

Climate Change Post-Kyoto:

Insights from BRIC countries (Brazil, Russia, India and China)

Friday, September 19, 2008

Seminar Room 217B, Gilmorehill Centre,
University Avenue, University of Glasgow

Provisional Programme

- 09.45-10.20** Registration and Coffee/Tea
- 10.20-10.30** Introduction – **Professor Jane Duckett**, Director, Scottish Centre for Chinese Social Science Research, University of Glasgow
- 10.30-11.30** **Isabel Hilton** (ChinaDialogue & The Guardian): The post-Kyoto deal: what can we expect from China?
- 11.30-12.00** Coffee/Tea
- 12.00-13.30** **Session One: Environmental Politics and the Politics of Climate Change**
Bernardo Peredo-Videa (University of Oxford, UK): The politics of climate change, environmental governance and post-Kyoto schemes in the north-western Amazon: What scope for synergies and interactions?
Nina Tynkkynen (University of Tampere, Finland): Exploring Russia's position in global environmental politics
Janet Xuanli Liao (University of Dundee, UK): China's energy and environmental policies
- 13.30-14.30** Buffet Lunch
- 14.30-15.30** **Session Two: Climate Change Politics in Action**
Hongchun Zhou (Development and Research Centre of the State Council, China): Energy-saving & emission reduction vs. energy structure optimization in China
Simon Billett (University of Oxford, UK): Dividing climate change: Global warming in the Indian mass media
- 15.30-16.00** Coffee/Tea
- 16.00-17.00** **Session Three: Post-Kyoto**
Anna Korppoo (Finnish Institute of International Affairs, Finland): Prospects for Russian climate politics and policies beyond 2012
Sen Du (University of Birmingham, UK): The uncertainties of climate change: A possible way forward
- 19.30** Conference dinner