

Chinese Political Empowerment in Queens of New York City

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Abstract

In this article the author tries to trace the political empowerment of Chinese in Queens local political arena. The author divides it into two levels: the associations and the individuals. The author describes the emergence and activities of these associations and individual leaders. Follow it, the author discusses the roles of gender, leadership, redistricting project, ideologies and voters' education played in this empowerment process.