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EVENTS & MEETINGS (ORGANIZED & ATTENDED)

Cultural Event titled “Understanding Xizang” jointly organized by COMSATS University & China Media Group (CMG) at Islamabad

03 November, 2025



On 3rd November 2025, COMSATS University Islamabad, in collaboration with China Media Group (CMG), hosted a culturally enriching and intellectually engaging event titled “Understanding Xizang”. The event aimed to promote cultural understanding and strengthen people to people ties between Pakistan and China.

The event highlighted the historical heritage, socio economic transformation, and cultural diversity of the Xizang Autonomous Region, offering insights into its development journey under China’s modern growth model. Students, academics, researchers, and educationists actively participated, acknowledging the initiative as an important platform for enhancing cross cultural awareness and cooperation.



Mr. Huzaifa Rehman, Minister of State and Special Assistant to the Prime Minister, praised China's inclusive and people centric development approach. He stated that Xizang stands as a successful example of how modern progress, cultural harmony, and environmental protection can advance together. He also commended CMG's efforts in promoting mutual understanding between Pakistan and China.



Mr. Chen Peng, Cultural Counselor at the Embassy of China in Pakistan, shared Xizang's remarkable development journey from one of the least developed regions to an area now excelling in education, agriculture, infrastructure, and technology. He emphasized China's commitment to balanced progress, cultural preservation, ecological sustainability, and strengthening cooperation with Pakistan.

Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), highlighted the significance of initiatives like "Understanding Xizang" in encouraging academic collaboration and cultural harmony. He commented that such programs foster intellectual discourse, peace, and regional cooperation.

Mr. Moin ul Haque, Former Ambassador of Pakistan to China, noted that Pakistan China friendship transcends governmental ties, flourishing strongly at the people-to-people level. Recalling his visit to Xizang, he admired its modern infrastructure, high literacy rate, and strong social cohesion, calling them reflections of China's sustainable development model.



Mr. Hassan Daud Butt, Former CEO of KP Board of Investment, emphasized that China's rapid development is the result of visionary leadership and collective commitment. He stated that Xizang serves as a unique model where tradition and modernity coexist, contributing to sustainable development.

Professor Dr. Sohail Asghar, Campus In Charge COMSATS University Islamabad, expressed gratitude to CMG for organizing the event. He shared that the program offered students firsthand exposure to Chinese culture, innovation, and social values, enhancing global learning and mutual respect among youth.

Ms. Wang Bing Xia (Iffat), Representative of CMG Urdu Service, presented key highlights from a documentary on Xizang, showcasing the region's cultural richness and inspiring development journey.



The “Understanding Xizang” event served as a celebration of China's cultural diversity and development vision, while further strengthening the spirit of friendship, cooperation, and mutual respect between the people of Pakistan and China.

Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram Presents Paper at the MCE–UMT Two-Day International Conference on “Re-thinking Security: Traditional and Non-Traditional Threats in a Transforming World,” held on 11–12 November 2025 at Lahore

11–12 November 2025

Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), participated as a distinguished speaker at the MCE–UMT Two-Day International Conference on “Re-thinking Security: Traditional and Non-Traditional Threats in a Transforming World.” The conference, jointly organized by the Department of Political Science & IR (UMT) and the Maritime Centre of Excellence (PNWC), was held on 11–12 November 2025 at Lahore.



On 11 November 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur presented his research paper during Session I, themed “Naval Doctrines & Maritime Security in a Multipolar World Order.” His paper, titled “Non-Traditional Maritime Security (NTMS) Challenges in Maritime Domains: Threats to Economic Sustainability,” highlighted emerging maritime vulnerabilities, economic risks, and the growing significance of NTMS in regional and global security frameworks. He emphasized how evolving maritime dynamics affect trade routes, economic resilience, and strategic stability.



The inaugural session of the conference featured prominent speakers, including Ambassador Shahid Malik delivering the keynote address, and the Chief Guest Vice Admiral Faisal Abbasi HI(M), Commander Karachi, who shared concluding remarks stressing the importance of integrated approaches to modern security challenges.

Mr. Khalid’s contribution added valuable insight to the discourse on maritime security, especially in the context of Pakistan’s strategic environment and the broader Indo-Pacific region.



Interactive Session on “China’s Belt & Road Initiative and the Vision of a Community with Shared Future” held at Islamabad

13 November, 2025



On 12th November 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director, Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF) delivered an insightful and interactive session with the faculty members and PhD scholars of Rifah University in Islamabad. During the session, Mr. Khalid explained how the BRI has evolved into one of the world’s most ambitious development frameworks, connecting regions through infrastructure, energy, digital cooperation, and economic partnerships. He highlighted its significance for Pakistan, noting that initiatives like CPEC have transformed the country’s connectivity landscape and opened new avenues for growth.



Through practical examples and global case studies, he demonstrated how the BRI fosters inclusive development and promotes mutual benefit among partner nations.

Emphasizing the philosophy behind the Community with Shared Future, Mr. Khalid elaborated on China's vision of building a world rooted in shared progress, harmony, and collective security. He underscored how this concept aligns with Pakistan's developmental aspirations and contributes to strengthening regional stability and international cooperation.

The faculty and PhD scholars deeply appreciated Mr. Khalid's ability to simplify complex geopolitical themes and present them with clarity, depth, and real-world relevance. His engaging style, rich experience, and command over the subject matter created an environment of active dialogue. Participants recognized the importance of his contribution in fostering academic engagement, enhancing understanding of evolving global narratives, and inspiring young researchers to explore emerging areas of international relations and strategic studies.



Conference on “China’s 15th Five-Year Plan: Pathways to Innovation, Modernization, and Inclusive Growth” held at Islamabad

13 November, 2025



On Nov 13, 2025, a conference on “China’s 15th Five-Year Plan: Pathways to Innovation, Modernization, and Inclusive Growth” jointly organized by Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), National Language Promotion Department (NLPD), Ministry of National Heritage and Culture Division, Government of Pakistan, in collaboration with China Media Group (CMG) was held at National Language Promotion Department, Islamabad.

The conference aimed to deepen understanding of the 15th Five-Year Plan’s key priorities—including industrial modernization, technological innovation, agricultural development, and people-centered growth—while showcasing opportunities for enhanced collaboration under the Belt and Road Initiative. It also celebrated 2025 as the



Pakistan-China Friendship Year. The event served as a platform to highlight the shared vision of progress, cooperation, and mutual prosperity between the two countries.

The opening remarks were given by Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), who warmly welcomed all guests and expressed gratitude for their participation. He specially



acknowledged China Media Group (CMG) for its role in organizing the event and promoting media cooperation, cultural understanding, and the enduring friendship between Pakistan and China. Highlighting China's remarkable progress, Mr. Khalid emphasized its focus on innovation, technological advancement, and high-quality development as an inspiring model for developing nations, while reaffirming Pakistan's commitment to its all-weather partnership with China and the aim of deepening cooperation across multiple sectors for shared growth.



Following the opening address, Mr. Tassawar Zaman Babar, Director of Planning & Production, CGTN Urdu, China Media Group, delivered his remarks. Mr. Babar noted how China has transformed itself into one of the world's largest and most dynamic economies through visionary leadership, strategic planning, and unwavering commitment to reform and innovation. He emphasized that China's progress serves as a source of inspiration for developing nations.



Prof. Dr. M. Saleem Mazhar, Director General, National Language Promotion Department, Ministry of National Heritage and Culture Division, Government of Pakistan, in his remarks, highlighted the strong cultural and linguistic bonds between Pakistan and China. He praised China's remarkable progress in education, technology, and innovation, noting how it has become a model of balanced development that values both modernization and cultural preservation.



Advocate Adil Aziz Qazi, Advocate Supreme Court of Pakistan, Vice Chairman Islamabad Bar Council, praised China's remarkable development. He emphasized the importance of legal and institutional collaboration in supporting bilateral ties and reaffirmed the commitment of the Pakistani legal community to strengthening people-to-people connections and shared initiatives.

In her address, Ms. Wu Jiahao, a distinguished Chinese scholar, spoke about the vision and priorities outlined in China's 15th Five-Year Plan. She highlighted the importance of China-Pakistan collaboration in advancing technological development and inclusive progress under the Belt and Road Initiative. Delivering her entire speech in fluent Urdu, Ms. Wu deeply impressed the audience and received warm applause for her gesture of friendship and cultural understanding.

Advocate Zaildar Ahsan Shah, Convener of the Foreign Relations Committee at the Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FPCCI), emphasized the crucial role of economic cooperation between Pakistan and China in realizing the shared goals of prosperity and



development. In his speech, he highlighted how China's 15th Five-Year Plan offers new avenues for industrial collaboration, trade diversification, and investment opportunities for Pakistan.

Dr. Hayam Qayyoom, Senior Assistant Professor at the Department of Media Studies, Bahria University, Islamabad, highlighted the vital role of media and communication in fostering mutual understanding and strengthening Pakistan-China relations. She emphasized that the 15th Five-Year Plan not only outlines China's



roadmap for innovation and modernization but also presents opportunities for collaborative storytelling, knowledge exchange, and people-to-people connectivity between the two nations. Mr. Muhammad Asim Khan Nyazee, Project Director at the Ministry of Planning, Development, and Special Initiatives, highlighted the alignment between Pakistan's Vision 2025 and China's 15th Five-Year Plan, emphasizing the shared commitment to innovation, sustainable growth, and inclusive development. Mr. Nyazee stressed the importance of joint planning, technological exchange, and policy coordination to

ensure that both nations move forward together toward a modern, resilient, and mutually prosperous future. Professor Wang Sixin, Deputy Dean of Institute for a Community with Shared Future (ICSF), Communication University of China (CUC), Beijing, delivered his speech online in which he highlighted the strategic priorities of China. The



expert emphasized the importance of international collaboration, particularly with Pakistan, in areas such as technology transfer, infrastructure development, and sustainable economic initiatives.

Mr. Muhammad Ali Pasha, Patron-in-Chief of The Gulf Observer, commended China's visionary approach embodied in the 15th Five-Year Plan, describing it as a blueprint for innovation, modernization, and inclusive growth.

Ms. Fatima Javed, Special Correspondent for China Economic Net and Gwadar Pro, highlighted the importance of objective journalism and cross-cultural reporting in promoting a deeper understanding of China's 15th Five-Year Plan and its implications for regional development. She emphasized that the media serves as a bridge for enhancing people-to-people connectivity and showcasing the success stories emerging from CPEC and the Belt and Road Initiative.

Mr. Khoja Sheraaz Ali, Chairman of the National Youth Leadership Program (NYLP), focused on the pivotal role of youth empowerment and innovation in advancing the goals set forth in China's 15th Five-Year Plan. He emphasized that young people in both Pakistan and China are the driving force behind technological progress, entrepreneurship, and sustainable development.

Ms. Qurrat ul Ain Cheema, CEO of the Global Engineering Network for Innovation and Intelligence, emphasized the central role of science, technology, and innovation in achieving the objectives of China's 15th Five-Year Plan.

Mr. Manzoor Hussain Kakakhel, Director of Public Relations at World Tribune, underscored the importance of effective communication and public engagement in advancing the shared vision outlined in China's 15th Five-Year Plan.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, certificates of appreciation were distributed to all the distinguished speakers and participants, recognizing their valuable contributions and active engagement in the discussions.

The conference was attended by almost 150 people which included international relations students, practitioners, and academicians.



Civil Society in a Changing World: Pakistan’s Voice Presented by Iqra Javaid at Global Town Hall 2025

15 November, 2025



On 15 November 2025, the Global Town Hall 2025 was held online under the theme “The Future We Need.” The conference brought together global leaders, policymakers, civil society representatives, scholars, and youth voices from around the world to discuss the challenges facing an increasingly turbulent world and the pathways toward a more stable and inclusive future.

As part of the event, Session 2, titled “Civil Societies as a Force for Stability and Progress in an Increasingly Turbulent World,” featured an influential panel of speakers:

- Justin Vaïsse
- Arthur Larok
- Pita Limjaroenrat
- Suhasini Haidar
- Moderator: Step Vaessen

Civil Society Discussants included:

- Wolf Pamphile
- Iqra Javaid (Member Board of Experts, PRCCSF)
- Adilson da Costa Junior



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Civil Societies as a Force for Stability and Progress in an Increasingly Turbulent World

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Representing Pakistan, Ms. Iqra Javaid, a member of the Board of Experts of the Pakistan Research Centre for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), contributed key insights on the evolving role of civil societies in today's complex and rapidly changing global environment.

During her intervention, Ms. Javaid emphasized that civil society serves as a bridge between the state and the people, helping to reduce gaps in understanding, communication, and expectations. She highlighted that the young generation plays an especially critical role, as their demand for transparency and their ability to mobilize through new forms of engagement make them central actors in shaping modern civic participation.

Ms. Javaid underscored several important points:

- The narratives, communication styles, and interaction patterns of Gen Z differ greatly from previous generations.
- With communication mediums shifting globally, civil society must adopt new patterns that reflect youth engagement and digital dynamics.
- Digital activism has emerged as a powerful tool for awareness, mobilization, and advocacy, enabling young people to influence local and global conversations.

Drawing on Pakistan's recent experience, she referenced the 2025 floods, noting how young volunteers, digital communities, and civil society organizations played a critical role in rescue efforts, relief mobilization, fundraising, and spreading accurate information during the crisis.

Ms. Iqra also discussed the challenges posed by today's digital information environment, stressing that platforms must operate responsibly, especially in an era marked by widespread misinformation, disinformation, and targeted propaganda. Given the volume of information surrounding young people today, she urged for stronger safeguards and responsible communication practices to ensure constructive public discourse.

Her contribution highlighted the essential need for inclusive, youth-engaged, and digitally adaptive civil societies to support global stability and progress in the years ahead.

Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram delivered the keynote address at the Creative Leadership Conference, organized by Volunteers Force Pakistan in collaboration with the National Youth Leadership Program (NYLP) 2025 at Islamabad

23 November, 2025



On 23rd November 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), delivered keynote address at the Creative Leadership Conference. The event, jointly organized by Volunteers Force Pakistan and the National Youth Leadership Program (NYLP) 2025 at Islamabad, aimed to empower young leaders by providing them with a platform to engage with experts, mentors, and policymakers.

