

Can the Sage Save China?

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**Directions:** Answer the following questions to the best of your ability. Be certain that your responses are in complete sentences and follow the general requirements of the course: no pencil, neatly written in blue or black ink, or type written using a font size of 10 or 12 point.

1. What specific changes have taken place in China that would make a renaissance of Confucian ideology needed?
2. Explain how the concept of the mandate of Heaven relates to modern China.
3. Explain how the concept of datong relates to modern China.
4. To what degree are Confucian values antithetical to those values unleashed by China's market economy? As part of your response, define the values of each part of the question.