well-known enterprises as well as various cultural visits to offer students a well-rounded academic experience in China.

The Silk Road School offers several levels of scholarship for the successful applicants, including the full scholarship and partial scholarship.

Duration and Location

The program is two years full-time in Suzhou, Jiangsu Province of China

Silk Road School, Renmin University of China

Address: No. 158 Ren'ai Road, Dushulake High Education District, Suzhou, Jiangsu Province, China

Eligibility

- Applicants of foreign nationality refer to applicants with foreign nationality recognized by the Chinese government.
- Applicants with dual nationality must manage the registration using the nationality applied at the time of admission.
- Applicants should have a Bachelor's Degree or above (awarded before August 31, 2019).
- Applicants should have ability of listening, speaking, reading and writing equivalent to a score of IELTS 6.5 or TOEFL 90.
- Applicants must submit two letters of recommendation.

Application Process

Complete the Online Application on the website of Silk Road School at Renmin University of China (<http://silkroad.school>).

Upon completion of registration, applicants must fill in the application form with personal information truthfully and upload the necessary materials, then submit and print the form finally. Once confirmed the registration, please pay the RMB 800 application fee online.

Deadline

The application period is open from January 1, 2019 to March 30, 2019.

Application Materials

- Application Form (Print this form after registration online);
- Proof of the highest diploma (original copy or notarized photocopy in English);
- Academic transcripts (original copy or notarized photocopy in English);
- 2-inch passport photos with white background;
- Copies of information page of your valid personal and ordinary passport;
- Two letters of recommendation in English;
- Personal statement (at least 1000 words in English, indicating your motivation for applying, study plans and career goals);
- Personal CV;
- Foreigner Physical Examination Form: the examination result must be obtained within one month, stating that the applicant has no serious infectious diseases or any diseases which could prevent entry into China;
- Copies of a catalogue of published academic articles along with abstracts, awards received or other research outcomes;
- Other original research (optional);
- Personal video clip (optional).

Notes on Application

- All documents should be in English; otherwise, certified English translations should be submitted with the original documents.
- The cut-off date for submitting all above materials online is March 30, 2019.



ELIGIBILITY FOR APPLICATION



Applicants should have interests in the BRI and Chinese Culture.



Applicants should have completed a Bachelor's degree by the time of enrollment in Renmin University.

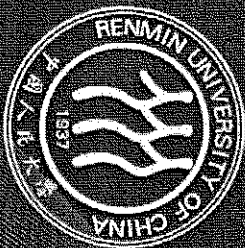


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SCHOLARSHIP

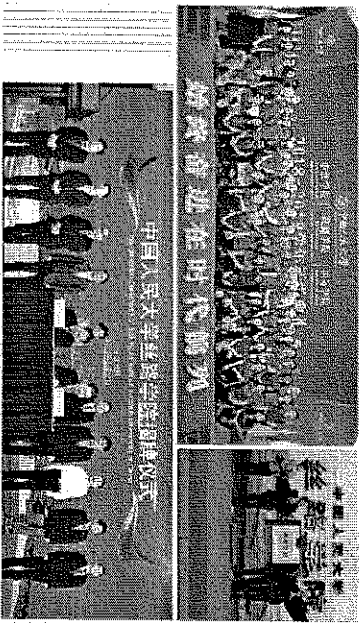
We offer scholarship for high achieving student. The scholarship is competitive and commensurate with qualifications.

For more information, please visit
<http://sis.nuc.edu.cn/>
or scan the QR code



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The Contemporary China Studies Program at Renmin University's Silk Road School (SRS) is a key measure by Renmin University of China (RUC) to actively support the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) in an education context. Based on RUC's educational platform, international experience, and high-level think-tank resources, SRS is devoted to train scholars and leaders for countries along the BRI who are passionate about China, who are well-versed in key aspects of Chinese culture, and who profoundly understand the path, approach, and goals of China's development.



Renmin University of China has a long tradition of specializing in research and training programs in various disciplines of the humanities and social sciences. Our rich experience in research and education in China, and our extensive international academic exchanges put us in a premier position to offer this cutting-edge Contemporary China Studies Program.

The Contemporary China Studies Program offers overseas students an opportunity to study Chinese governance and foreign relations while living in China without the hurdle of having to master the Chinese language.