The conference gathered a diverse group of professionals, youth representatives, and thought leaders who contributed to meaningful discussions on innovation, leadership, and global engagement. In his keynote speech, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram emphasized the vast opportunities available for Pakistani youth under China's Belt and Road Initiative. He highlighted how the initiative can contribute to skills development, economic empowerment, and long-term regional connectivity, encouraging young participants to actively pursue these prospects.

Mr. Akram also expressed his heartfelt appreciation for Mr. Khoja Sheraaz Ali, Chairman of the National Youth Leadership Program (NYLP), for his outstanding leadership and exceptional organization of the event. He acknowledged the role of such youth-led initiatives in shaping a progressive and forward-looking generation capable of contributing to Pakistan's future development.



PRCCSF Board of Experts Member Visits Institute for Community with Shared Future (ICSF) at Communication University of China (CUC), Beijing

26 November, 2025

On 26th November 2025, Ms. Masooma Zahara, Member Board of Experts, Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF) and Career Development Manager at the University of Sargodha, visited the Institute for Community with Shared Future (ICSF), Communication University of China (CUC) in Beijing, China. During her visit, she met with the ICSF management, including Prof. Zhang Yanqiu, Deputy Dean of ICSF, CUC, Beijing and Ms.



Sun Yuhong, Section Chief of the Confucius Institute Management Office of the ICSF, CUC, Beijing, China.

During the meeting, Ms. Zahara introduced the academic profile and achievements of the University of Sargodha, highlighting her role in student development and institutional advancement. She discussed opportunities for joint collaboration, including research partnerships, academic exchange programs, and initiatives to promote people-to-people connectivity between Pakistan and China. She also commended ICSF for championing the vision of a community with a shared future for mankind, as articulated by President Xi Jinping.



The ICSF management expressed sincere appreciation for Ms. Zahara's contributions to strengthening academic cooperation and fostering mutual understanding between the two countries. The discussion highlighted the shared commitment to deepen



collaboration in research, capacity building, and knowledge exchange. Both sides agreed to explore concrete avenues for long-term institutional cooperation under the framework of shared development and global connectivity.

Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of PRCCSF, attended the Romania National Day Celebrations at Islamabad

27 November, 2025

On November 27, 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of PRCCSF, attended the Romania National Day Celebrations hosted by His Excellency Dr. Dan Stoenescu, Ambassador of Romania to Pakistan. The event highlighted the longstanding friendship between Pakistan and Romania, established in 1964 and strengthened through cooperation in industry, trade, education, defense, and culture.



Romania has historically supported Pakistan's industrial development, especially in the oil and fertilizer sectors, while recent efforts have focused on expanding collaboration in science, technology, and people-to-people exchanges. High-level interactions, including discussions on defense ties, cultural initiatives like the Friendship Monument in Karachi, and parliamentary engagements, further reflect both nations' commitment to deepening their bilateral relationship.

PRCCSF Board Member Participated as Speaker in Webinar on “From Dependency to Leverage: How the Global South Uses China–US Rivalry to Reassert Power” Organized by Strategic Youth Paradigm

30 November, 2025

On 29th November 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), participated in an extensive and highly engaging interactive session with the young leaders of the National Youth Leadership Program (NYLP) 2025 in Islamabad. The session highlighted the strong enthusiasm, innovative spirit, and



forward-looking mindset of Pakistan's youth, who are increasingly focused on entrepreneurship, collective growth, and the development of constructive engagement platforms.

The National Youth Leadership Program NYLP 2025 has successfully brought together motivated and talented young individuals from various regions of the country, offering them an opportunity to learn, collaborate, and contribute meaningfully toward national progress. Their discussions reflected a deep commitment to social responsibility, leadership development, and the promotion of initiatives that can create long-term positive impact.



Special appreciation is extended to Mr. Khoja Sheraaz Ali, Chairman of National Youth Leadership Program NYLP 2025 for his remarkable efforts in establishing and sustaining this vibrant platform, which continues to inspire young leaders to pursue excellence and contribute to the country's development with passion and purpose.



CHINESE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Sargodha University hosts China Fellowship Session on nuclear energy, climate change

04 November, 2025



On 4th November 2025, The Department of International Relations, in collaboration with the Pakistan Institute of China Studies (PICS), organised the fourth session of the China Fellowship Program at the University of Sargodha.

The session, titled “Nuclear Energy and China’s Contribution Towards Achieving Net Zero Emissions and Combating Climate Change,” gathered scholars, fellowship participants, faculty members, and students for a substantive academic discussion.

Delivering the keynote address, Prof. Dr. Syed Javaid Khurshid, Consultant on Science Communication and Diplomacy and Coordinator at the Policy Research Center (OIC-COMSTECH), highlighted China’s transition towards clean and sustainable energy solutions. He discussed the country’s growing reliance on nuclear energy as part of its strategy to achieve



carbon neutrality and reduce dependence on fossil fuels. Dr. Khurshid also underlined the importance of science diplomacy and technological cooperation among Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) countries to advance global climate goals.

Earlier, Syed Imran Abbas, Assistant Professor, Department of International Relations, welcomed the participants and emphasized the importance of academic platforms that engage students in global debates on sustainability and policy development.



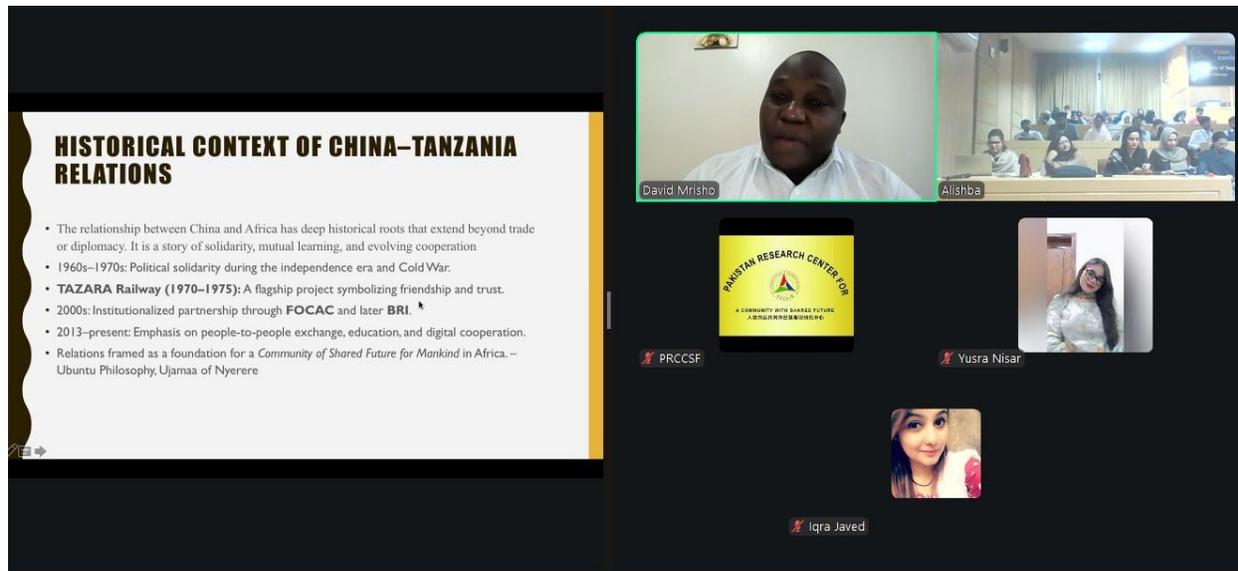
In his concluding remarks, Prof. Dr. Tahir Mumtaz Awan, Director, PICS, appreciated the participants' contributions and reiterated the University of Sargodha's commitment to promoting academic exchange and policy-oriented research. He noted that the fellowship program provides valuable opportunities for young scholars to explore emerging issues in energy, environment, and international cooperation.

The session concluded with an interactive discussion on the future of nuclear energy, renewable technologies, and collaborative climate policies. The session was attended by Dr. Ashfaq Ahmed, Chairperson, Department of International Relations, Faculty and students.



Training Session on “Media and Narrative Construction in China–Tanzania Relations” for the China Fellowship Program at the University of Sargodha

11 November, 2025



On 11th November 2025, as part of the joint China Fellowship Program, a training session was held at the University of Sargodha (UoS). Dr. David Haruna Mrisho, Deputy Director of the East Africa Research Center for a Community with a Shared Future and Head of the Department of Public Relations and Marketing at the University of St. Augustine, Tanzania, led an engaging session on the role of narratives in shaping international relations, with a particular focus on China–Tanzania cooperation.

Dr. Mrisho emphasized that narratives serve as frameworks for interpreting history, identity, and global partnerships. He encouraged participants to reflect on how stories defining China–Africa relations are shaped differently through Western, Chinese, and African perspectives, influencing mutual understanding and international development.



The session examined the pivotal role of media in constructing and framing these narratives, contrasting themes of neo-colonialism often portrayed in Western media with notions of shared

prosperity prevalent in Chinese media, while also recognizing the diversity of African perspectives. The discussion incorporated theoretical frameworks such as framing theory, constructivism, and postcolonial thought, highlighting the importance of constructive journalism, ethical reporting, and cross-cultural communication.

The session concluded with an interactive question-and-answer segment, where students actively participated, shared their insights, and engaged with Dr. Mrisho, deepening their understanding of the complexities and opportunities embedded in media-driven international relations.

The training session was moderated by Ms. Yusra Binte Nisar, Research Assistant at the Pakistan Research Centre for a Community with a Shared Future (PRCCSF), Islamabad and Ms. Alishba Aslam, Research Officer at Pakistan Institute of China Studies University of Sargodha (PICS-UOS).



**Learning Session on “Türkiye–China Perspectives on the Global South” for the China
Fellowship Program at the University of Sargodha**

18 November, 2025



On 18th November 2025, A learning session on “What Does the Global South Mean for Türkiye and China in the 21st Century” was conducted under the joint China Fellowship Program at the University of Sargodha (UoS). The session was led by Dr. Selnaz Baskan Yurdakul, Professor at the Eastern Languages and Cultures Department, Sichuan International Studies University (SISU), China.

Dr. Selnaz delivered an insightful lecture explaining how the concept of the Global South shapes the strategic outlooks of both Türkiye and China. She highlighted that for China, the Global South represents both an identity and a strategic platform. China positions itself as a leading voice for developing nations, promoting South–South cooperation through initiatives such as the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI), BRICS, and other multilateral forums. Through these efforts, China aims to support a multipolar global order where Global South countries hold greater influence.



Regarding Türkiye, Dr. Selnaz explained that the Global South serves as a flexible and dynamic space for expanding its diplomatic presence beyond traditional Western alliances. Türkiye leverages this identity to deepen engagement with Asia, Africa, and the Middle East while maintaining constructive ties with Europe and NATO, strengthening its image as an independent, proactive, and strategically diversified regional power. In summary, she noted that China views the Global South as a sphere of leadership, whereas Türkiye sees it as a sphere of opportunity and strategic diversification.



The session featured an engaging question-and-answer segment, during which students actively participated and exchanged perspectives with the speaker. This interactive discussion significantly enhanced participants' understanding of the evolving geopolitical significance of the Global South.



The session concluded with closing remarks by Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), who appreciated Dr. Selnaz Baskan Yurdakul for her insightful session and emphasized the importance of strengthening academic and cultural engagement between Pakistan, China, and Türkiye.

**Learning Session on “China’s Development Cooperation with Argentina and Brazil” for
the China Fellowship Program at the University of Sargodha**

25 November, 2025



On 25th November 2025, a learning session on “China’s Development Cooperation with Argentina and Brazil” was conducted under the joint China Fellowship Program at the University of Sargodha (UoS). The session was led by Dr. Maria Haro Sly, an Argentinian scholar, a Ph.D. Candidate at Johns Hopkins University and Fellow at the Arrighi Center for Global Studies.

The session focused on the key aspects of China’s engagement, including the internationalization of the Renminbi (RMB) and currency SWAP arrangements, the political economy of agribusiness, hydro-dams projects financed by China, and space cooperation initiatives. Dr. Maria highlighted how China’s investments are shaping Brazil and Argentina’s economic landscape, addressing both opportunities and constraints in these bilateral relationships.



The discussion emphasized the dynamic growth of trade and investment over the past two decades. In the early 2000s, China was not a major trading partner for either Argentina or Brazil. However, by 2024–2025, China has emerged as a crucial economic partner, with Brazil ranking as the second-largest recipient of Chinese investment. The session explored China’s geoeconomic strategies in Brazil and how both Argentina and Brazil are contributing to science and technology collaborations with China.

Furthermore, Dr. Maria provided a thorough explanation of key economic and financial aspects of China’s engagement with Argentina and Brazil. She detailed the RMB and SWAP arrangements, central bank reserves, and the significance of GNI per capita in assessing economic

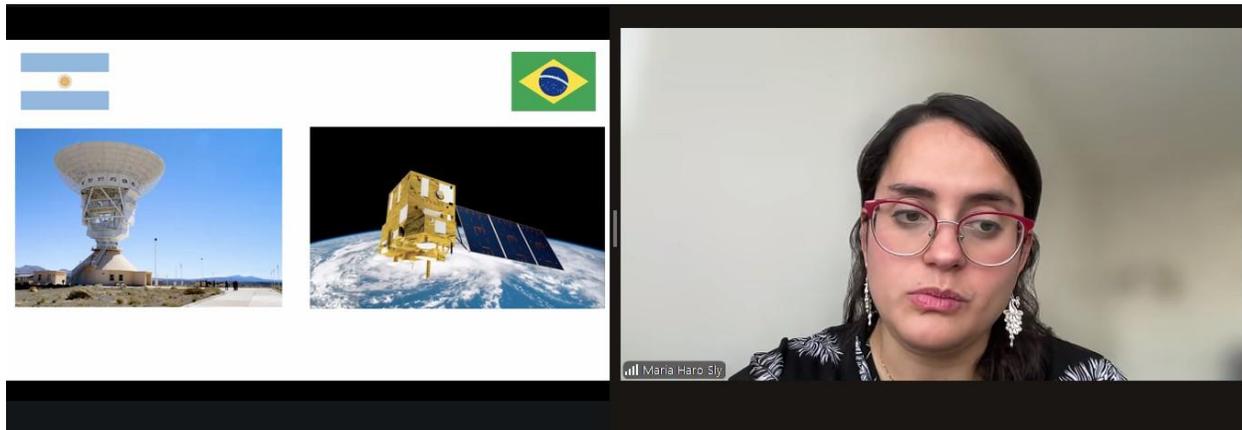


development. She also analyzed bilateral trade trends, highlighting Argentina’s exports to China, and outlined Chinese investment and financing initiatives, emphasizing how these measures are supporting Argentina’s economic growth, infrastructure development, and broader development objectives. She also discussed how these collaborations are strengthening financial stability, fostering sustainable development, and creating opportunities for knowledge exchange and technological cooperation between the nations.

