

The Geostrategic dimensions of China Pakistan Economic Corridor

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Abstract

China and Pakistan have been great and all weather friends but mostly the relation between both the nations have been active on strategic patterns. Relations of both the nations regarding economic dynamics have been shallow but now as one can see the smooth emergence of China as a super power she is doing all that can help her to assume the position of a super power and in this perspective china is heavily investing in different parts of the world with the futuristic vision of “One Belt One Road” or to turn the old and traditional “silk Road” in to a new “silk Road” aiming the vision to connect it’s all regions with the open world as well as to develop her backward regions as well such as the autonomous region of Xingjian. China Pakistan Economic corridor (CPEC) also comes among such ventures initiated by Chinese

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government. CPEC is such a project which has many strategic, political and economic dimensions that is why it is called the “Game Changer” in the region. It will not only connect Pakistan with China but can integrate the entire region of South Asia and Middle East in the broader perspective. Analytical and quantitative methodology has been used for writing this paper.

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