THE PROGRAM IS

- Two-year English program
- Comprehensive introduction to the economy, politics, law, society and foreign policy of China
- Chinese culture experience

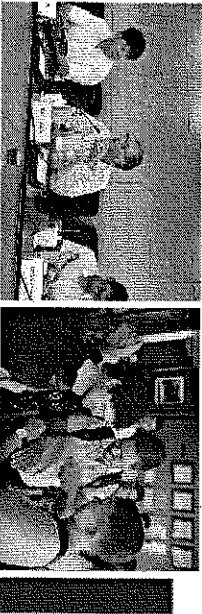
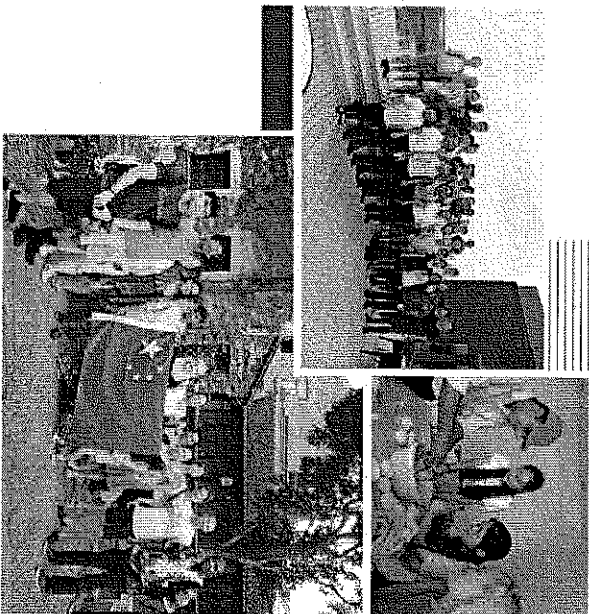
COURSES OFFERED

- China studies and Development
- Chinese Politics and Government
- Chinese Language
- Contemporary Chinese Foreign Policy
- Chinese History and Culture
- Contemporary Chinese Economy
- Seminar on Belt and Road Initiative
- Internet and Big Data
- Methodology in Social Science
- Contemporary Chinese Society
- Chinese Traditional Culture



LECTURES & VISITS

Some courses are including lectures and visits. We will invite famous scholars and elites in different areas to give 6-10 lectures, and we will arrange some visits to and culture activities.



