

The Challenges Facing China

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9:30 am – 2:40 pm

American University Washington College of Law
4801 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Sixth Floor, Washington, DC 20016

- 9.30 am **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 9.45 am **Opening Ceremony**
Introductory Remarks: *Marie-Claire Argac*, President, LLM Board, Washington College of Law
Welcome Speech: *Professor Cathy Schenker*, Associate Director, International Legal Studies Program, Washington College of Law
- 10.20 am **Break**
- 10.30 am **Environmental Issues in China**
Professor Judith Shapiro, Washington Collage of Law. *Sustainable Development*
Professor Wang Rong, China University of Political Science & Law. *Water Right Practice in China*
Xiaoqing Lu, Research Associate with the Freeman Chair in China Studies. *Environmental Challenges and Health Problems in China.*
- 11.50 am **Break**
- 12.00 am **Human Rights in China Panel**
T. Kumar, Amnesty International. *Freedom of Expression in the Upcoming Beijing Olympics and the Situation of Tibet.*
- 12:40 pm **Lunch**
- 1.40 pm **Business and Trade in China**
Professor Meng Yanbei, Law School, Renmin University of China. *Anti-Monopoly Laws in China*
Professor Laney Zhan, The Law Library of Congress. **SUBJECT TBD**
- 2:40 pm **Closing Remarks:** *Marie Claire Argac*, President of the LLM Board
- 2.50 pm **Adjourn**

General Registration – no charge but registration required. To register, please go to
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