



What Is the Chinese Cultural Revolution?

From Secret Archives of the Revolution in Guangxi Province

A Lecture with Yongyi Song (CSU Los Angeles)

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This lecture will explore the historical truth of the Chinese Cultural Revolution based on Song's research in thousands of secret archives of the Chinese government. Song will especially analyze the impact of the "revolution" on current Chinese politics.

Yongyi Song is a professorial librarian at the California State University, Los Angeles, and he previously worked at Dickinson College. Song is a renowned scholar of the Chinese Cultural Revolution. His international reputation is based on his groundbreaking work to compile exhaustive online databases of Chinese documents from the Cultural Revolution. He also went on to create databases of the Anti-Rightist Movement and the Great Leap Forward Famine of the late 1950s.

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