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China's workers and peasants : changing class identities
edited Monique Abud

China's workers and peasants : changing class identities (2012). Ed.by Beatriz Carrillo and David S. G. Goodman. Cheltenham : Edward Elgar Publishing. 176 p. (CSC China in Perspective). ISBN: 978-1781005729 This book explores three decades of economic change in China and the consequent transformation of class relations and class-consciousness in villages and in the urban workplace.
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Longing for blue skies
edited by Jacqueline Nivard

You may rediscover a beautiful and very interesting video made by OrvilleSchell about air pollution prior to the Olympic games. Video Description Air pollution in an unfortunate consequence of China's recent rapid development. The 2008 Olympics are focusing global attention on Beijing's air quality. Despite government efforts to control the problem, it remains a serious challenge for both China and the world.
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The ChinaFile site
edited by Jacqueline Nivard

ChinaFile is a new not-for-profit, English-language, online magazine published by the Center on U.S.-China Relations at the Asia Society. The editors are Orville Schell and Leah Thompson. This new

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multimedia site is about China in the U.S. and elsewhere in the English-speaking world. It covers a wide range of discipline and topics, such as Arts, Education, Health, Media, Religion, Society, etc. and proposes articles, photos, videos.

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Cancer in China

edited by Jacqueline Nivard

Cancer increasing on the mainland January, 2013-01-13 The number of middle-aged mainlanders developing cancerous tumours doubled over the two decades to 2009, a new national report says. At the same time, the overall frequency and mortality of cancers have both risen, a development mainly ascribed to the ageing population. The 2012 China Cancer Registry Annual Report, produced by the Ministry of Health's National Cancer Registry Centre, said the prevalence of all kinds of cancers on the mainland...

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Interview with Professor Ni Pengfei

written by Ai Chi-Han

Prof. Ni Pengfei, a member of UrbaChina, is Director of the Urban and Real Estate Economy Research Unit in the Institute of Finance and Trade Economics at the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences. The interview with professor Ni was conducted by Wang Ang, the host of the TV show, Caijing mingren fang[財經名人訪], in August 2012, at China Central Television . Wang Ang: What changes have occurred in urban competitiveness in China in recent years?

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Managing the development of underground shopping malls

Written by Sebastien Goulard

High real estate prices in Chinese cities have led land developers to look into the possibilities provided by underground space. Yu Ronghua, Chen Zhilong (University of Science and Technology of Nanjing) and Ye Quanyi

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