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Is free enterprise now firmly established in China? Is the profit motive dominating the Chinese economy? Are the so-called "revisionists" betraying China's "glorious revolution"? These and many other questions will be considered in a lecture entitled "Capitalism in China" to be given by Charles Mossop of Cariboo College in the Cariboo College Boardroom on Friday, September 26 at 7:30 pm. This lecture will focus on the capitalist spirit in China from the early centuries of the Silk Road through to the 1949 revolution, the so-called "Decade of Disaster" which is the Great Proletarian Cultural Revolution, and up to the present attempts by the Chinese leadership to incorporate certain limited free enterprise elements into the Chinese economy.

Mossop, who holds a Master's degree from UBC, has been on the staff of Cariboo College since 1970, and has taught courses in Anthropology, Sociology and Asian Studies. In 1983 he left his position as full-time instructor to develop Cariboo's International Education Program and last year was appointed Chairman of the College's Department of Instructional Design and Development.

The lecture on September 26th, which is the first in the College's Public Lecture Series, is free and everyone is welcome. After the lecture coffee will be served and a discussion period will follow.

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