The session featured an engaging question-and-answer segment, during which students actively participated and exchanged perspectives with the speaker. This learning session provided participants with a nuanced understanding of the multifaceted cooperation between China and Latin



America, underscoring the growing strategic and economic importance of these partnerships in the global arena.



The session concluded with closing remarks from Professor Dr. Tahir Mumtaz Awan, Director of the Pakistan Institute for China Studies (PICS) and Host Director of the Confucius Institute at the University of Sargodha (UoS), who expressed his gratitude to Dr. Maria for her insightful presentation and thorough analysis of China's engagement with Argentina and Brazil.

The session was moderated by Ms. Yusra Binte Nisar, Research Assistant at the Pakistan Research Centre for a Community with a Shared Future (PRCCSF), Islamabad and Ms. Alishba Aslam, Research Officer at Pakistan Institute of China Studies University of Sargodha (PICS-UOS).



**ARTICLES PUBLISHED ON RESEARCH CENTER FOR COMMUNITY WITH
SHARED FUTURE (PRCCSF), WEBSITE**

• **Article on:**

Maritime Silk Road and the Blue Economy: Opportunities and Challenges for South Asia

Published on 19 November, 2025

<https://prccsf.com/paper/pdf/Maritime-Silk-Road-and-the-Blue-Economy.pdf>

The paper explains that the 21st Century Maritime Silk Road (MSR), a major component of China's Belt and Road Initiative, together with the growing focus on the Blue Economy, presents significant opportunities for South Asian countries to enhance regional connectivity, boost maritime trade, and promote sustainable ocean-based economic growth. The Blue Economy includes a wide range of ocean-related activities such as fisheries, maritime transport, coastal infrastructure, renewable energy, and port-led development, all carried out in ways that protect marine ecosystems. Through the MSR, China is developing a network of modern ports, industrial zones, shipping routes, and logistics corridors that link South



Asia with global markets, offering countries like Pakistan, Sri Lanka, and Bangladesh a chance to modernize their maritime infrastructure, improve trade competitiveness, create jobs, attract investment, and integrate remote regions through enhanced connectivity.

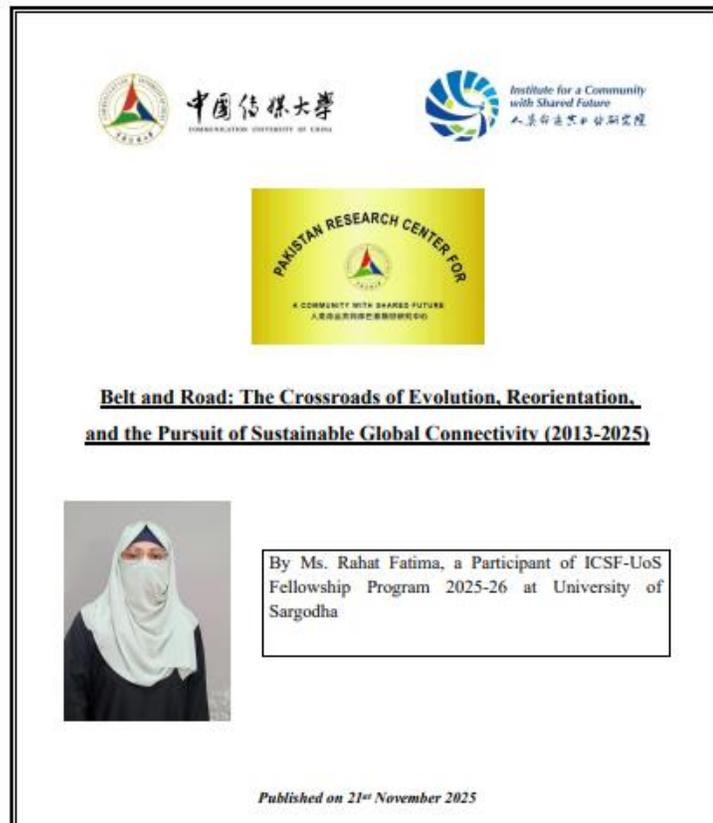
- **Article on:**

Belt and Road: The Crossroads of Evolution, Reorientation, and the Pursuit of Sustainable Global Connectivity (2013-2025)

Published on 21 November, 2025

<https://prccsf.com/paper/pdf/Belt-and-Road-Global-Connectivity.pdf>

The article highlights that Belt and Road Initiative seeks to build a vast, modern network linking Asia, Europe, Africa and beyond through roads, railways, ports, energy pipelines and digital infrastructure, reviving the idea of ancient trade routes for the 21st century. By improving transport, logistics, and communications connectivity, the initiative lowers trade costs, expands access to global markets, fosters industrial development and attracts foreign investment in participating nations. Through coordinated policies, financial cooperation and investments in infrastructure and soft-connectivity (such as regulatory harmonization, digital links and people-to-people exchange), the BRI aims to promote economic cooperation, sustainable growth, and closer regional and global integration. For many developing countries, the resulting improved infrastructure, better access to markets, increased trade and investment opportunities promise enhanced economic growth, job creation, and social development.



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China **Confucius and the Idea of the Community with Shared Future**

By Noshaba Kaumwel 25 Nov 2025



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The Chinese conception of reforming the world order underlines the need to have a community with a shared future of humanity (XI, 2017). The structure suggests a more open, fair and balanced way of running the world, which is different as compared to the existing mode of running the world that is mainly by the West, which is the UN, World Bank and International Monetary fund. The vision states the value of cooperation and not competition, which implies the multipolar world order, which does not encroach on the sovereignty and developmental modes of individual nations. The China strategy in the case means the rejection of hegemonies models and the shift to the model of shared responsibility and common good. This highly depends on the Confucian ideas of group harmony and good.

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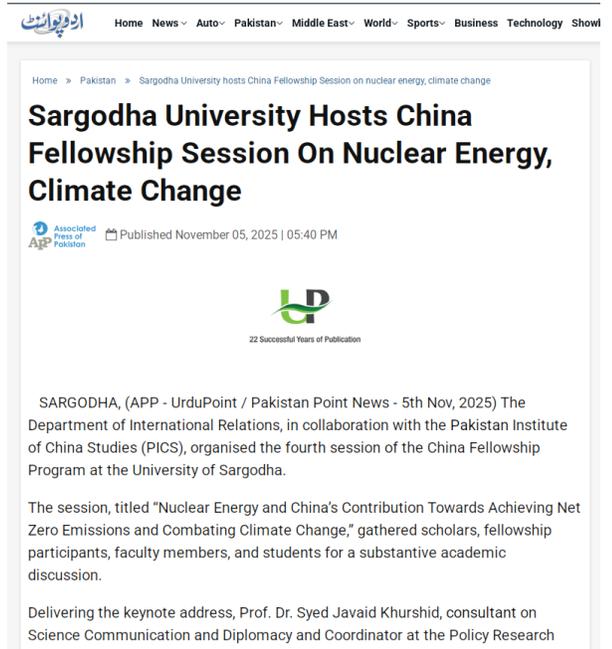
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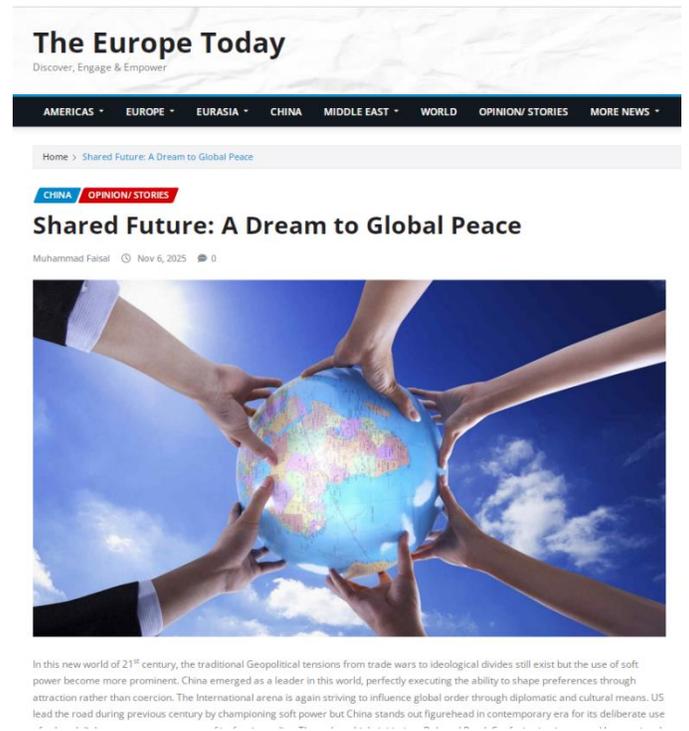
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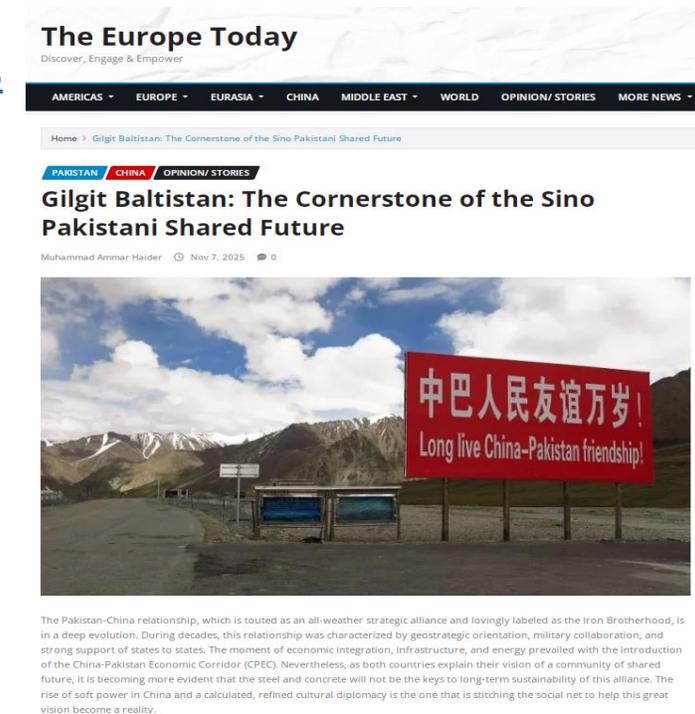
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The Pakistan-China relationship, which is touted as an all-weather strategic alliance and lovingly labeled as the Iron Brotherhood, is in a deep evolution. During decades, this relationship was characterized by geostrategic orientation, military collaboration, and strong support of states to states. The moment of economic integration, infrastructure, and energy prevailed with the introduction of the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC). Nevertheless, as both countries explain their vision of a community of shared future, it is becoming more evident that the steel and concrete will not be the keys to long-term sustainability of this alliance. The rise of soft power in China and a calculated, refined cultural diplomacy is the one that is stitching the social net to help this great vision become a reality.

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From grey skies, compulsory face masks, and delayed flights, this was how the environmental image of China was portrayed in front of the world for many years. On one hand, China works effortlessly and does a never-ending struggle to build its industries and match the UN's goal of growth (SDG-9), but on the other hand, this fast growth hurts the environment badly. It makes the situation puzzling that by pushing the country towards better living standards, people are getting sick and different health issues are arising. In the early 2000s, Beijing was known for its "grey haze" (a layer of smoke that covers its sky).

