In March of 2021, China’s National People’s Congress passed the nation’s 14th Five-Year Plan covering the years 2021-2025. In that plan, the leadership was very clear in laying out some very bold expectations and predictions about China’s development and its role in the Global Political Economy by 2035. Not surprisingly, since the rolling out of the 14th Five-Year Plan, 2035 has become the time frame upon which Chinese leaders and citizens are focused for China’s continued rise. By that time, many Chinese economists and many economists from around the world expect China to be firmly positioned as the largest economy in the world. This date is later than China’s leading economists and many around the world expected, but it is going to happen. And China’s dominant position in the global system will extend far beyond the size of its economy. It will see a continuation of China’s dominance as the world’s most powerful manufacturing supply chain. It will witness another decade of innovation and growth in science and technology. And it will cap a decade of continued growth in influence over the Global South as China continues, through the Belt and Road Initiative, to deepen its ties in East Asia, Southeast Asia, Africa, and the Middle East. This talk will unpack some of the main themes that frame the new era of China’s political and economic rise, and what it means for doing business there today.