Note on Names

Most Chinese names are rendered using the Pinyin system of Romanization. Family names are listed first, followed by the given name or names written as a single word (Zhou Enlai). This convention is not used for names that are more often rendered with other forms of transliteration (Chiang Kai-shek instead of Jiang Jieshi), or when authors in this volume use the Western order of last name last (Liru Cui). Japanese names list given name first and family name last (Shinzo Abe). Korean names are generally given in the order of family name first (Park Geun-hye). Exceptions are made for the names of authors who prefer the reverse order (Myung-Hwan Yu). The names of South Koreans use the convention of separating first and middle given names with a hyphen (Park Geun-hye); North Korean names are rendered without hyphens (Kim II Sung).

