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China News

1. 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China

On October 16⁹ the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China (CPC) opened.

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Full text of the report to the 20th CPC National Congress https://english.news.cn/20221025/8eb6f5239f984f01a2bc45b5b5db0 c51/c.html

General Secretary of the CPC Central Committee Xi Jinping chairs meeting of Political Bureau of CPC Central Committee http://english.news.cn/20221026/a0c7d93da53440d4b52a8d4a7d18e 2e1/c.html

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https://english.news.cn/20221105/0c492234217e4917aadf2e7773e93 25c/c.html

3. Full Text: Address by Chinese President Xi Jinping at the Opening Ceremony of the 14th Meeting of the Conference of the Contracting Parties to the Ramsar Convention on Wetlands

https://english.news.cn/20221106/7a2878122b274e84a9d7994400eacc23/c.html

4. President Xi Jinping meets German Chancellor Olaf Scholz

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5. China's auto exports log robust growth in first 9 months

https://english.news.cn/20221015/4ffd41372ea1443b9c563e89f56ce 56c/c.html

Chinese new-energy vehicle companies bring innovation to Germany: car expert

https://english.news.cn/europe/20221008/897a4700f81b42ad831132e9a42b0700/c.html

6. Economic Watch: China sees steady foreign trade growth in first 10 months

https://english.news.cn/20221107/67381ba71f75408790570c2d3b0f9ec4/c.html

China's FDI inflow surpasses 1 trln yuan in Jan-Sept https://english.news.cn/20221027/c7fe3c34557a4841b900b2e79b73 https://english.news.cn/20221027/c7fe3c34557a4841b900b2e79b73 https://english.news.cn/20221027/c7fe3c34557a4841b900b2e79b73 https://english.news.cn/20221027/c7fe3c34557a4841b900b2e79b73

7. Ending poverty: Witnessed by satellites in space

http://www.news.cn/english/2021-02/24/c_139764408.htm

8. China strides towards "dual carbon" goal, says COP27 delegate

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China-UK Relations

1. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang gives an exclusive interview to CGTN's Programme "A New Journey -- China's Global Relations"

http://gb.china-embassy.gov.cn/eng/dshdjjh/202211/t20221102_1079561 1.htm

2. The Chinese Embassy in the UK hosts photo exhibition *An Extraodinary Decade of China in the New Era*

http://gb.china-embassy.gov.cn/eng/dshdjjh/202211/t20221102_1079 7425.htm

An extraordinary decade of China in the new era https://nm.chnphoto.cn/NewEra-en/index.html

3. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang delivers a keynote speech at the Symposium on the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China

http://gb.china-embassy.gov.cn/eng/dshdjjh/202211/t20221103_1079 9497.htm

4. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang attends the Fifth China-UK Economic and Trade Forum and shares with the audience the significance of the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China

http://gb.china-embassy.gov.cn/eng/dshdjjh/202211/t20221103_1079 9550.htm

5. Ambassador Zheng Zeguang delivers a video speech to the 2022 British Business Awards Gala Dinner and Awards

Ceremony

http://gb.china-embassy.gov.cn/eng/dshdjjh/202211/t20221109_1087 6480.htm

Policy and Facts

1. White paper: China's BeiDou Navigation Satellite System in the New Era

http://english.scio.gov.cn/node 8033364.html

2. White paper: Jointly Build a Community with a Shared Future in Cyberspace

http://english.scio.gov.cn/node 8033411.html

Important Terms about China

1. The world is for everyone (天下为公)

It is a traditional Chinese ideal society in which the world is shared by all the people of the world. The old will have a suitable home, the strong and capable will be useful, the young will grow, and the poor, widowed, lonely and disabled will be supported. The world for everyone is the mind of China's diplomacy. China has always been committed to its foreign policy goals of upholding world peace and promoting common development, and it is dedicated to promoting a human community with a shared future. China will continue to pool strength for world peace, cement the foundation for international stability and inject strong impetus into global development.

2. The people are the state (民为邦本)

As an old Chinese saying goes: The ruler is the boat, while the people are the water. Water can carry a boat, or it can capsize the boat. The people are the foundation of a country and only when the people lead a good life can the country thrive. Governing is for the benefit of the people. We need to be people-oriented, a principle that we should follow in everything we do in advancing economic and social development.

3. Governance by means of virtue (为政以德)

This term is from The Analects of Confucius. It implies the critical importance of virtue to political affairs, and advocates taking moral edification as the principle for governance. This idea and such views as "Governance must win the people's support," "governing by both rites and the law," and "virtue as the mainstay and punishment as the supplement" together constitute the Confucian advocacy of rule by virtue. The basic Confucian principle for governance is rule by virtue, not by severe punishments and harsh laws.

4. Reform the set rules to create something new (革故鼎新)

In the long history of thousands of years, the Chinese people have always made innovations and devoted continuous efforts to improve themselves. At present, we must also have the courage to promote theoretical, practical, institutional, cultural innovation and innovation in all aspects, and continue to open up the future through innovation.

5. Meritocracy (任人唯贤)

"Appointing people on merit" is the essence of ancient Chinese political thought, and it has been preserved as a consistent political tradition to this day. We adhere to both ability and political integrity, put morality first, appoint people on their merits from all directions and observe the career-oriented, fair and dignified principle.

China in My Eyes

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https://stories.cgtneurope.tv/hubs/bridge-builders/bridge-builders-si mon-haworth/index.html

2. Bridge Builders | David Valentine

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LhLk4f-IFKc

3. Bridge Builders | James Trapp

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tHSXQezLSF0

4. Bridge Builders | David Ferguson

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5. Bridge Builders | Stuart Wiggin

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2022 World New Energy Vehicle Congress in Beijing

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