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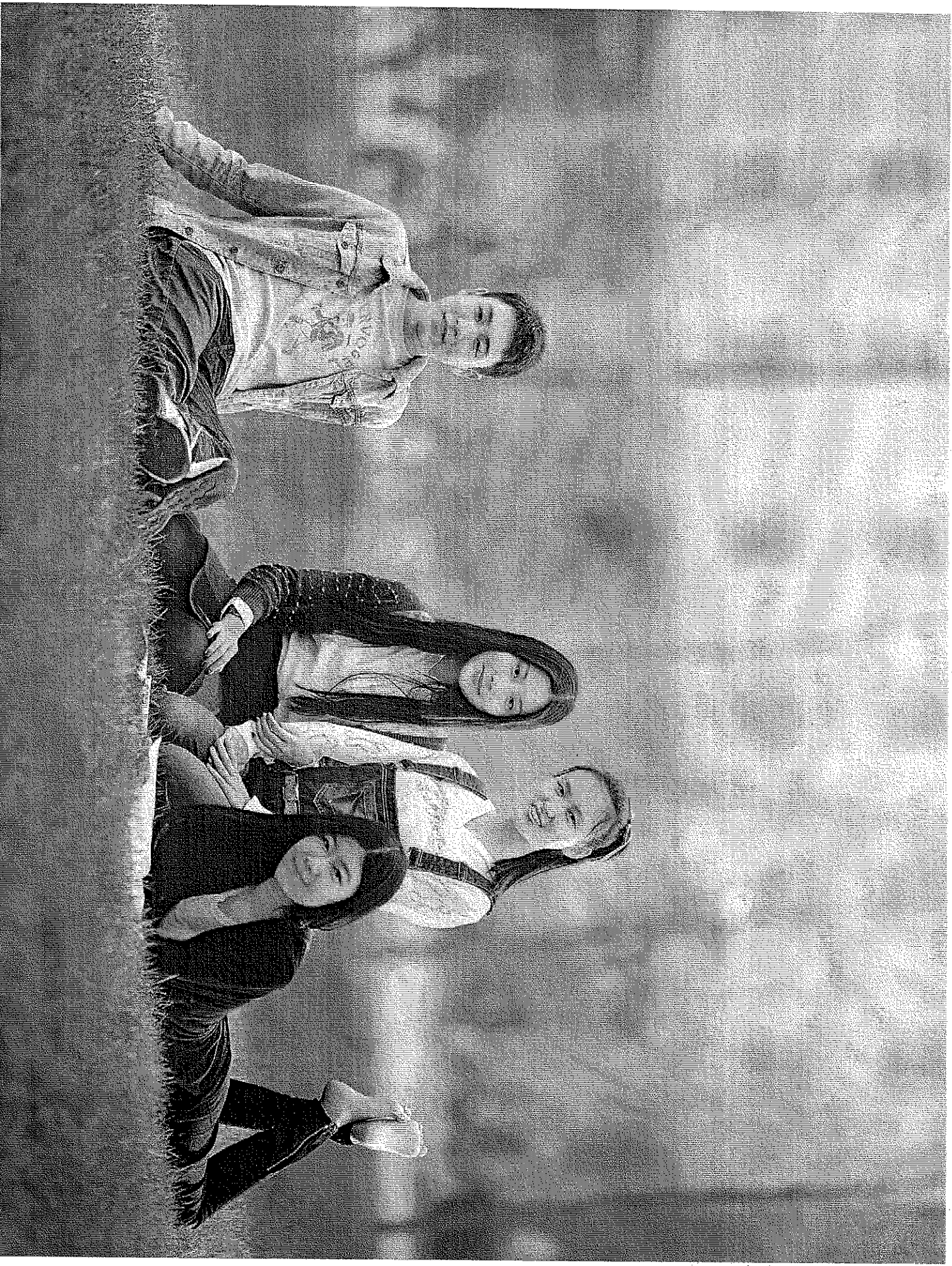
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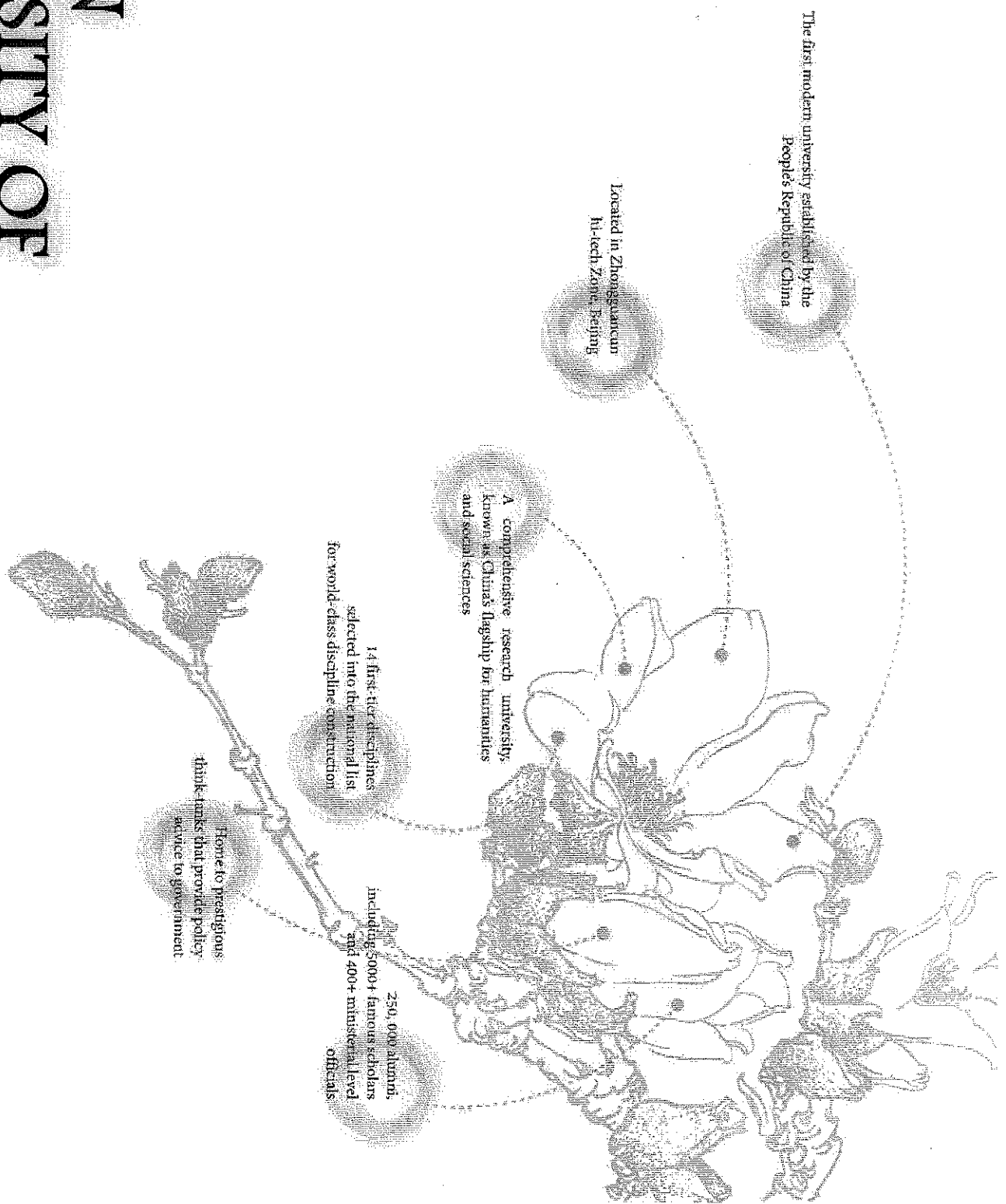
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