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Almost eight decades ago, the idea of global governance through the very institution of United Nations was conceived, but with a clear distinction among nations based upon their respective power credentials. Amongst the participants who were present at San Francisco Conference of 1945, there were few nations (Five) granted with Veto Power being the permanent members of Security Council. Since then, these Nations have been called as 'Haves'. The rest were given a realization of inferiority, provided with a Hobson Choice to accept the status of being 'Have-Nots' or leave the forum. The idea of sovereign equality amongst nation was compromised rather tarnished to

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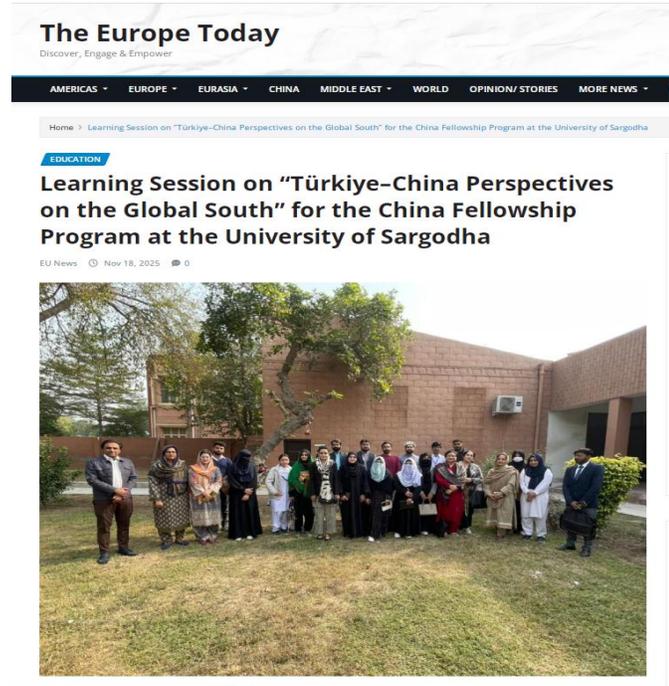
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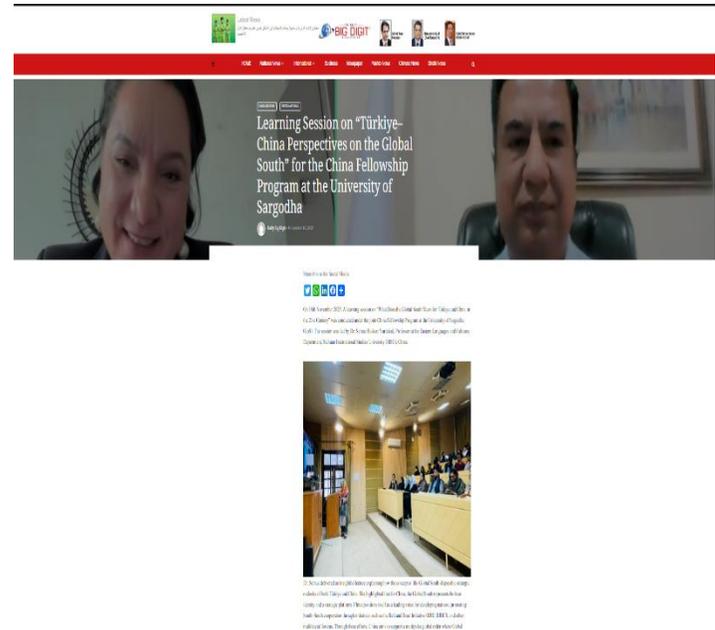
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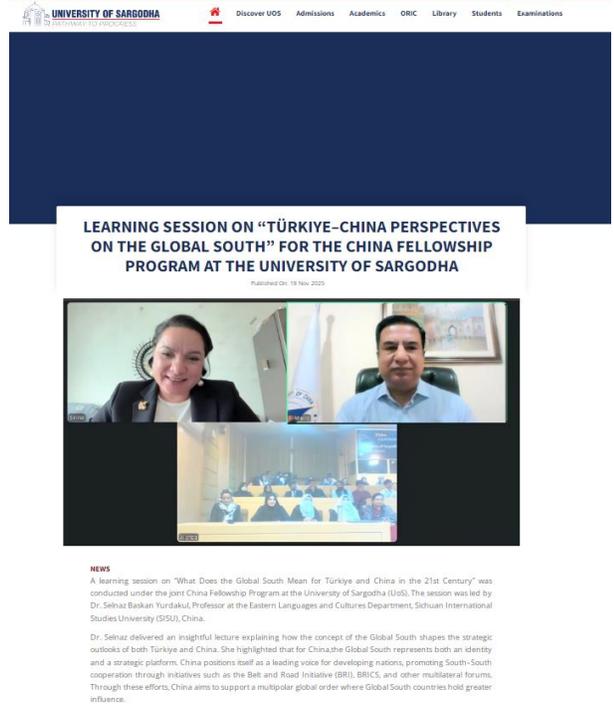
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Dr. Selma delivered an insightful lecture explaining how the concept of the Global South shapes the strategic outlooks of both Türkiye and China. She highlighted that for China, the Global South represents both an identity and a strategic platform. China positions itself as a leading voice for developing nations, promoting South-South cooperation through initiatives such as the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI), BRICS, and other multilateral forums. Through these efforts, China aims to support a multipolar global order where Global South countries hold greater influence.

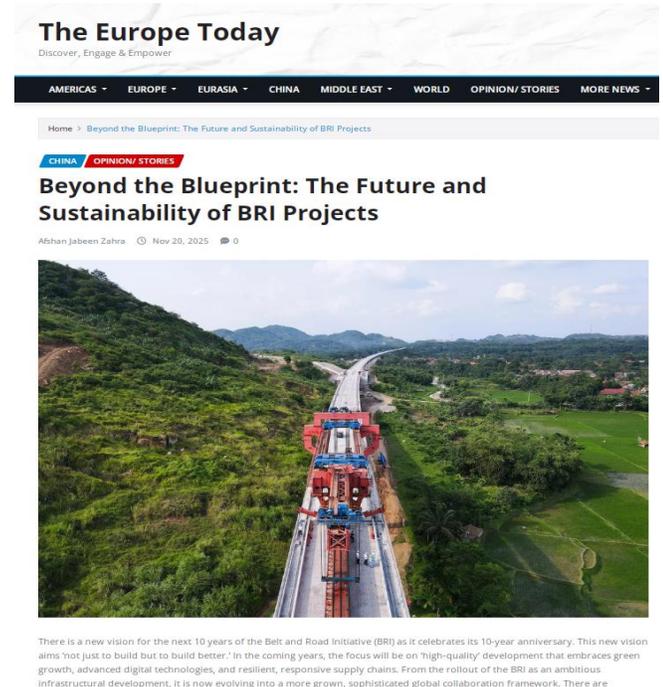
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There is a new vision for the next 10 years of the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) as it celebrates its 10-year anniversary. This new vision aims ‘not just to build but to build better.’ In the coming years, the focus will be on ‘high-quality’ development that embraces green growth, advanced digital technologies, and resilient, responsive supply chains. From the rollout of the BRI as an ambitious infrastructural development, it is now evolving into a more grown, sophisticated global collaboration framework. There are

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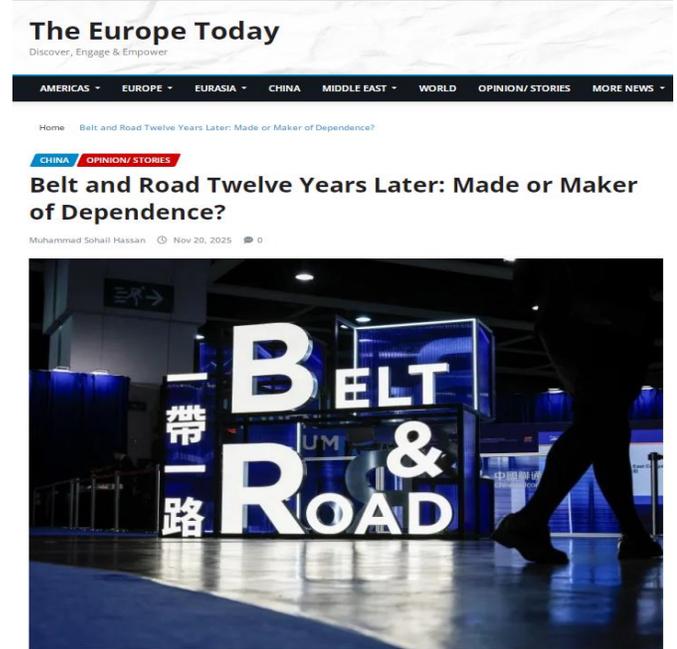
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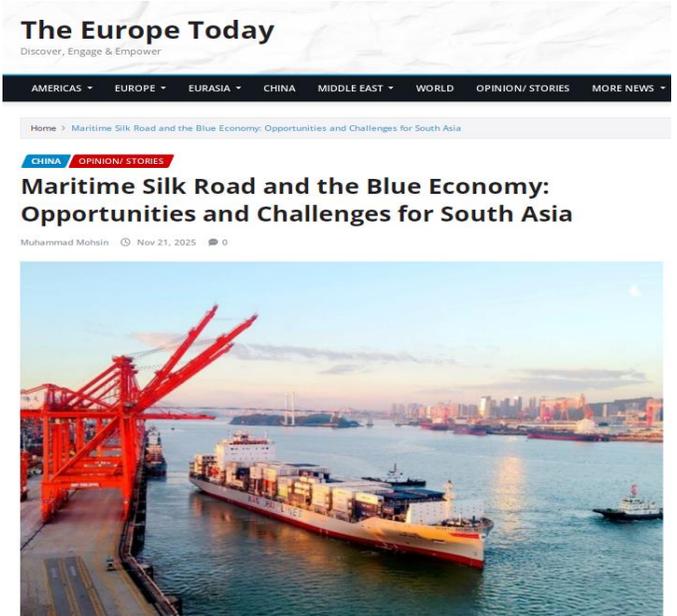
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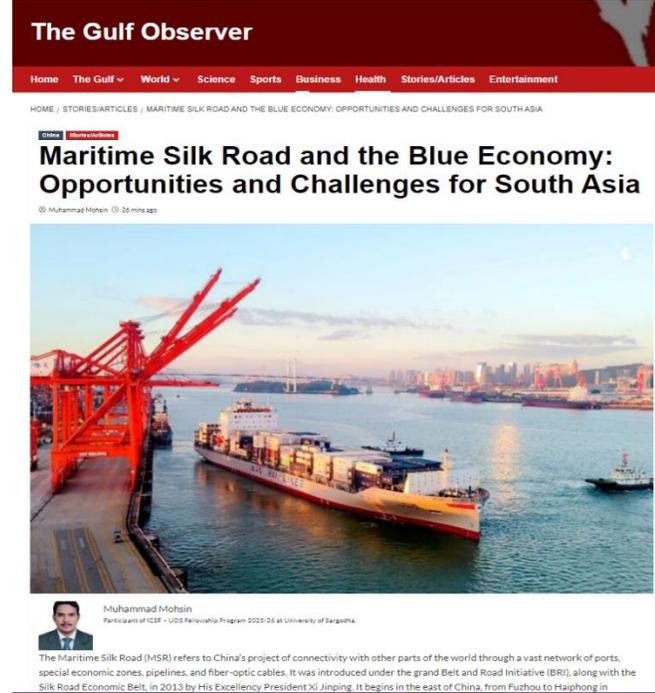
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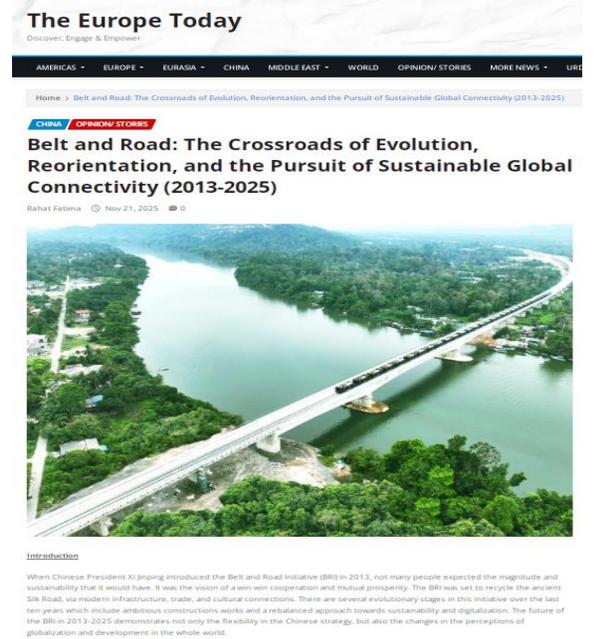
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Introduction

When Chinese President Xi Jinping introduced the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) in 2013, not many people expected the magnitude and sustainability that it would have. It was the vision of a win-win cooperation and mutual prosperity. The BRI was set to recycle the ancient Silk Road, via modern infrastructure, trade, and cultural connections. There are several evolutionary stages in this initiative over the last ten years which include ambitious construction works and a rebalance approach towards sustainability and digitalization. The future of the BRI in 2013-2025 demonstrates not only the flexibility in the Chinese strategy, but also the changes in the perceptions of globalization and development in the whole world.

