Pudong and the World:
Technological Innovation Driving Industrial Upgrading, Smart Integration Shaping a Shared Future

Date: 9:00–11:30, November 6, 2026

Venue: Hall D2, Pavilion 4.2, National Exhibition and Convention Center (Shanghai)

Hosts: Shanghai Municipal People' s Government, Ministry of Commerce of the People' s Republic of China

Organizer: Pudong New Area People' s Government

Introduction:

The Pudong Parallel Session of the 9th Hongqiao International Economic Forum is co-hosted by the Shanghai Municipal People' s Government and the Ministry of Commerce of the People' s Republic of China, and organized by the Pudong New Area People' s Government. Themed "Pudong and the World: Technological Innovation Driving Industrial Upgrading, Smart Integration Shaping a Shared Future", the session aims to build "Pudong and the World" into a flagship forum showcasing Pudong' s commitment to high-level institutional opening-up. It brings together distinguished guests from China and abroad across government, business and academia, including representatives of international organizations, Nobel laureates and senior executives of multinational corporations, to discuss Pudong' s role in global economic governance and explore pathways for its future development. The session will also feature a Pudong New Area Promotion, highlighting the district' s achievements in innovation and its investment potential in areas such as science and technology, finance, biomedicine, the headquarters economy, and artificial intelligence.

Program:

Time	Content
09:00-09:50	**1、Pudong New Area Promotion**
10:00-10:40	**2、Keynote Speeches**
10:00-10:20	Keynote Speech 1
	Li Yang — Member of Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Chair of Academic Committee of China Capital Market Society
10:20-10:30	Keynote Speech 2
	Michael Levitt — Nobel Laureate in Chemistry
10:30-10:40	Keynote Speech 3
	Chris Riley — CEO of Cytiva
10:50-11:30	**3. Panel Discussion**
	Panelists:
	Peng Yang — Vice President of Danaher, Group Executive of Danaher
	Yao Gongda — Vice President of Applied Materials, President of Applied Materials China
	Li Qingwen — Managing Director for East China of Cushman & Wakefield
	Chen Hongyu — Founder of Shanghai Etherspace Technology Co., Ltd.
	Liu Zhiyong — Head of Greater China Government Affairs of PayPal