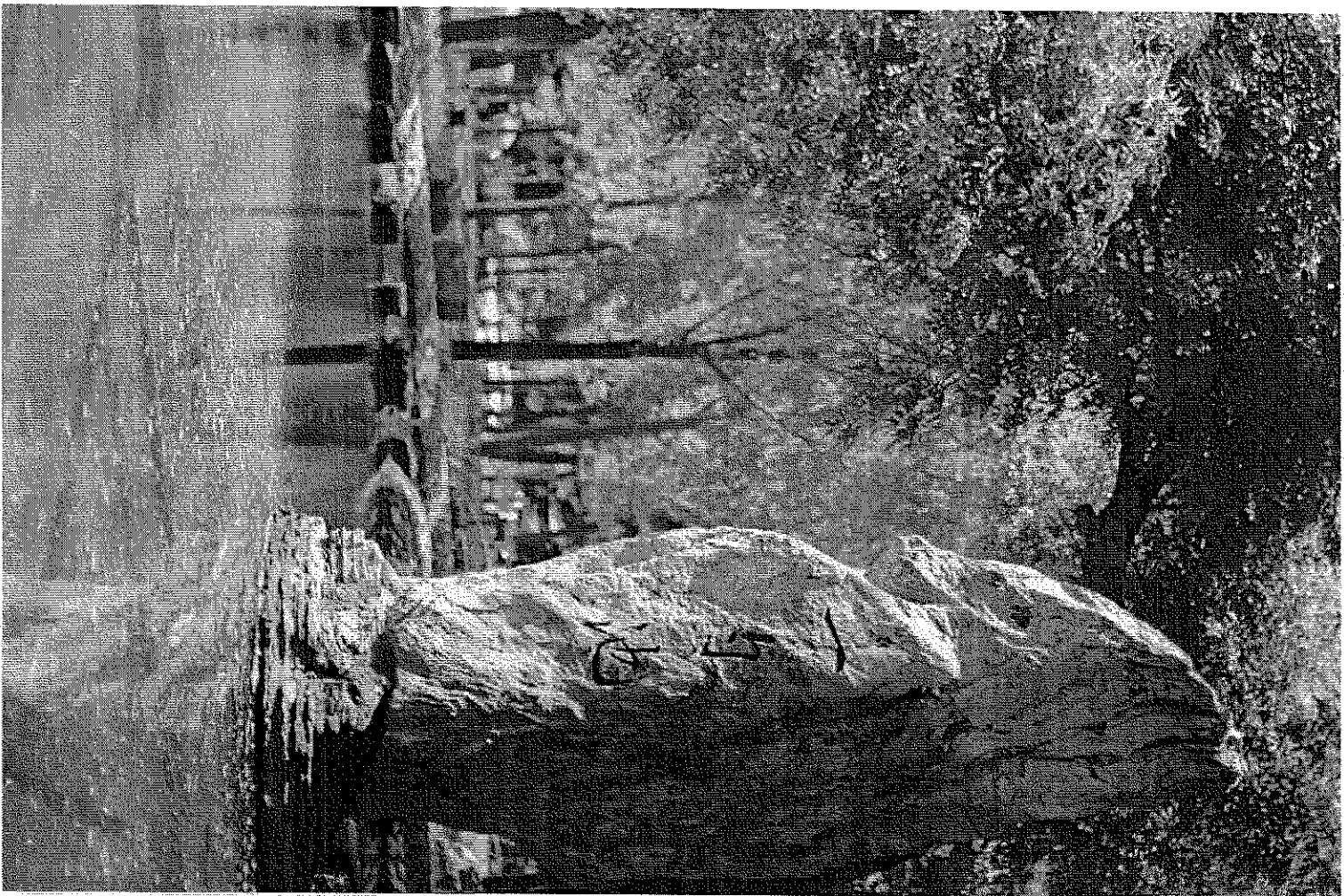
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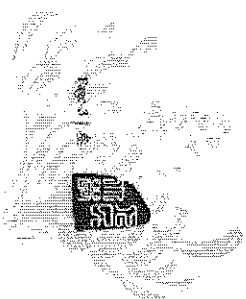
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Professor JIN Nuo
Chairwoman of the University Council

