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Global Economic Imbalance and the Role of China

Global imbalance was considered as one major culprit leading to the global financial crisis in 2008. It was often comprehended as global trade imbalance and a problem merely between China and the US. This view, however, is incomplete and somehow biased. On the basis of reviewing the preceding explanations, Dr. Chen will analyze what has caused global imbalances, and what role China has played in that process. At last, he will elaborate on the latest development of global imbalance and the ramifications for China.

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