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Conversation *with* **Susan Shirk**



US-China Relations: The Domestic Political Challenge

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Susan Shirk is director of the University of California system-wide Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation and professor of political science. Shirk first traveled to China in 1971 and has been doing research there ever since.

During 1997-2000, Shirk served as Deputy Assistant Secretary of State in the Bureau of East Asia and Pacific Affairs, with responsibility for China, Taiwan, Hong Kong and Mongolia.

She founded in 1993 and continues to lead the Northeast Asia Cooperation Dialogue (NEACD), an unofficial “track-two” forum for discussions of security issues among defense and foreign ministry officials and academics from the United States, Japan, China, Russia, and the Koreans.

Shirk’s publications include many articles and books, including *How China Opened Its Door: The Political Success of the PRC’s Foreign Trade and Investment Reforms* (Brookings); *The Political Logic of Economic Reform in China* (University of California Press); and *Competitive Comrades: Career Incentives and Student Strategies in China* (University of California Press). Her latest book, *China: Fragile Superpower*, was published by Oxford University Press in Spring 2007.

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Topic:

US-China Relations:
The Domestic Political Challenge

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7:00 PM—8:30 PM
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