Renmin University of China is the first comprehensive research university established by the People's Republic of China. Its predecessor was Shanbei Public School, founded in 1937. Chinese heads of state MAO Zedong, DENG Xiaoping, JIANG Zemin, HU Jintao and XI Jinping have all paid close attention to RUC's development. Each has visited RUC's campus and delivered speeches or written inscriptions for the university.

Since Renmin University was established, more than 250,000 outstanding RUC alumni have made important contributions in various sectors, including government, academia, finance, communication and education.

With fourteen first-tier disciplines selected into the national list for world-class discipline construction, Renmin University of China is well placed to become an influential leader in the Chinese humanities and social sciences. We welcome your cooperation in meeting the challenges of an ever-changing world and invite you to join us in building a world-class university and promoting excellence in higher education.



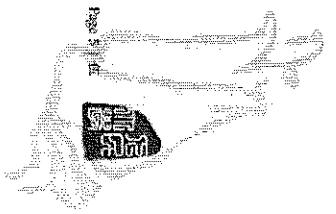


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Professor LIU Wei
President

Renmin University of China is a comprehensive research-oriented university focusing on humanities and social sciences. It also offers a range of courses in the natural sciences, information, technology and environmental sciences. The university's overriding tasks have consistently been the pursuit of truth and progress, cultural transmission and educating the country's future elites. RUC is an important base for training high-caliber professionals in the social sciences and humanities and houses a number of influential research centers and think tanks.

The vision of RUC is reflected in our logo, which is composed of three "人" (ren), a Chinese character that can be translated into person, human or humanity. The logo stands for "people's university", "the spirit of humanism" and "a focus on the humanities and social sciences". RUC's vision is to become a world-class university that equips future leaders, produces cutting-edge research and promotes global academic exchange. With the support of a dedicated leadership, its students, faculty and staff, RUC continues to grow in influence as one of the most important trend-setters in Chinese higher education today.



FACTS

RUC has 22749 full-time students

9558

7890

3810

1491

- Undergraduates for Bachelor's Degree
- Graduates for Master's Degree
- Graduates for Doctor's Degree
- International Students

