

## **Dominic Ziegler**

*Asia Editor, The Economist*

**Writer and Commentator on Asia**



### **Professional experience**

- Dominic is a leading Asia commentator, covering the economic and political issues facing Asia.
- With over 22 years' experience with *The Economist*, he has particularly strong perspectives to share on India and China and on North East Asia.
- He was until recently the columnist responsible for *The Economist's* Banyan column on Asian affairs.

### **Published papers and media - an authority on China, Japan and North-East Asia**

- He authored recent Economist surveys on the Koreas and on China and its neighbours, "Reaching for a renaissance" -- a study of China's rise and impact on the rest of the world, starting with Asia.
- Dominic also recently wrote and presented an award-winning radio series on Mongolia's nomadic traditions for BBC Radio Four. He is writing a travel and history book on the edges where the Chinese, Russian and Japanese empires meet, and is regularly interviewed on radio and television

### **Sample assignments**

- He is invited to present at various conferences around the world or to moderate panel sessions.
- He also gives fascinating, informal dinner talks on Asia and the changes he has seen from his many wanderings throughout the Asia region.

### **Dominic Ziegler - Personal information**

- Currently Asia Editor of *The Economist* based in London.
- Dominic was previously *Banyan* columnist for *The Economist* based in Tokyo until June 2010.
- He has been the paper's Tokyo Bureau Chief (2005-9) and was China Correspondent from (1994-2000) based first in Hong Kong and then Beijing.
- He returned to London as Finance and Economics Editor in 2001.
- From 1991-1994 he was Washington Correspondent, covering Bill Clinton's first years as president.
- Dominic has also edited *The Economist's* Books and Arts section, and was deputy editor of *Intelligent Life*, the group's new lifestyle magazine.
- Dominic joined *The Economist* in 1986 as a financial reporter, becoming Financial Editor in 1990.