Instructor Readings

The following readings provide instructors with more detailed information on the pre-reform and early reform eras (1978 – 1990s).

Addresses the planned economy under socialism.


Both of these readings address China’s economy during the reform era.

Student Reading
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD). China in the World Economy: the Domestic Policy Challenges. The synthesis report is available online at: http://www.oecd.org/document/43/0,2340,en_2649_34673_2075243_1_1_1_1,00.html

Optional Film
Screen the following film in advance of the lecture or discussion session.