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Chiang Ching-kuo and the development of Taiwan politics (1949-1988)

蔣經國與台灣政治發展(1949-1988)

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<u>Abstract</u>

Chiang Ching-kuo is the first son of Chiang Kai-shek, he went to Soviet Union to study for 13 years. Chiang has been put under the tutelage in Siberia, which cultivated his toughness and his strong interest in Socialism. He joined in the Anti-Japanese War and the KMC-CPC War after he comes back to China in 1937. When he comes to Taiwan with his father in 1949, he begins taking an important role in political circle of Taiwan via Chiang Kai-shek's deliberate cultivation. Chiang Ching-kuo successively held key posts of the party, government, army and security department. He made Taiwan economic wonder when he served as dean of executive department and president. He stopped the state under martial law and abolished the party-ban and newspaper-ban, which based the democratization of Taiwan. Chiang Ching-kuo is a conscientious political strongman and shared his achievements with the whole people. Therefore, he owned the highest evaluation among Taiwan presidents until now.

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