



Co-organized by Comparative Education Research Centre (CERC) &
Community for Higher Education Research (CHER)
Faculty of Education, The University of Hong Kong

The global visions and strategies of Asia-Pacific universities

Simon Marginson
University of Melbourne

Chair: Yang Rui

Discussant: Anatoly Oleksiyenko



Simon Marginson is Professor of Higher Education at the Centre for the Study of Higher Education at the University of Melbourne, Australia. He is one of the editors of the world journal *Higher Education* and the lead editor of the book *Higher Education in the Asia-Pacific: Strategic responses to globalization* (eds. S. Marginson, S. Kaur & E. Sawir) which was released by Springer early this month.

The early 21st century is seeing 'the rise of Asia' in higher education and research. But not all of Asia is rising and the dynamic developments are confined to most of the Confucian heritage higher education systems, located in East Asia and Singapore. The paper reports on a qualitative interview-based research study of the global visions and strategies of 20 contrasting Asia-Pacific universities, conducted on the basis of one leading research university in each system. Professor Marginson is currently carrying out the 18th of these studies, at the University of Hong Kong.

12:45 - 2:00pm

15 September 2011 (Thur)
205 Runme Shaw Building
The University of Hong Kong

All welcome!

Enquiries: Tel: 2857 8541 E-mail: cerc@hku.hk