Sample Questions

Economics

1. Will China ever be able to justify the erosion of Taiwan's "silicon shield" to achieve their geopolitical goals?
2. To what extent has China used regional economic investment to further their "One China Policy"?
3. How has the recent volatility of the oil market impacted the cross-strait conflict?

Warfare Strategy

1. Is a "boots on ground" invasion of Taiwan by the People's Republic of China a realistic possibility?
2. Were China's desert models of Taipei built for legitimate training exercises or to create artificial fear?

Geopolitics

1. To what extent is the Taiwan Strait conflict impacting China's pursuit for regional hegemony?
2. What steps must the Taiwanese government take to ensure global support for Taiwan remains constant?
3. What implications does the Trump-Xi summit have for the future of Taiwanese security?

Technology

1. How would a potential global "AI bubble burst" impact China's economic leverage over Taiwan?
2. Will new technological innovations increase the role cyberwarfare plays in the China-Taiwan conflict?
3. Which side of the China-Taiwan conflict will benefit more from technological advancements in the energy sector?