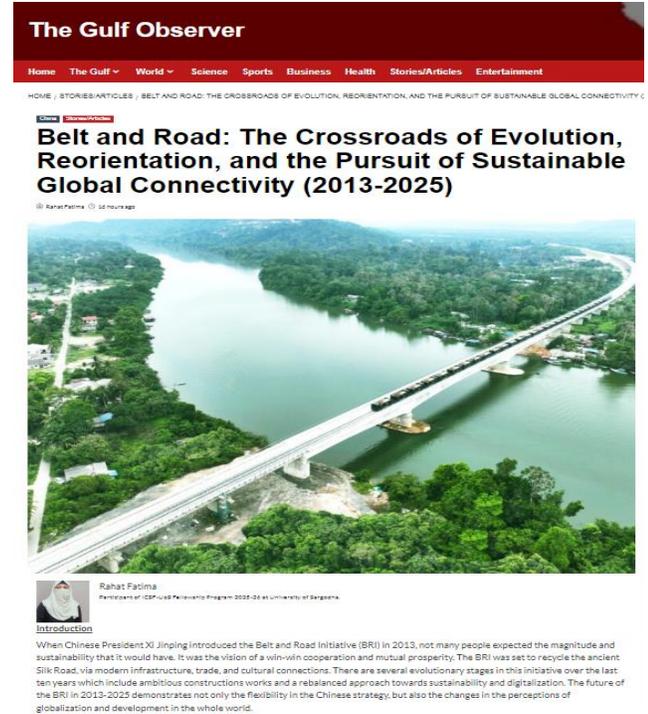
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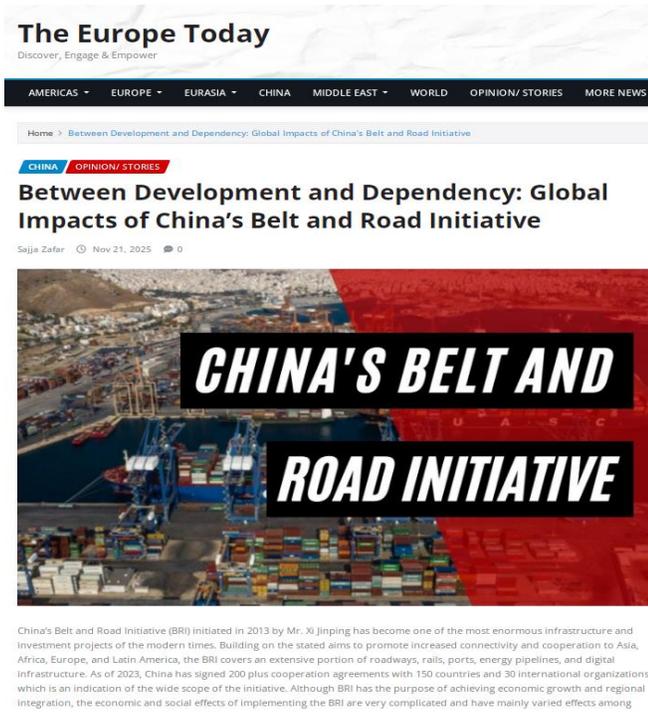
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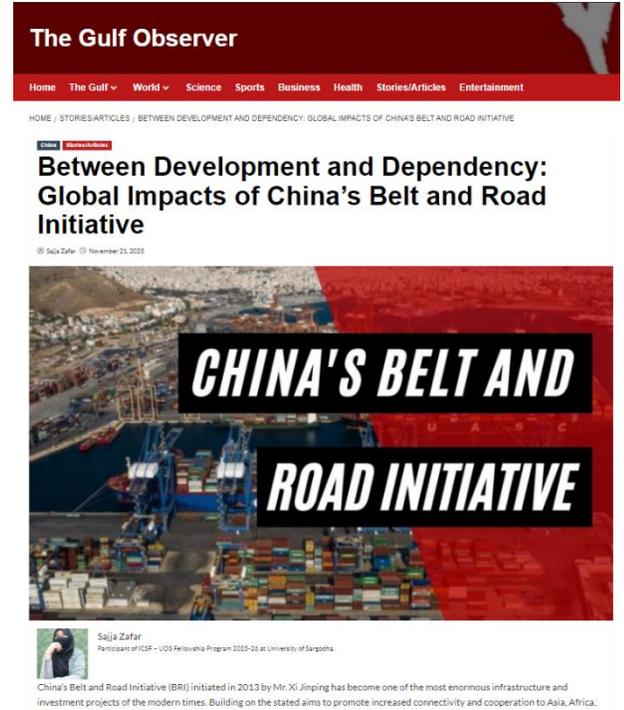
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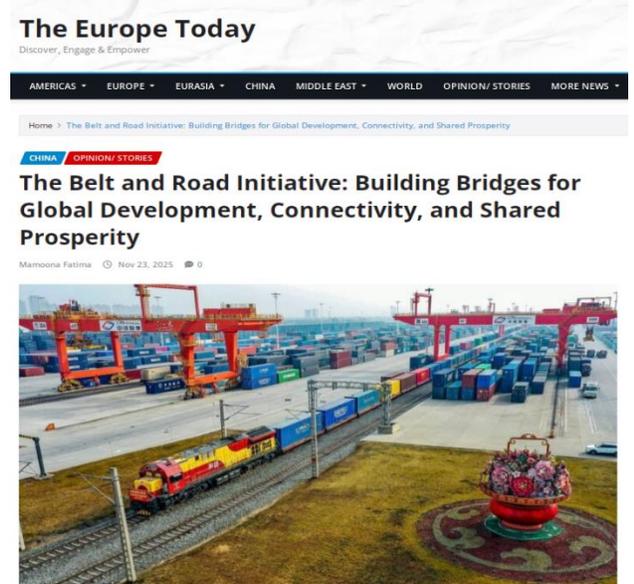
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Introduction: Reimagining Global Connectivity

As we discuss the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI) of China, the first thing that comes to our mind is the images of extensive highways, railways, and ports all over Asia, Africa, and Europe. The BRI, which started operation in 2013, is one of the most promising projects in the history of the modern world in terms of infrastructure construction and economic development (Cai, 2017). Although the geopolitical implications of the initiative are usually put under scrutiny, it is important to note that the initiative has the potential to transform the global relationship and connectivity, which is more important. In addition to trade routes and physical infrastructure,

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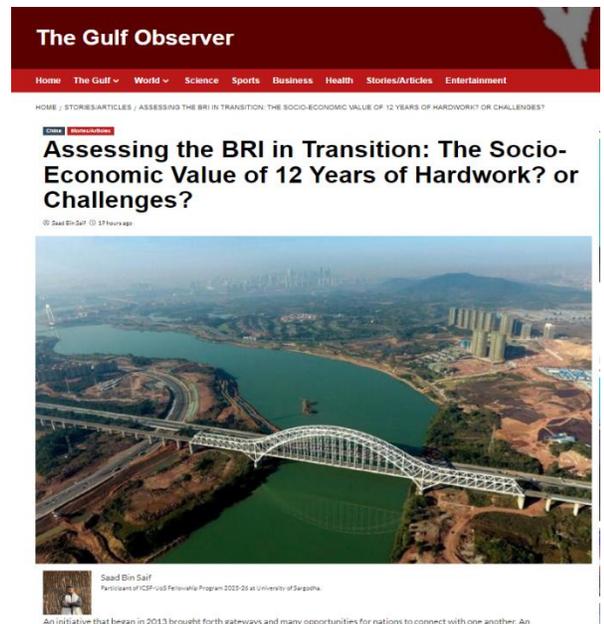
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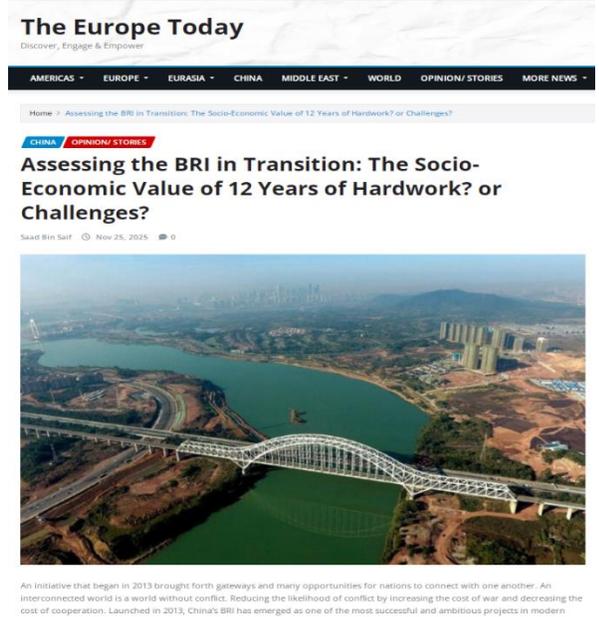
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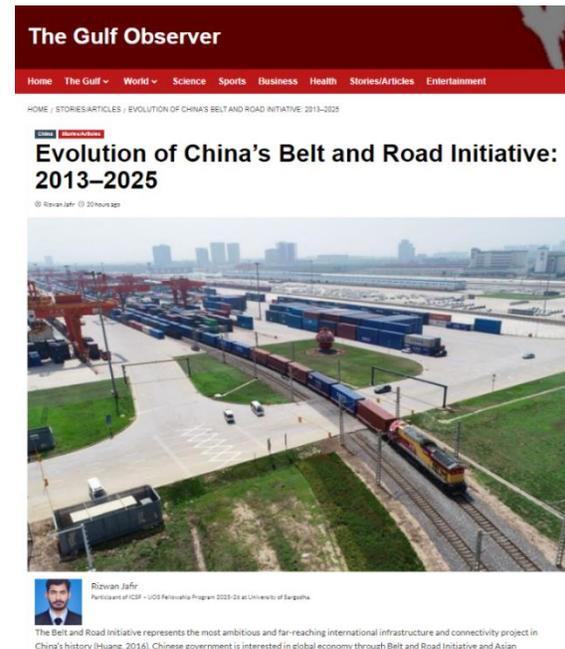
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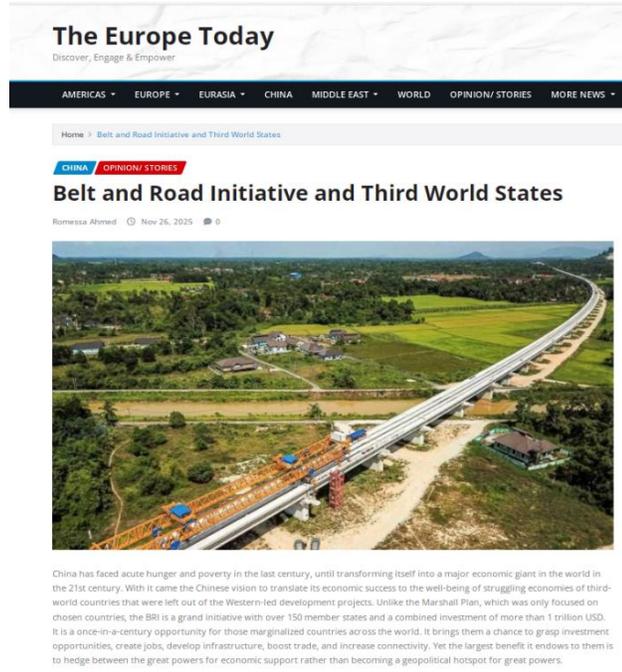
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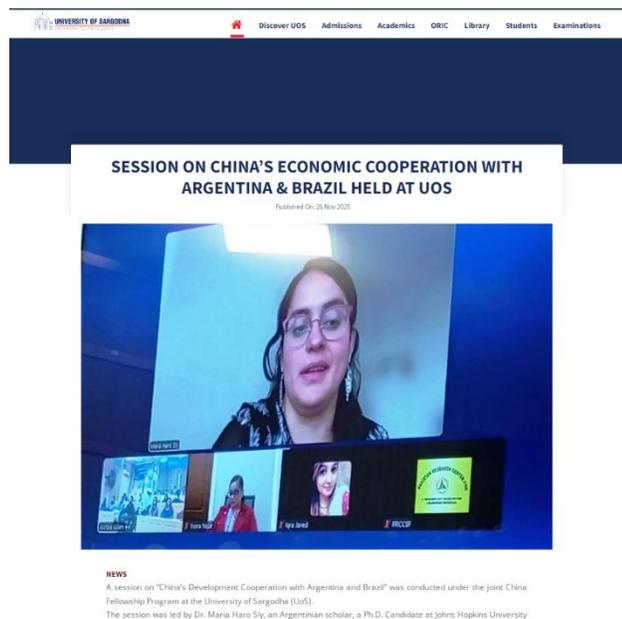
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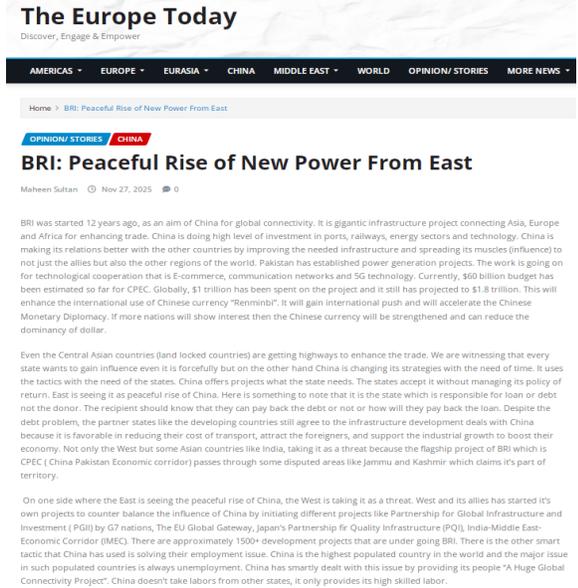
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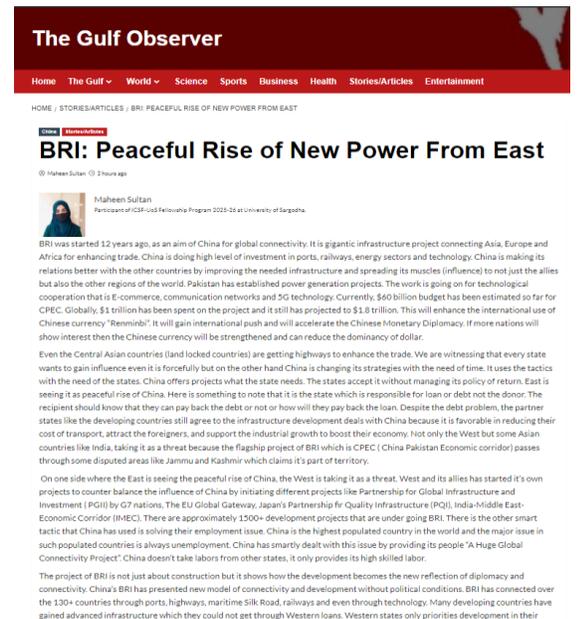
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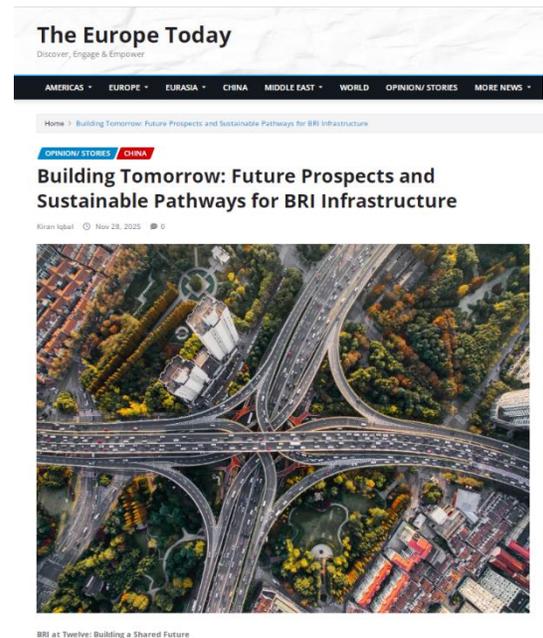
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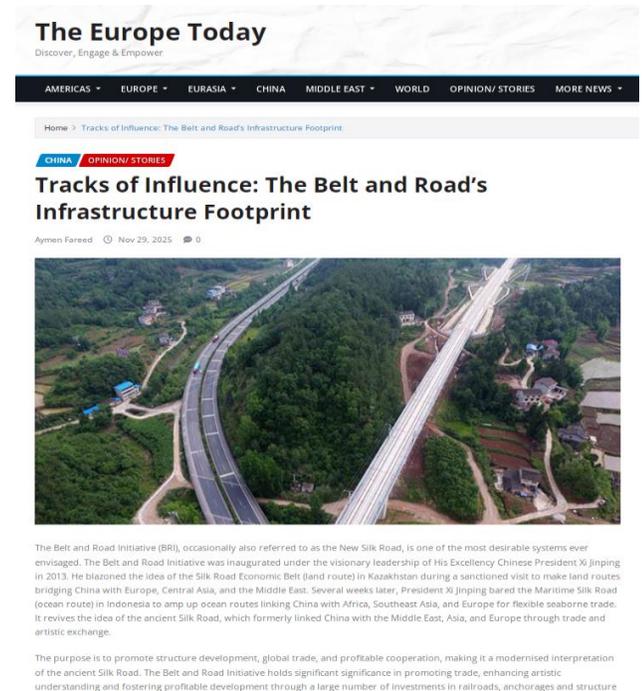
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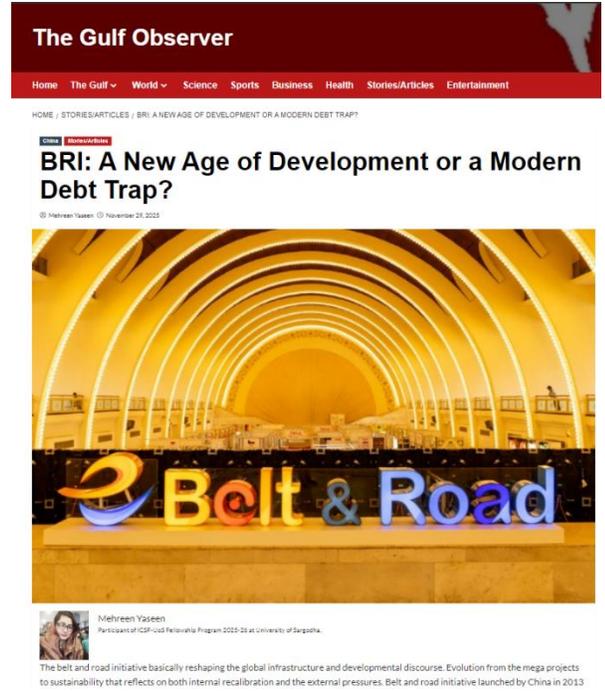
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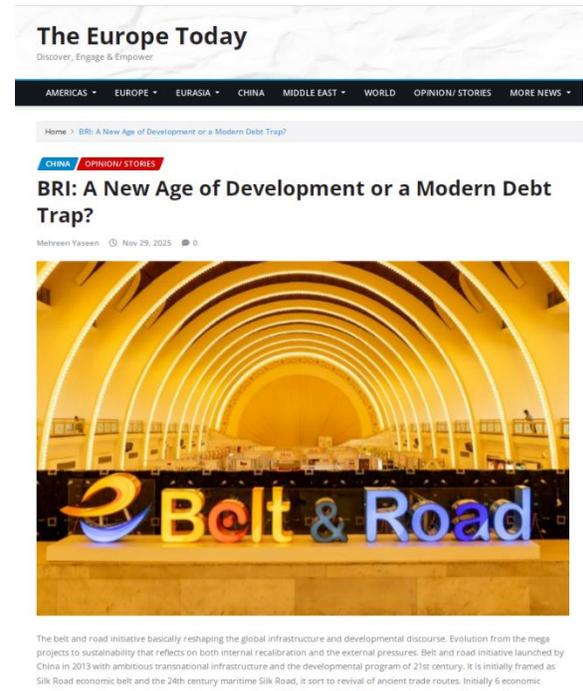
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Amna Riaz • Nov 30, 2025



