

## **U.S-China relations after the Elections:**

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### **I, Evolution of U.S. Grand Strategy: From Interdependence to Containment**

---2011: "Pivot to Asia"

---2017 China: From "Strategic Partner" to "Strategic competitor"

---2020 Marxist-Leninist Monster"

---State Department Policy and Planning: "Elements of the China Challenge"

### **II, Trump Administration Policies**

--Militarization and alliance formation in the "Indo-Pacific"

--the failure of tariffs as "America First" policy

--Technology wars: "Stalingrad" and Lessons from 1941?

### **III. Contradictions and Limits of Bifurcation**

--Goldman Sachs and American Chamber of Commerce: empirical analyses of De-coupling

-- Liberalization of China's capital markets

### **IV. Change and Continuity under Biden**

--China policy in the shadow of Covid-19

--Social divisions and elite incoherence: Silicon Valley, Wall Street, Pentagon