Five Buildings of Beijing  

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The new headquarters of China Central Television, by Rem Koolhaas and Ole Scheeren of OMA, a Dutch architect firm, is currently under construction. Its dramatic overhang looms over Beijing's rapidly developing central business district. One critic says the massive tower will "tame" the buildings around it. He may be more prescient than he realizes.