## Dr. Paul G. Clifford

## Proposed topic for conference

"China's economic model: the interaction between reform and legacy."

## **Brief biography**

Dr. Paul G. Clifford is Non-resident Senior Fellow at the Harvard Kennedy School. He recently published a book on China's forty years of reforms, *The China Paradox* – *At the Front Line of Economic Transformation*. He is also President of the management consultants Paul G. Clifford & Associates, LLC.

He has lived and worked in China as a corporate banker, strategy consultant and with a global US high technology firm. He has advised both Chinese state-owned and private enterprises as well as multinational firms in China across a wide range of sectors.

He studied at the School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, where he received a Ph.D. in modern Chinese history, and at Peking University. He is fluent in Chinese.