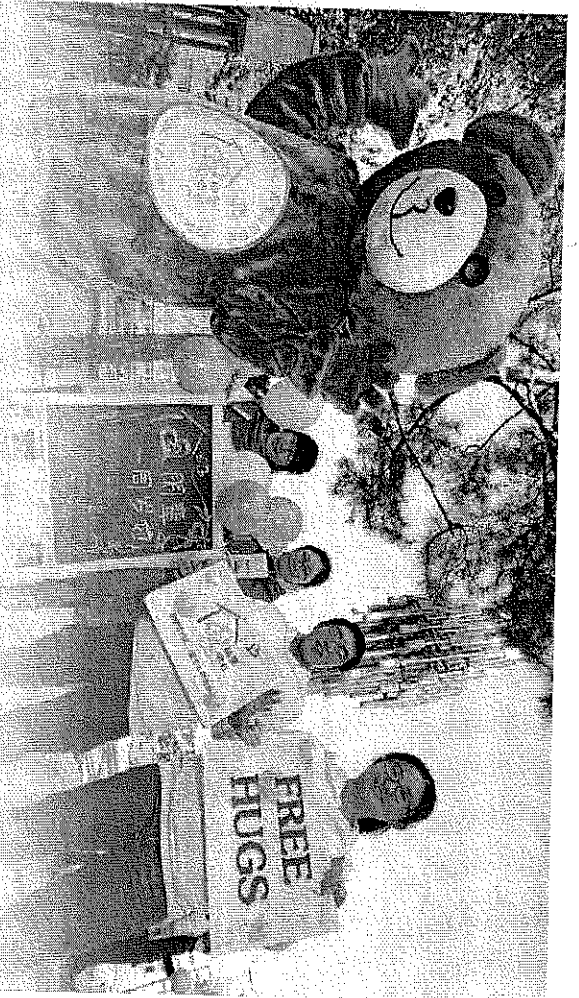
RUC has 3158 full-time faculty

1883

676

599

- Lecturers & Teaching Assistants
- Professors
- Associate Professors
- Administrative Staff
- Logistical Personnel



In the 4th round of assessment by the Ministry of Education in 2017, 14 disciplines of RUC are selected into A Class.

A+ Class Disciplines:

- Theoretical Economics
 - Applied Economics
 - Law
 - Sociology
 - Journalism and Communication
 - Statistics
 - Business Administration
 - Public Administration
 - Marxist Theory
- #### A Class Disciplines
- Political Science
 - Philosophy
- #### A-Class Disciplines
- Library, Information and Archival Studies
 - Chinese History
 - Chinese Language and Literature

In 2017, RUC was rated as A Class higher institution in the national list for world-class construction with 14 disciplines selected into the national list for world-class discipline construction.

- Philosophy
- Theoretical Economics
- Applied Economics
- Law
- Politics
- Sociology
- Marxist Theory
- Journalism and Communications
- Chinese History
- Statistics
- Business Administration
- Agricultural and Forestry Economics and Management
- Public Administration
- Library, Information and Archival Studies



SCHOOLS

Humanities

- School of Philosophy
- School of Literary Studies
- School of History
- School of Chinese Classics
- School of Arts
- School of Foreign Languages

Social Sciences

- School of Journalism and Communication
- School of Information Resource Management
- School of Public Administration
- School of Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology
- School of Sociology and Population Studies
- School of Education

Economics

- School of Economics
- School of Finance
- School of Statistics
- School of Business
- School of Labor and Human Resources

Law & Politics

- School of International Studies
- School of Law
- School of Modern Studies

Science & Technology

- School of Information
- School of Natural Sciences
- School of Environment and Natural Resources



UNDERGRADUATE TALENT TRAINING ROADMAP

In 2012, RU's officially launched a new talent training roadmap. Based on the philosophy of whole person education, the roadmap focuses on a research-oriented course system that helps students to discover real problems, acquire applicable knowledge, conduct meaningful research and offer relevant solutions.

Vision

RU's vision is to cultivate students to be exemplary citizens and pillars of society.

Spirit

Leadership
Exploration
Academy
Devotion

Pathways

Rigorous courses
Exchanges abroad
Salaries with distinguished professors
Expanding academic advising

