Is China Declining?

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Please join a conversation with Yasheng Huang and Professor Taisu Zhang on the institutional and bureaucratic characteristics of innovation and stagnation in China. Huang argues that China's most prosperous periods in history (including under the Chinese Communist Party) occurred when the bureaucracy was both large and encouraged a diversity of viewpoints. He argues in his new book, *The Rise and Fall of the East*, that the political and economic policies of Xi Jinping emphasize conformity and may lead to technological decline. Professor Huang will offer initial remarks followed by an open discussion.

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Open to the Yale Community, lunch will be served

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