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1 Writings

Letter to the Editor: *Abundance for the 99 Percent in Jacobin*—Why centrism still works August 4, 2025

A Debate on How to Do Philosophy—Paul Graham vs. James Somers: Is philosophy more than a word salad? August 5, 2025

2 Mission

The Union for Reform Chinese Culture (URCC) seeks to reform Chinese culture to accommodate progressive and democratic values using radical centrism,¹ with reasoning based on the classical and contemporary Chinese cultural canon, to benefit the Chinese diaspora and all people of Chinese culture.

3 Recommended articles

You're probably using the wrong dictionary, *James Somers*, May 18, 2014, <https://jsomers.net/blog/dictionary>²

Google Scholar, *Google*, n.d., <https://scholar.google.ca>³

4 URCC Manual of Style

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¹https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radical_centrism

²Arguing for a return of the original Webster's edition of dictionary which uses more livelier, classical, and context-specific language.

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