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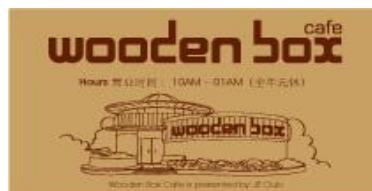
cordially invite you to:

China's Emerging Neo-Statism and its Impact on the Global Political Economy

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Thursday, August 20th, 2015
19:15pm –20:30 pm



9 Qinghai Lu (just to the South of Nanjing West Road)
青海路 9 号, 近南京西路, 地铁二号线南京西路站

19:00 – Doors Open
19:15 – Lecture
20:00 – Q&A
20:30 – Mixer/Drinks/Dinner
21:30 – Live music at the Wooden Box

Please RSVP to Frank Tsai of Hopkins China Forum by writing to editor@shanghai-review.org.

Through a case study of China's high speed rail system, tonight's talk will discuss an emerging "neo-statist" development model to which insufficient attention has been paid thus far. Political elites in China have since 2000 adhered to this performance-oriented development model, and "secondary innovation" in the Chinese economy has been a feature of emerging neo-statism.

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