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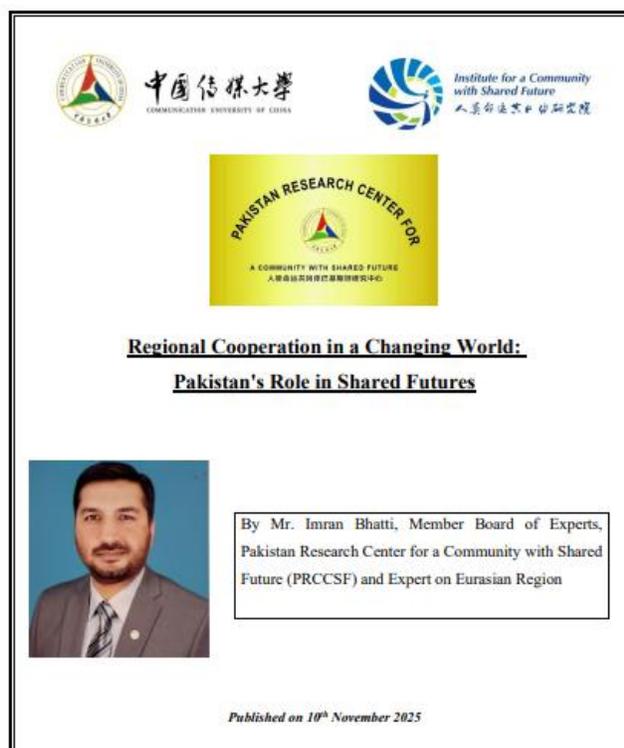
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This article highlights that Pakistan, thanks to its strategic location linking South Asia, Central Asia and the Middle East, can play a pivotal role in regional integration by acting as a “bridge” for trade, connectivity and cooperation. Through initiatives such as China–Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) and participation in regional frameworks like Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) and South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) or potential new regional groupings, Pakistan can help foster improved infrastructure, energy cooperation, digital links, and cross-border trade and cultural exchange. The article contends that such integration could significantly boost intra-regional commerce, socio-economic development and shared prosperity across South and Central Asia — while also cautioning that challenges like political instability, security issues, economic disparities, and the difficulty of aligning diverse national interests must be addressed for these aspirations to succeed.



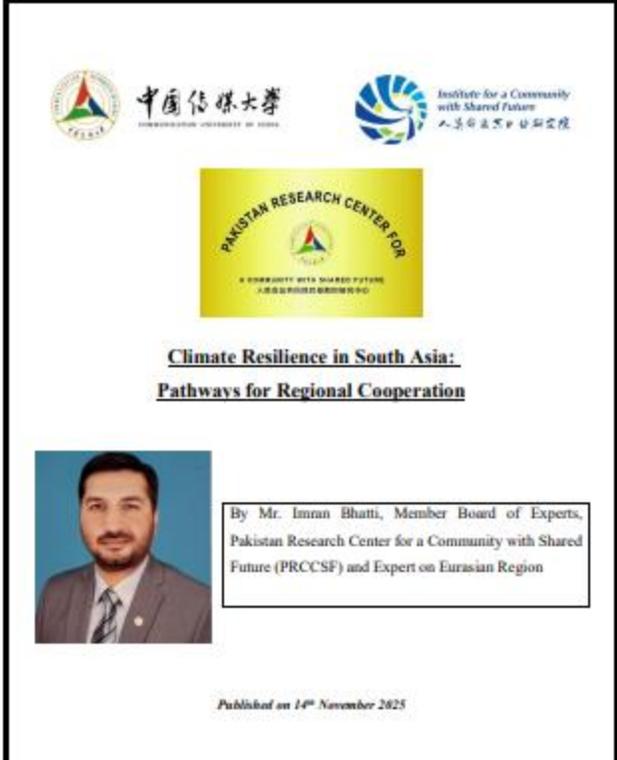
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The article explains that South Asian countries, including Pakistan, need to approach climate change as a collective regional challenge rather than an individual national issue. It emphasizes the importance of strengthening cooperation in areas such as renewable energy, climate-smart agriculture, environmental monitoring, early-warning systems and technology sharing. The paper highlights that by developing strong regional institutions and coordinated policy frameworks, South Asia can improve its resilience to climate extremes and better safeguard food, water, energy security and overall livelihoods across the region.



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The paper argues that Turkmenistan — owing to its strategic geography at the junction of Asia, the Caspian Sea region, and Europe — is re-emerging as a modern “bridge” between East and West. Once part of the ancient Silk Road, Turkmenistan now leverages vast energy reserves plus a major overhaul of its transport and logistics infrastructure — including the Turkmenbashi International Seaport on the Caspian Sea, rail networks linking Kazakhstan, Iran and Afghanistan, and transit corridors like the Lapis Lazuli Corridor — to facilitate trade, energy export and regional connectivity between Eurasian markets. With a foreign policy rooted in permanent neutrality, Turkmenistan offers its territory as a neutral space for diplomatic cooperation and transit, favoring cooperation over geopolitical rivalry.



By investing in railways, ports, pipelines (such as the Turkmenistan–China Gas Pipeline and supporting proposed regional energy corridors), and by promoting “transport diplomacy,” Turkmenistan aims to become a key transit hub and energy bridge — boosting trade, energy supply and economic partnership across Asia, the Middle East, and Europe. In doing so, it seeks to fulfill the historic role of facilitating exchange — now in a modern, connected world context — and contribute to regional stability and shared prosperity.

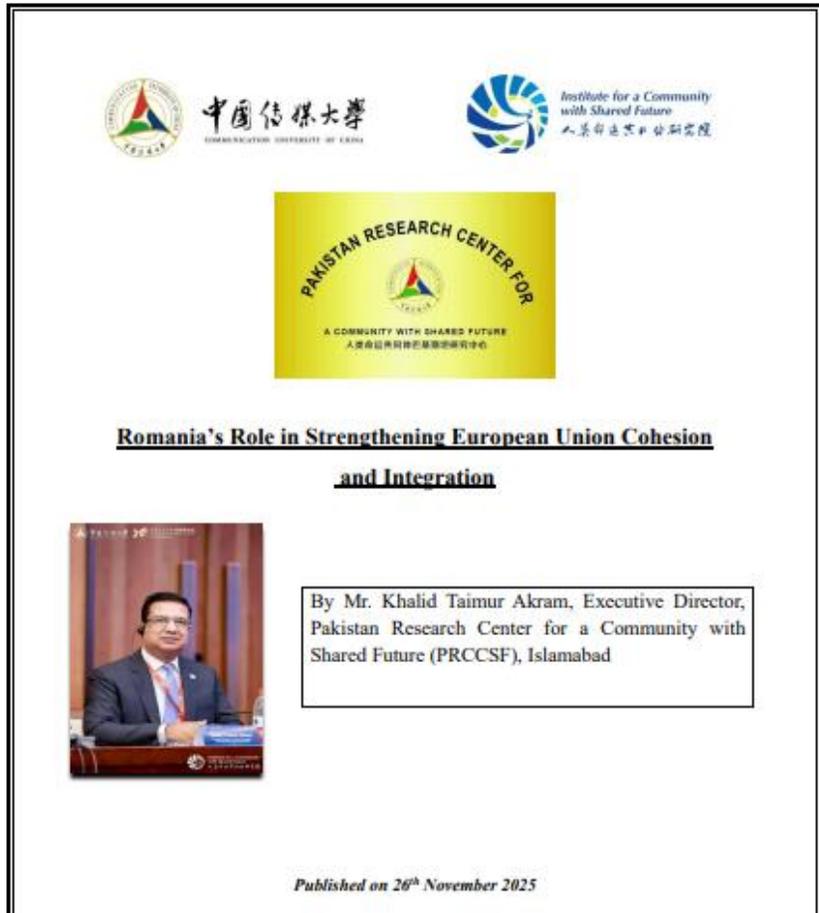
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Since joining the EU in 2007, Romania has become a committed and active member that works to strengthen EU cohesion and integration by leveraging EU funds effectively to modernize its economy, reduce regional disparities, and raise living standards across its regions — for example participating in the 2021–2027 budgetary cycle which allocates roughly €31.5 billion toward economic development, infrastructure, innovation, and social programs, thus demonstrating how EU tools can yield real improvements in a member state. Beyond economics, Romania contributes to



political and regional integration, acting as a key actor in regional cooperation initiatives (such as those within the Danube region), backing cross-border collaboration, security cooperation, infrastructure development, and efforts to fight organized crime. It also supports the EU's enlargement process, advocating for candidate states (e.g. in Eastern Europe) and positioning itself as a bridge between the core of the EU and neighbouring regions seeking membership.

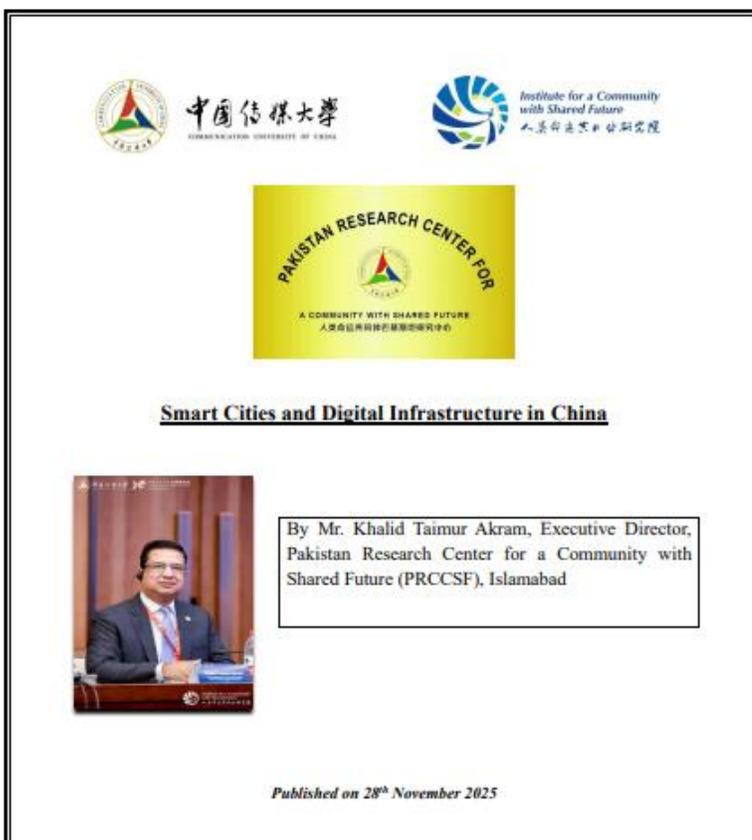
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Over the past two decades, China has sharply accelerated its urbanization and responded to the resulting governance, pollution, congestion, and social-service challenges by transforming many major cities into “smart cities.” The Chinese government launched a smart city pilot programme in 2012, and cities such as Shanghai, Shenzhen, Hangzhou, and Beijing have become leading examples — integrating information and communication technologies (ICT), big data, Internet-of-Things (IoT), artificial intelligence (AI), digital payment systems, and high-speed networks (notably 5G) to create more efficient, connected, and livable urban environments. These technologies support real-time traffic management, optimized public transport, intelligent energy use, environmental monitoring, efficient public service delivery, automated administrative services, improved public safety, and digital payments, all contributing to better quality of life and easier daily living.