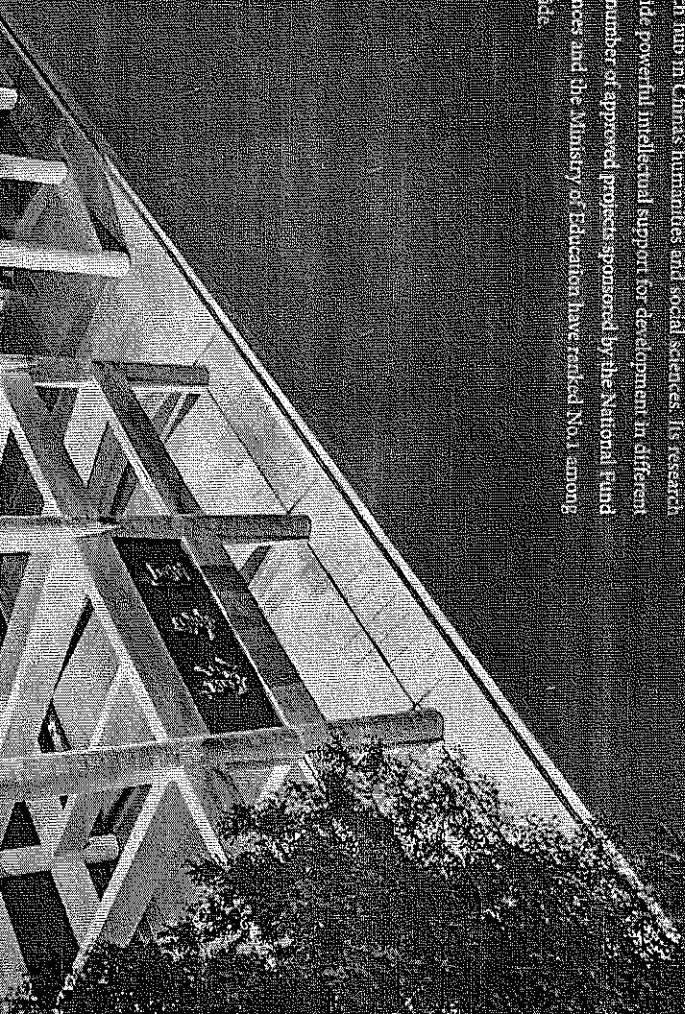
Honoring public service
Research practice
Expanding academic advising

Certified interdisciplinary training
All-round academic advising



RESEARCH & THINK-TANKS

RUC is an influential research hub in China's humanities and social sciences. Its research centers and think tanks provide powerful intellectual support for development in different sectors. In the last decade, a number of approved projects sponsored by the National Fund for Philosophy & Social Sciences and the Ministry of Education have ranked No.1 among Chinese universities nationwide.





Key Research Institutes

- Institute of Economic Reform and Development
- Institute for the Study of Buddhism and Religious Theory
- Institute of Qing Dynasty History
- Center for Research on Criminal Jurisprudence
- Center for Research on Jurisprudence and Social Development
- Center for Research on Population and Development Studies
- Center for Research on China Financial Policy
- Center for Research on Civil and Commercial Jurisprudence
- Center for Research on Ethics and Moral Construction
- Center for Research on Applied Statistics
- Center for Studies of Sociological Theory & Method
- Center for European Studies
- Academy of Public Policy



