

FOCUS ASIA 25-26 November 2013

Open Spaces and Closed Doors - The Internet in China

25 November

- 9.15 – 9.30 Welcome Speeches
9.30 – 9.45 Introduction to the Topic

Getting connected

the political economy of Internet regulation and access

- 9.45 – 10.45 A new Internet world, a neo-authoritarian model of Internet governance
Min Jiang, UNC Charlotte
- 10.45 – 11.00 Break
- 11.00 – 12.00 Political elites and Internet access in China
Stefan Brehm, Lund University
- 12.00 – 13.00 Lunch

Getting in

participation in the digital age

- 13.00 – 14.00 E-government in China
Jesper Schlaeger, Sichuan University
- 14.00 – 15.00 Programming while sharing
Isaac Mao, software architect and cofounder CNBblogs.org
- 15.00 – 15.30 Break

Getting social

online sub-cultures and identity

- 15.30 – 16.30 Sexuality, pornography and surveillance culture on the Chinese Internet
Katrien Jacobs, Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 16.30 – 17.30 The Internet in the everyday life-world: A comparison between high-school students in China and Norway
Fengshu Liu, University of Oslo

26 November

Getting around

alternative views on Internet censorship

- 10.15 – 11.15 Censorship, resistance, and political discourse in China's cyberspace
Xiao Qiang, UC Berkeley
- 11.15 – 11.30 Break
- 11.30 – 12.30 Users not netizens: China's wangyou and the gaze of the observer
David Kurt Herold, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
- 12.30 – 13.30 Lunch

Getting heard

opinion leaders and public debates

- 13.30 – 14.30 Microblogging in China: The Rise and Fall of Public Opinion in Chinese Cyberspace
Hu Yong, Beijing University
- 14.30 – 15.30 Chinese media in the digital age: The case of investigative journalism
Marina Svensson, Lund University
- 15.30 – 16.00 Break
- 16.00 – 17.00 Panel Discussion: The Chinese Web - Compelling and Contested
Moderator: Peter Dahlgren, Lund University
- 17.00 – 17.30 Conclusions and summing up

Venue: Sångsalen, AF Building, Sandgatan 2, Lund

The lectures are open to the public and entry is free of charge.

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