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Baku, November 1, Leyla Muradzade, AZERTAC

The Zangezur Corridor is ideally suited to the goals of the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor. It will create a shorter and safer overland route for Pakistan and Central Asian countries to reach European and Turkish markets. Thanks to connections between the port of Gwadar and the Caspian Sea, Pakistan will be able to ship its goods overland through Iran or Central Asia to Azerbaijan, and from there through Turkey to Europe. This will help level the playing field, reduce costs, and strengthen Pakistan's trade and political ties with friendly countries.

Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with a Shared Future, shared this opinion with AZERTAC, commenting on the benefits that the Zangezur Corridor could bring to Pakistan and Central Asia in terms of alternative access to Western markets.

According to him, the Zangezur Corridor is one of the most interesting and important projects in the Eurasian region. The expert believes this route will be a real breakthrough not only for Azerbaijan, but also for Pakistan and Central Asia. "It will not only connect countries but also open up new opportunities for trade, development, and cooperation throughout the region. This corridor will significantly enhance Azerbaijan's importance as a key link between East and West. It will connect Azerbaijan directly with Nakhchivan and then with Turkey, thus opening a continuous land route from the Caspian to the Mediterranean," Khalid Taimur Akram asserts.

In this regard, the expert noted that this will make Azerbaijan a central part of the Middle Corridor, connecting China and Central

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In an exclusive conversation with AZERTAC, the renowned Pakistani expert in international relations, Khalid Taimur Akram, shared his reflections on the friendship among Azerbaijan, Türkiye, and Pakistan, emphasizing that it stands today as one of the strongest and most sincere partnerships in the world.

According to him, the deep connection between the three nations goes far beyond diplomatic formalities. "It is a bond rooted in faith, culture, and mutual respect," he noted. "Our countries stand together in both good and difficult times, united not by temporary interests but by honesty and trust."

He underlined that the well-known expression "one nation, two states", describing the relationship between Azerbaijan and Türkiye, truly captures their unique unity. "Their languages, traditions, and history are intertwined," he explained, "and their people see each other as one family. Pakistan also shares this brotherly feeling – we have always stood shoulder to shoulder with our Azerbaijani and Turkish brothers."

Reflecting on Azerbaijan's struggle to restore its territorial integrity, Akram recalled that both Türkiye and Pakistan firmly supported Baku's rightful cause. "They raised their voices for justice and stood with Azerbaijan with courage and sincerity," he said. "Azerbaijan has never forgotten this support and continues to express deep gratitude to its Turkish and Pakistani brothers."

Speaking about the Victory Parade held on 8 November 2025 in Baku, which marked the fifth anniversary of Azerbaijan's victory in the Patriotic War, Khalid Taimur Akram described it as a historic and deeply emotional event. He emphasized that the presence of the Presidents of Azerbaijan and Türkiye, together with the Prime Minister of Pakistan, carried powerful symbolism.

"The image of our three nations standing together on Freedom Square sent a clear message to the world," he said. "It showed that our friendship is not defined by politics but by shared values and genuine brotherhood. When the national anthems of Azerbaijan, Türkiye, and Pakistan played and their flags waved side by side, everyone present could feel immense pride and unity."

Khalid Taimur Akram noted that the parade was more than a demonstration of military strength – it was a celebration of solidarity, faith, and mutual respect. "For Azerbaijan, having Türkiye and Pakistan by its side means more than friendship – it means family," he observed. "For Türkiye and Pakistan, Azerbaijan's victory is also their victory. This is what true brotherhood among nations looks like."

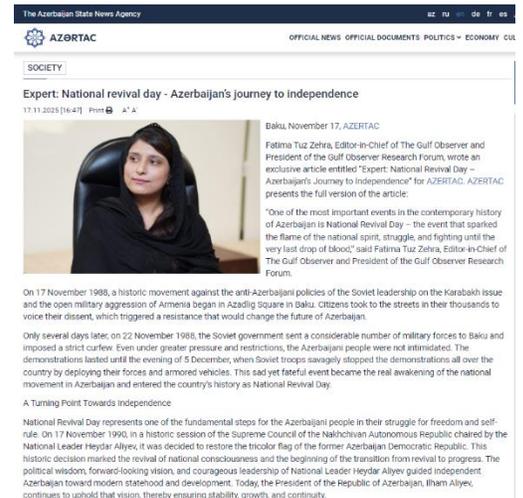
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China's Steady Role in Global Supply Chain

China has become a stabilizing force in global supply chains, keeping trade flowing during recent global crises. Through decades of investment in infrastructure, advanced manufacturing, logistics, and green technology, China has evolved from the "world's factory" into a global supply chain hub. Its vast production capacity, efficient logistics, and affordable high-quality goods support economies worldwide. The article argues that China's role reduces global costs, boosts growth, and contributes to sustainable development, concluding that global markets depend heavily on China's reliable and innovative supply chain system.

✍ Khalid Taimur Akram 📅 November 18, 2025 🏷 Economy



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The article explains that Pasha’s poem contrasts earthly power with the untouchable forces of truth, freedom, breath, and memory. While tyrants can control land, they cannot rule the air or suppress the spirit. Drawing on philosophical ideas, the poem shows that suffering and silence still point to a deeper truth, and that justice will always rise despite oppression.

Clara K. Johnson November 19, 2025 General



Muhammad Ali Pasha’s “You Ruled the Earth, But Not the Air” from “Romantic Whispers of the Archipelago” is a deep-seated reflection on the boundaries to human influence, the immortality of truth and the sacredness of liberty. At the very start of the poem, there are haunting questions, such as the one that asks who turned the lamps, which illuminated the path, off, there was a silent

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Uzbekistan’s “New Uzbekistan” reform agenda has reshaped the country’s foreign policy into a more open, cooperative, and people-focused model. Relations with Central Asian neighbors have improved significantly, global partnerships have expanded through a balanced multi-vector approach, and Uzbekistan now plays a more active role in international organizations. Economic reforms, new trade routes, and cultural diplomacy have strengthened its global presence. Overall, Uzbekistan has emerged as a more confident, stable, and respected actor committed to peace, development, and regional cooperation.

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Turkmenistan's strategic location, vast energy resources, and policy of permanent neutrality make it a key connector between Asia and Europe. Through major transport corridors, modern ports, railways, and energy pipelines like the Central Asia-China and TAPI projects, Turkmenistan strengthens regional trade, cooperation, and stability. Its neutrality and diplomacy further enhance its role as a trusted partner in Eurasian integration.

Khalid Taimur Akram November 22, 2025 Politics



The unique strategic location of Turkmenistan between major regions makes it one of the most important Central Asian state. Situated at crossroads of Asia, the Caspian Sea region, and Europe, Turkmenistan serves as a natural bridge between East and West. For hundreds of years, Turkmenistan was the part of historic ancient Silk Road, where not only traders and travelers moved but the civilizations used to exchange ideas also. Today, Turkmenistan is also playing the same role but in a new and modern manner which is the need of the time. With vast reserves of energy resources, through the implementation of large-scale infrastructural projects aimed at developing its transport network, and by building partnerships, Turkmenistan is actively striving to strengthen its position

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Since joining the EU in 2007, Romania has become an active member that strengthens EU cohesion by effectively using development funds, modernizing its economy, and reducing regional inequalities. It supports political cooperation in the Danube region, improves crisis management and energy security, and encourages EU enlargement for countries like Ukraine and Moldova. Through responsible governance and strong regional partnerships, Romania contributes to a more united, stable, and integrated European Union.

Khalid Taimur Akram November 26, 2025 Politics



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The conference aimed to deepen understanding of the 15th Five-Year Plan’s key priorities—ranging from industrial modernization, technological innovation, agricultural development, and post-pandemic growth—while showcasing opportunities for enhanced collaboration under the Belt and Road Initiative. It also celebrated 2025 as the Pakistan-China Friendship Year. The event served as a platform to highlight the shared vision of progress, cooperation, and mutual prosperity between the two countries.

The opening remarks were given by Mr. Khalid Farooq Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCSU), who warmly welcomed all guests and expressed gratitude for their participation. He specially acknowledged China Media Group (CMG) for its role in organizing the event and promoting media cooperation, cultural understanding, and the enduring friendship.

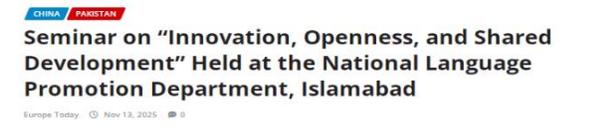
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اسلام آباد، یورپ توڈے۔ جن کی بندھوں باجہ خصوصی کے تحت قومی اور عالمی معیار کے حصول کے لیے طے کیے گئے اہداف کے تناظر میں ادارہ فروغ قومی زبان میں ایک اہم سیمینار بعنوان “جدت، شفافیت اور مشترکہ ترقی” منعقد ہوئی۔

یہ سیمینار جانا میڈیا گروپ اور پاکستان ریسیس سٹیٹس فار لے کنوینشن و ٹیچر فورور کے بانی اشراف سید سے منعقد کیا گیا، جس کا مقصد چینی ترقیاتی وین سٹریٹجی اور پاکستان سمیت عالمی برادری پر اس کے مثبت اثرات کو اجاگر کرنا ہے۔

قریب کی صدارت ادارہ فروغ قومی زبان کے ڈائریکٹر جنرل پروفیسر کنگڈ جیو سید نے کی، انہی خطاب میں انہی نے کہا کہ چین ہم جت ہندک پر ہندی پالیسی کے ذریعہ ترقی کی نئی راہیں کھول رہی ہیں، آج چین دنیا کی دوسری بڑی معیشت ہے، جس کے اثرات نہ صرف چین بلکہ پوری خطے کے ممالک کو حاصل ہو رہے ہیں۔

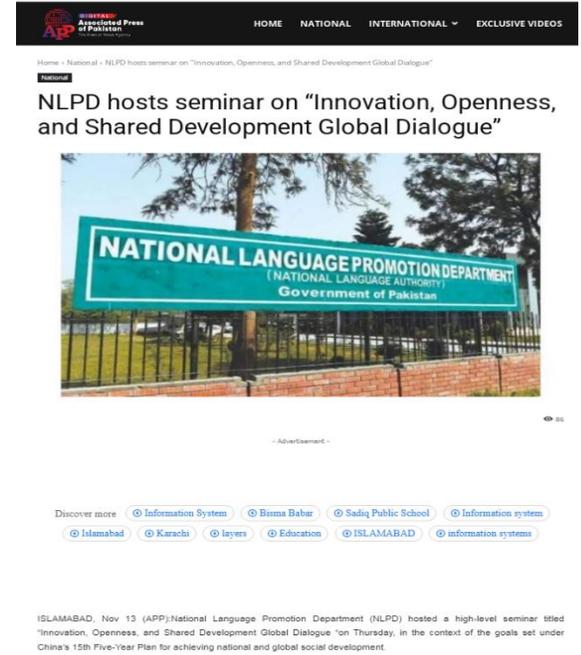
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چین کے پندرہویں پانچ سالہ منصوبہ کی تحت قومی اور عالمی سماجی ترقی کی حصول کی لہر طے کی گئی اہداف کی خاطر میں ادارہ فروغ قومی زبان میں ایک اہم سیمینار بعنوان “جدت، کھلا پن اور مشترکہ ترقی” منعقد ہوا۔ یہ سیمینار چائنا میڈیا گروپ اور پاکستان ریسرچ سینٹر فرانکفورت کمیونٹی و خاندانہ فیوچر کی باہمی اشتراک سے منعقد کیا گیا۔ جس کا مقصد چین کی ترقیاتی راہنمائی، تنظیمی جدت پسندی اور پاکستان سمیت عالمی ترقی پزیر ممالک کی ترقیاتی راہنمائی پر توجہ دینا ہے۔

تقریب کی صدارت ادارہ فروغ قومی زبان کی ڈائریکٹر جنرل پروفیسر ڈاکٹر محمد سلیم خان نے کی۔ انہیں خطاب میں انہوں نے کہا کہ چین نے جدت پسندی پر ہمیں پالسیوں کی ذریعہ ترقی کی نئی راہیں کھولیں ہیں۔ آج چین دنیا کی ترقی پزیر ممالک میں ایک نمونہ بن چکا ہے۔ جس کی نمونہ لہذا صرف چین بلکہ پورے عالمی کی نمونہ بننے کے حوالے ہو رہی ہیں۔

پاکستان ریسرچ سینٹر فرانکفورت اور کمیونٹی و خاندانہ فیوچر کی ایگزیکٹو ڈائریکٹر خانم سعید انور نے خطاب کرتے ہوئے کہا کہ چین نے کو مرکزی جدت دہنی ہوئی ہے اور عالمی (Innovation) میں پندرہویں پانچ سالہ منصوبہ میں جدید ٹیکنالوجی اور اشتراک اقدامات کی ہیں، جو عالمی ترقی کی ضمانت ہیں۔

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پر کھلنا، پھلنا، سنبھلنا اور پاکستان، ریسرچ سیکڑا، اسے گونئی اور ٹیڑا ڈھیر کے باہمی اشتراک سے منصفہ کیا گیا، جس کا مقصد ہیں کے ترقیاتی دہن، منصفی جدت پستی اور پاکستان سمیت عالمی