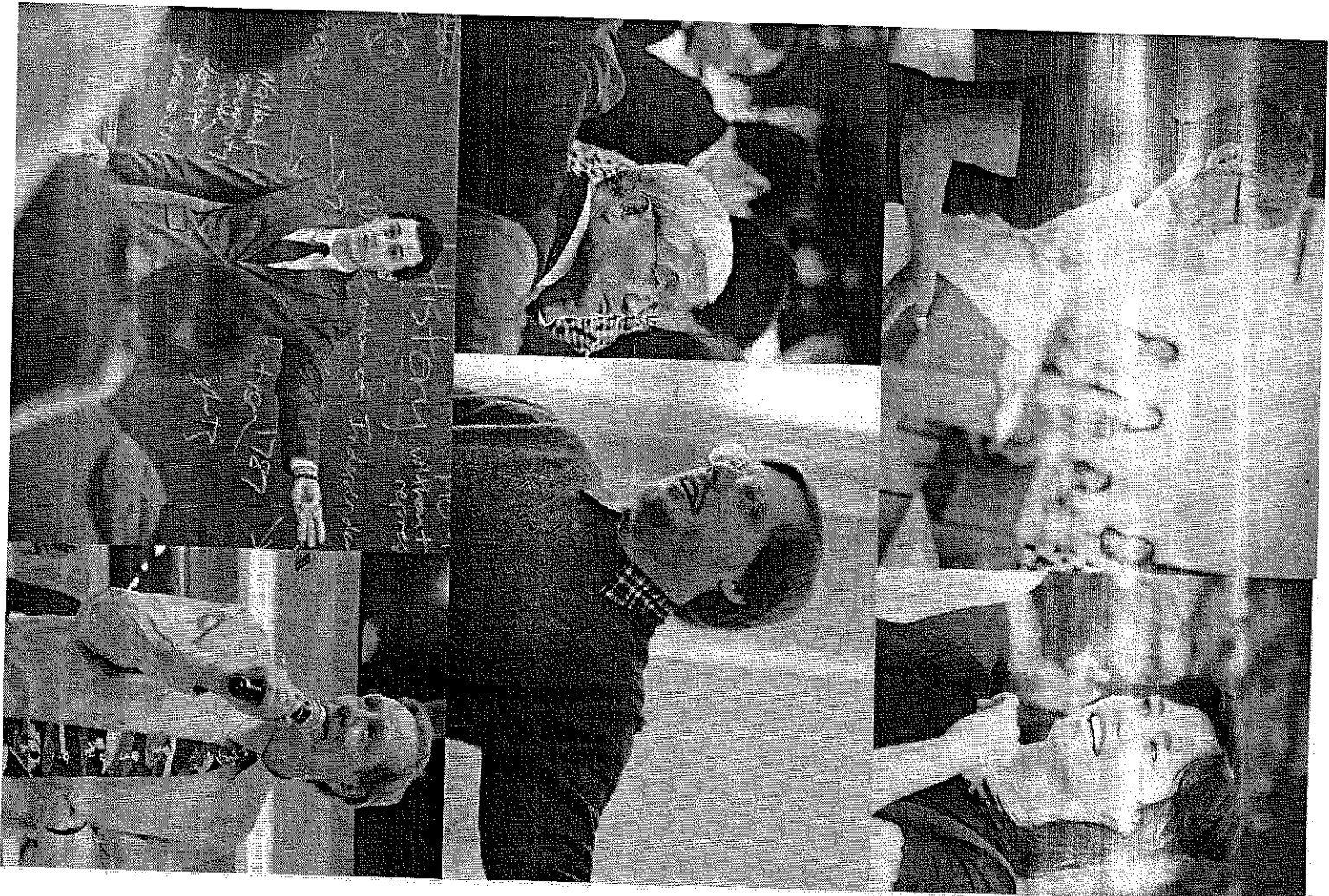
National Think Tanks

National Academy of Development and Strategy

As one of China's first batch of pilot units for national high-end think tank construction, NADS (National Academy of Development and Strategy (NADS)) is among the Top 100 think tanks globally. With major focuses on economy, politics and society, NADS provides high-quality and innovative intellectual support for the scientific and democratic policy-making of the Chinese government. Adhering to the goal of "national strategy, global vision, decision-making consultation, public opinion guidance", NADS strives to become a new-type Chinese think tank with international influence.

Chongyang Institute for Financial Studies

Chongyang Institute for Financial Studies at RUC (RUCIFY) is a new-type think tank with Chinese characteristics. Strongly grounded in reality, RUCIFY is dedicated to financial studies and academic research in a bid to advise the government and serve the public. Since its establishment, RUCIFY has scored many bests among think tanks in China, winning high recognition at home and abroad in the studies of global governance, major power relations, and macroeconomic policies. RUCIFY is one of the 7 Chinese think tanks to enter the Top 150 Global Think Tanks in the world-renowned "Global Go To Think Tank Index Report" issued by the University of Pennsylvania.



INTERNATIONAL CONNECTIONS

RUC has established university-level partnerships with 289 universities from 58 countries and regions all over the world. RUC has also hosted or organized a series of high-level international conferences on its campus, and conducted numerous international research projects.

More than 200 world-renowned scholars and famous guests have been granted the titles of honorary doctor, honorary professor or adjunct professor.

In 2015, RUC hosted 1,630 international students from 93 countries. Among them, 78% are pursuing a degree, 13% are visiting students and 9% are learning Mandarin Chinese.

Since 2009, RUC has offered a range of outstanding international programs, including the annual International Summer School and a variety of M.A. programs fully taught and administered in English.

