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***Chinese Encounters in Southeast Asia. How People, Money, and Ideas from China Are Changing a Region (University of Washington Press, 2016)***

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This is the first book to focus explicitly on how China's rise as a major economic and political actor has affected societies in Southeast Asia. It examines how Chinese investors, workers, tourists, bureaucrats, longtime residents, and adventurers interact throughout Southeast Asia. The contributors use case studies to show the scale of Chinese influence in the region and the ways in which various countries mitigate their unequal relationship with China by negotiating asymmetry, circumventing hegemony, and embracing, resisting, or manipulating the terms dictated by Chinese capital.

The editors as well as two contributors, Brenda S. A. YEOH (ARI, NUS) and Caroline GRILLOT (University of Manchester), will be part of a roundtable chaired by H el ene Le Bail (Sciences Po CERI).

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