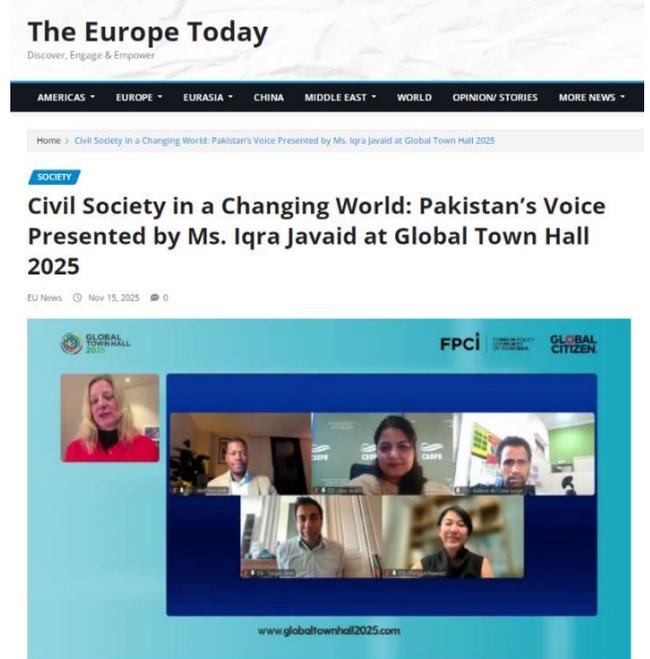
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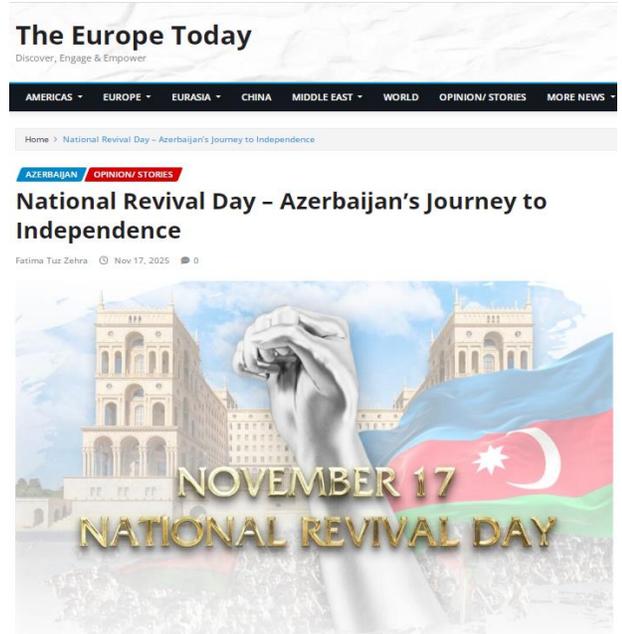
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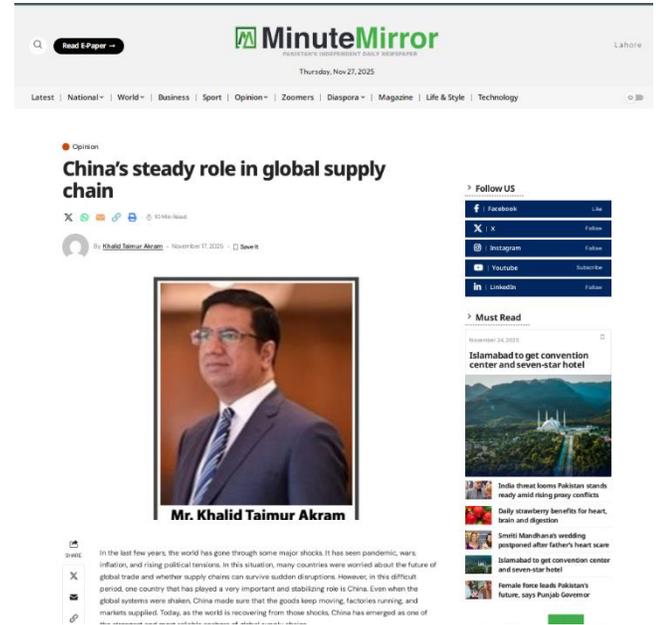
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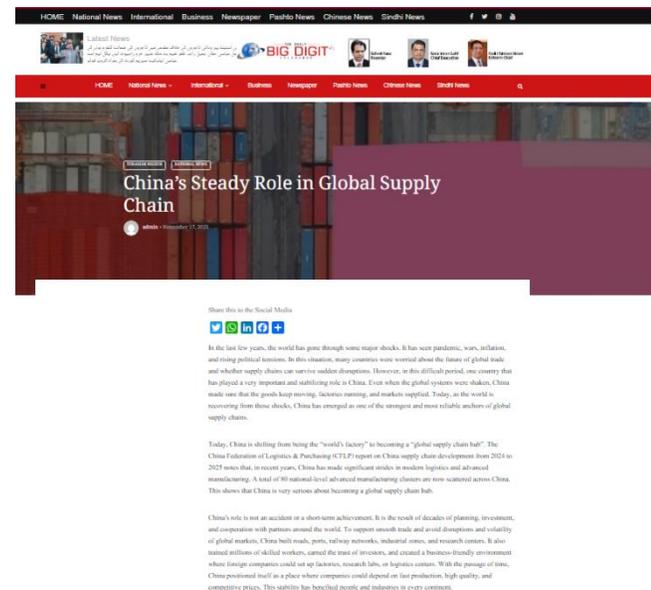
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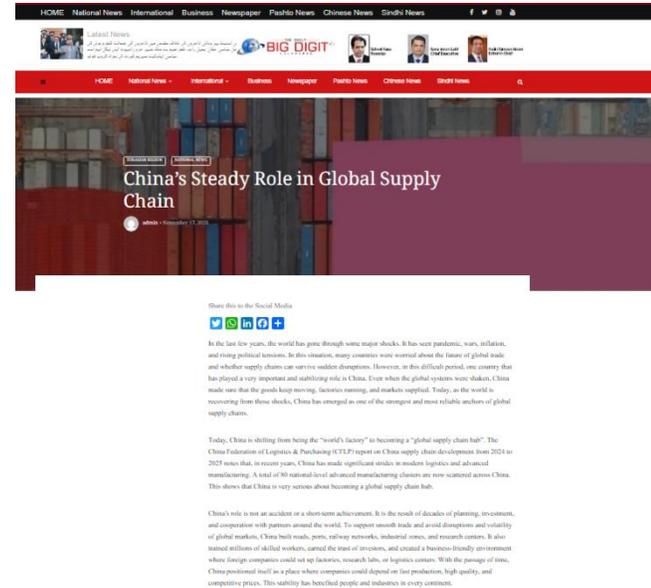
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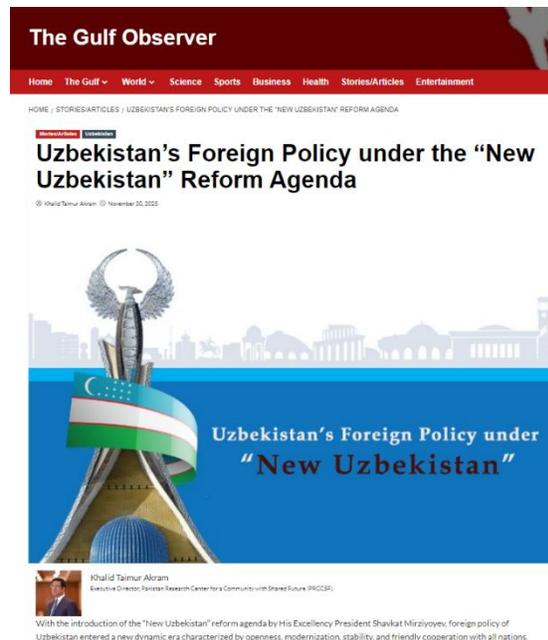
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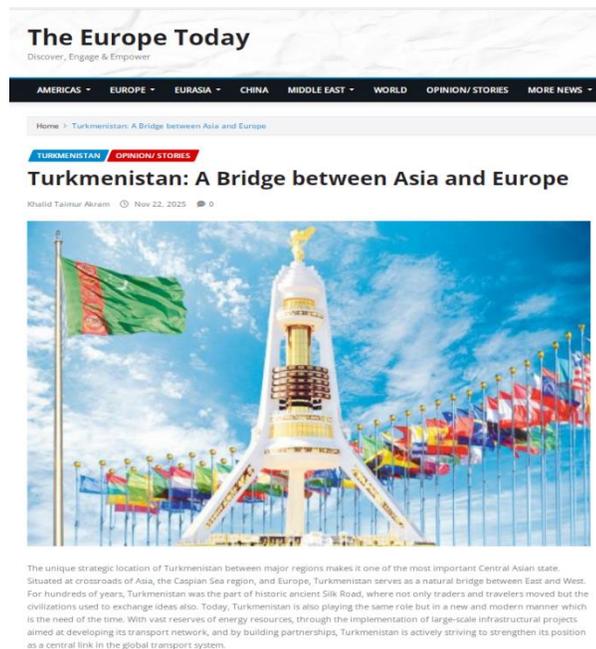
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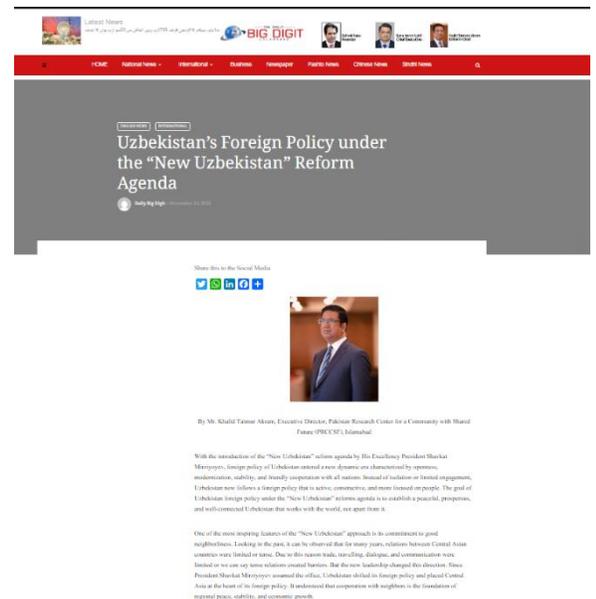
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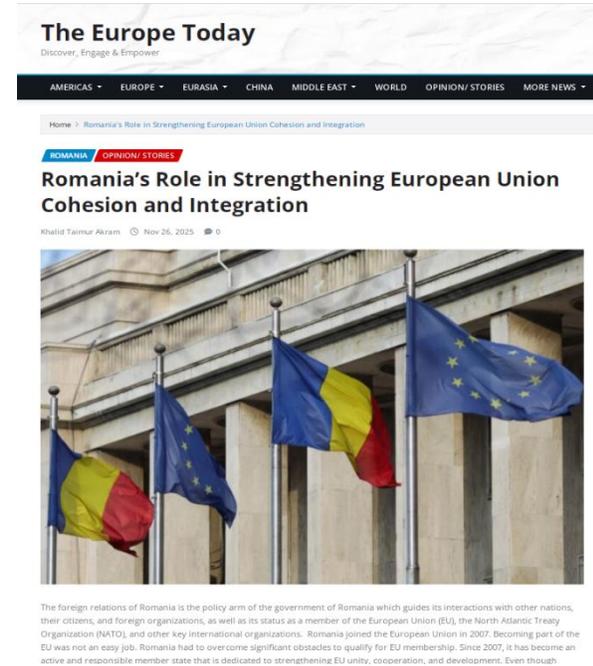
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On 13 November 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), joined FM 98 Dosti Channel's live program HUM QADAM in Islamabad. In his insightful discussion, he highlighted that China has undergone remarkable transformation over the past decade, especially in environmental protection and sustainable development. Having visited more than 50 Chinese cities, he observed how President Xi Jinping's vision of a "Beautiful China" is being realized through green policies, reduced carbon emissions, and a strong societal consciousness toward environmental preservation. From lush, garden-like university campuses to the widespread use of electric two- and three-wheelers, China's urban development reflects a deep commitment to zero-emission transportation. Major cities now run electric bus systems, and the country has established the world's largest wind corridor, along with unprecedented advancements in solar technology, including the latest E2G (Electric Vehicle to Grid) systems.

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Initiatives to make artificial intelligence beneficial to mankind: Insights by Mr. Khalid

Taimur on FM 98 Dosti Channel

19 November 2025



On 19 November 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), joined FM 98 Dosti Channel's live program HUM QADAM in Islamabad. During the discussion, he elaborated on a range of initiatives designed to ensure that artificial intelligence contributes positively to the betterment of humanity. Mr. Akram emphasized the importance of developing AI systems that are transparent, ethical, and aligned with global standards to prevent misuse and promote trust. He highlighted the need for international cooperation, capacity building, and public awareness to bridge technological divides and enable all societies—especially developing countries—to benefit from AI-driven advancements. He also underlined the crucial role of research institutions, policymakers, and industry leaders in shaping a future where AI supports sustainable growth, enhances public services, and improves quality of life for people across the world.

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China's Environmental Leadership: Insights by Mr. Khalid Taimur on FM 98 Dosti

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27 November 2025



On 27 November 2025, Mr. Khalid Taimur Akram, Executive Director of the Pakistan Research Center for a Community with Shared Future (PRCCSF), joined FM 98 Dosti Channel's live program HUM QADAM in Islamabad. In his insightful discussion, he highlighted China's pivotal role in addressing global environmental challenges. He discussed China's advancements in renewable energy, pollution control, and international environmental cooperation, emphasizing President Xi Jinping's vision for a green future and the country's significant investments in clean technologies. Mr. Khalid also noted how coal-rich regions in China—once sparsely populated due to health risks—have been transformed into greener, healthier areas through strong environmental policies. He underscored that climate change poses severe risks to future generations, calling for a global green revolution to curb emissions and prevent irreversible environmental damage.

During the discussion, he also touched upon the cultural significance of Genghis Khan's mausoleum, which attracts numerous visitors and remains an important symbol for ethnic Mongolians who gather annually to honor his legacy.

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