The course seeks to present a comprehensive overview of the transition challenges China faces as it continues to move from a centrally planned economy to adopting a greater reliance on market-based mechanisms. By reviewing microeconomic literature on China’s recent economic and institutional transformation, the class hopes to provide a general analytical framework for understanding the economic implications of the process.

Prerequisites: Intermediate micro and econometrics

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