The Macau Scientific and Cultural Centre (CCCM) in Lisbon has completed the "ReConnect China" project, funded by the European Commission's Horizon Europe program, and has entered the phase of publicizing its results, which fully justify its funding and prove the success of its mission. The information generated by the project is of great interest of all the people.

ReconnectChina in numbers: The project that provides a better understanding of China

"The European project ReconnectChina began in November 2022 and concludes on October 31, 2026. Funded by Horizon Europe with approximately 4 million euros and coordinated by Ghent University in Belgium, it brought together 15 partners from 12 countries and 66 researchers to generate independent knowledge on contemporary China. Over 48 months, the consortium produced 62 publications, 42 multimedia resources, and 23 events, including more than 40 policy briefs—each accompanied by a summary infographic—as well as a database of documents and news from official Chinese government bodies, four massive open online courses (MOOCs), and a podcast series, all available on the project's official website “

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O **Centro Científico e Cultural de Macau (CCCM), em Lisboa,** concluiu o projeto **"ReConnect China”**, financiado pelo programa Horizonte Europa da Comissão Europeia, entrou na fase de divulgação dos resultados ao público, que justificam plenamente o seu financiamento e comprovam o sucesso da sua missão.

A informação gerada pelo projeto é de grande interesse para toda a gente..

ReconnectChina em números:

O projeto que dá a conhecer melhor a China

“O projeto europeu ReconnectChina teve início em novembro de 2022 e encerra a 31 de outubro de 2026. Financiado pelo Horizonte Europa com cerca de 4 milhões de euros e coordenado pela Universidade de Ghent na Bélgica, reuniu 15 parceiros de 12 países e 66 investigadores para gerar conhecimento independente sobre a China

contemporânea. Ao longo de 48 meses, o consórcio produziu 62 publicações, 42 recursos multimédia e 23 eventos, incluindo mais de 40 policy briefs, cada um acompanhado de uma infografia-síntese, além de uma base de dados de documentos e notícias de organismos oficiais do governo chinês, quatro cursos online abertos (MOOC) e uma série de podcasts, todos disponíveis no website oficial do projeto

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As Europe-China Tables reuniram ainda decisores e investigadores europeus, como os 27 participantes da sessão de abril de 2024 sobre controlos à exportação e semicondutores. Na área do comércio e da economia, liderada pelo Centro Científico e Cultural de Macau (CCCM), a investigação incidiu em temas de interesse direto para as empresas, como a segurança económica e as cadeias de abastecimento, a indústria dos veículos elétricos, a internacionalização do renminbi, a inteligência artificial e o de-risking.

O projeto permitiu elucidar as instâncias europeias acerca das políticas da R.P. China em diversas matérias de interesse para vários stakeholders e públicos.

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ReConnect China

Generating independent knowledge for a resilient future with China for Europe and its citizens

In the contemporary geopolitical world, the European Union and China are in a constant dynamic relationship. With the aim to work towards a resilient future with China for the EU and its citizens, the question this project wants to answer is in which domains EU collaboration with China is desirable, possible, or impossible. With this aim, the project has discerned four central domains of research: science and technology, economy and trade, domestic governance, and foreign policy. The independent knowledge generated in this project will be published in the form of policy briefs, research papers, and academic articles. The project will bring

together stakeholders and experts in a Europe-China Knowledge Forum and, through podcasts and MOOCs, aims at raising awareness on China among the general public and European youth in particular.

ReConnect China' project has discerned four domains of research ('Work packages'):

- **WP1: Science & Technology**
- **WP2: Trade & Economy**
- **WP3: China's domestic governance**
- **WP4: China's foreign policy**

The knowledge that is generated in these four work packages is catered to policymakers, the business community, and researchers in WP5: Network and Synergies, and is disseminated to the larger public, with a focus on youth in WP6: Measures to maximize impact.

News

- **Reconnect China podcast: what does "Global China" really mean – and why should Europe care? (31/10/2026)**
- **Reconnect China podcast: Beyond the Conference Room – Lessons from the Europe-China Knowledge Forum (30/10/2026)**
- **ReConnect China Policy Brief 50: Mediatizing China (20/10/2026)**
- **ReConnect China Policy Brief 49: China's Great Power Diplomacy (19/10/2026)**
- **ReConnect China Policy Brief 48: How China talks about Europe (19/10/2026)**
- **ReConnect China Policy Brief 47: Do Chinese Narratives Work (16/10/2026)**

All news

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