

**2016 IMPERIAL SPRINGS INTERNATIONAL FORUM
INCLUSIVE, SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIENT CITIES
IN THE BELT AND ROAD INITIATIVE
29-30 May 2016
PROGRAM**

Sunday, 29 th May	
10:30	THE INAUGURAL SESSION
10:30–10:35	Facilitator: Xie Yuan , Vice-President of the Chinese People' s Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries
10:35–11:05	REMARKS Zhang Baowen , Vice-Chairman of the Standing Committee of the 12th National People' s Congress, Chairman of the Central Committee of the China Democratic League, Vice-Chairman of China Council for the Promotion of Peaceful National Reunification Li Xiaolin , President , Chinese People' s Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries Chau Chak Wing , President of the Australia China Friendship and Exchange Association Chairman, Kingold Group Vaira Vike-Freiberga , Former President of Latvia and Current President of World Leadership Alliance - Club de Madrid Hu Chunhua ,Member of the Political Bureau of the CPC Central Committee, Secretary of the CPC Provincial Committee of Guangdong
11:00–11:50	SPEECH B&R, World and Agenda 2030 Speakers: John Howard , Former Prime Minister of Australia Dame Jenny Shipley , Former Prime Minister of New Zealand and former Vice President of World Leadership Alliance - Club de Madrid Olusegun Obasanjo , Former President of Nigeria and Member of World

	<p>Leadership Alliance - Club de Madrid Montek Singh Ahluwalia, Former Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission India</p>
14:30–15:45	<p>SESSION 1</p> <p>Cities and the Inclusiveness, Sustainability and Resiliency Challenge - Perilous Convergence or Opportunity for Innovation and Efficiency</p> <p>Video from Christiana Figueres, Executive Secretary of United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change</p> <p>Facilitator: Michael Berkowitz, President of 100 Resilient Cities at The Rockefeller Foundation</p> <p>Speakers: Esko Aho, Former Prime Minister of Finland and Member of the World Leadership Alliance-Club de Madrid He Yafei, Former Vice Minister of the Overseas, Chinese Affairs Office of the State Council of PRC Xu Qin, Mayor of Shenzhen Feng Jun, Vice-Chairman and Secretary of China Real Estate Association, Former Chief Economist of Ministry of Housing and Urban-Rural Development of PRC</p> <p>Andrés Pastrana Former President of Colombia and Member of the World Leadership Alliance-Club de Madrid David Morris, Trade Commissioner, Beijing Pacific Islands Trade & Invest Carl Dahlman, Head of Thematic Division, OECD Development Center</p> <p>Q&A</p>
16:00–17:15	<p>SESSION 2</p> <p>B&R, Cities and Agenda 2030</p> <p>Facilitators: Yang Jiemian, Director of the Shanghai Institute for International Studies</p> <p>Speakers: Han Seung-soo, Former Prime Minister of the Republic of Korea and Member of the World Leadership Alliance-Club de Madrid Guo Kesha, Director of Center of Economic Research, Chinese Academy of Social</p>

	<p>Sciences, China</p> <p>Benjamin Mkapa, Former President of Tanzania and Member of the World Leadership Alliance-Club de Madrid</p> <p>Jing Men, Director, EU-China Research Center</p> <p>George Papandreou, Former Prime Minister of Greece and Member of the World Leadership Alliance-Club de Madrid</p> <p>Wang Wen, Executive Dean, Chongyang Institute for Financial Studies, Renmin University of China (RDCY)</p> <p>Q&A</p>
Monday, 30th May	
09:30–11:00	<p>BREAKOUT SESSION A</p> <p>Cities in the Making: Cooperation Challenge in The Belt and Road Initiative</p> <p>Facilitator:</p> <p>Zhu Feng, Dean of the Institute of International Relations at Nanjing University, Distinguished Professor at Nanjing University</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <p>Jordi Hereu, President of IdenCity Consulting and Former Mayor of Barcelona, Spain</p> <p>Zhao Lei Professor, The Institute for International Strategic Studies of the Central Party School of the Communist Party of China</p> <p>Petre Roman, Former Prime Minister of Romania and Member of World Leadership Alliance - Club de Madrid</p> <p>Alex Zhang, Executive Director, Eco Forum Global, Deputy Secretary General, Eco Foundation Global</p>
09:30–11:00	<p>BREAKOUT SESSION B</p> <p>Infrastructure and Resource Efficiency Investment in The Belt and Road Initiative</p> <p>Facilitators:</p> <p>Isher Ahluwalia, Chairperson, the Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations (ICRIER)</p>

	<p>Speakers:</p> <p>Jorge Quiroga, Former President of Bolivia and Vice President of World Leadership Alliance - Club de Madrid</p> <p>Jenny Shipley, Former Prime Minister of New Zealand, former Vice President and current Member of the Board of of the World Leadership Alliance and Club de Madrid</p> <p>Jim Harrowell, President of the Australia China Business Council (NSW)/ Hunt & Hunt Partner</p> <p>Adrian Peters, Vice President of the Engineering Council of South Africa (ECSA)</p> <p>Chen Weixiong, Deputy Director of the Center for Municipal Engineering, Architectural Design and Research Institute of Guangdong Province</p> <p>Joshua Yau, Principal with PwC Strategy & China, Lead for Belt and Road Initiative.</p>
<p>11:15–12:15</p>	<p>FINAL SESSION</p> <p>Facilitator : Xie Yuan, Vice-President of the Chinese People’ s Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <p>He Yafei, Former Vice Minister of the Overseas Chinese Affairs Office of the State Council of PRC</p> <p>Michael Berkowitz, President of 100 Resilient Cities at The Rockefeller Foundation</p> <p>Yang Jiemian, Director of the Shanghai Institute for International Studies</p> <p>Zhu Feng, Dean of the Institute of International Relations at Nanjing University, Distinguished Professor at Nanjing University</p> <p>Isher Ahluwalia, Chairperson, the Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations (ICRIER)</p>

Jonathan **Pollack**, Senior Fellow, John L. Thornton China Center, Brookings Institution

CLOSING SESSION

Chau Chak Wing, President of the Australia China Friendship and Exchange Association. Chairman, Kingold Group

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