

Parallel Session on New Prospects for China and New Opportunities for the World

【Basic Information】

Speeches by Guests:

Li Shulei

Member of the Political Bureau, Secretary of the Secretariat and Minister of the Publicity Department of the CPC Central Committee

Djoomart Otorbaev

Former Prime Minister of Kyrgyzstan

Jose Luis Rodriguez Zapatero

Former Prime Minister of Spain

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Conference Speeches:

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Provost and Director of the Department of Culture and History, China National Academy of Governance

Mikhail Gusman

TASS First Deputy Director General

Zhu Min

Vice Chairman of China Centre for International Economic Exchanges; Former Deputy Governor of the People's Bank of China

Wang Yi

Vice President of Renmin University of China

Steven Alan Barnett

Senior Resident Representative in China, International Monetary Fund

Bert Hofman

Former World Bank Country Director for China; Director of the East Asian Institute at National University of Singapore and Professor of Practice at the Lee Kuan Yew School

Rajnish Sharma

Associate Vice President, Head of Infosys China

Adham Sayed

Member of the Central Committee, Communist Party of Lebanon; Assistant Professor and Researcher at Zhejiang Gongshang University



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Li Shulei, Member of the Political Bureau, Secretary of the Secretariat and Minister of the Publicity Department of the CPC Central Committee, attended the Parallel Session on New Prospects for China and New Opportunities for the World and delivered an address in Beijing.



Djomart Otorbaev, Former Prime Minister of Kyrgyzstan, attended the Parallel Session on New Prospects for China and New Opportunities for the World and delivered a speech via video.



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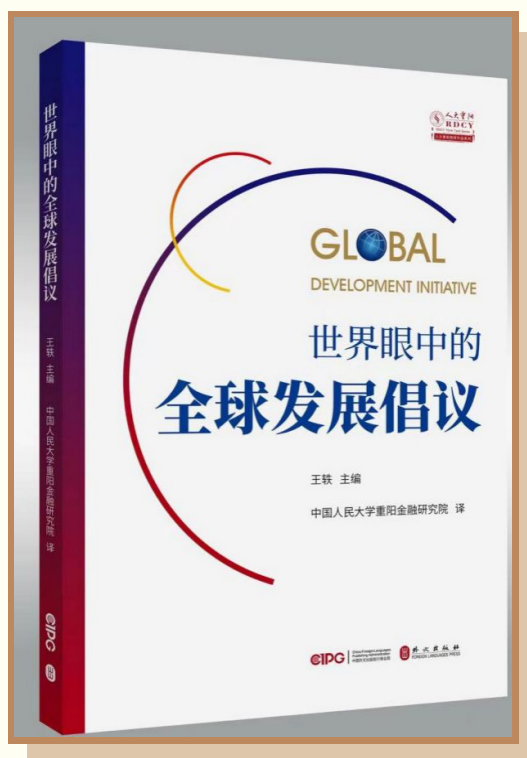
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Wang Yi, Vice President of Renmin University of China, attended the Parallel Session on New Prospects for China and New Opportunities for the World in Beijing and released the book Global Development Initiative.



Global Development Initiative

The book *Global Development Initiative* takes foreigners' view of "Global Development Initiative" as the entry point and main content, keeps up with the development theme of the times, responds to major national strategies, and gives full play to the international network resources of think tanks. Nineteen dignitaries, celebrities and experts were invited to participate in the writing, and 15 countries on five continents were covered. The book compiles articles written by dignitaries from many countries and renowned experts, including Djoomart Otorbaev, Former Prime Minister of Kyrgyzstan, Grzegorz W. Kolodko, Former Deputy Premier and Prime Minister of Finance of Poland, Sergey Sanakoev, Vice-chairman of Russia-China Friendship Association, John Ross, Former Director of economic and business policy for the mayor of London, and Jean-Guy Carrier, Former Secretary General of the International Chamber of Commerce. These articles analyzed and reflected on the concepts, principles, objectives, development prospects, practical paths and global significance of the global development initiative, and held views that were representative of both developed and developing countries. The book is divided into four parts: "The Global Development Initiative from the perspective of different countries and regions", "The Realization path of the Global Development Initiative", "China's Plan: the Belt and Road Initiative, the Global Development Initiative and the Global Security Initiative", and "The International significance of the Global Development Initiative".



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