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A European Turn in Chinese Foreign Policy?

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19:15pm – 20:30 pm @

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19:00 – Doors Open
19:15 – Lecture
20:00 – Q&A
20:30 – Mixer/Drinks/Dinner

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Ten years ago, China and Europe were engaged in a "honeymoon," but even as the rhetoric of strategic partnership has cooled down, they have become bound together by annual trade ties totaling \$500 billion. This March, Professor Xi Jinping made his first visit to Europe. Does this indicate a "European turn" in Chinese foreign policy? What is the current state of China-EU relations? How is China cultivating its relations with the EU and its member states? How might China and the EU converge or diverge on the crisis in Ukraine? In tonight's talk, Professor Chen will share his views on the various aspects of China-EU relations at a critical moment.

[Chen Zhimin](#) is Dean of Fudan University's [School of International Relations and Public Affairs](#), where he is also Professor of International Relations and the Jean Monnet Chair Professor of European Foreign Policy. He serves as member of Advisory Board or editorial committee of several international journals, such as *The Hague Journal of Diplomacy* and *Asia Europe Journal*. His research interests include international relations theory, diplomacy studies, Chinese foreign policy and EU studies. His major publications in Chinese include [China, the United States, and Europe: New Trilateral Relations of Cooperation and Competition](#) (2011), [Contemporary Diplomacy](#) (2008), and [Foreign Policy Integration in European Union: Mission Impossible?](#) (2003). Chen is also co-editor (with David Zweig) of [China's Reforms and International Political Economy](#) (2007). Professor Chen received his B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. from Fudan University, and has been a visiting fellow at Harvard University (1996-1997), as well as a visiting scholar at Queen's University, University of Durham, Lund University, Sciences Po, and Keio University.

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