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### 2008 US-China Forum

Commemorating and Celebrating
30 Years of
Normalization of Sino-US Relations
China's Economic Reform & Opening-up
National College Entrance Examinations



# The Union of Chinese American Professional Organizations The China Society The World Bank and IMF Chinese Staff Association

Sunday,

November 23, 2008 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (FREE forum) 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM (gala) Bethesda North Marriott Hotel & Conference Center 5701 Marinelli Rd. North Bethesda, MD 20852

# **Programs**

2:00 PM **Opening Remarks** 

Shuigeng Xiao, Co-chair, Forum Organizing Committee

Minyue Lin, Board Chairman, UCAPO

**John Dickson**, Chair, World Trade Center Association Peace and Stability through Trade Committee

2:15 PM Session I: "China's Economic Reform and Opening-up"

Session Chair: Hua Wang, Chairman, World Bank-IMF Chinese Staff Association Speakers:

Jiavi Zou, Executive Director, World Bank

**Shangjin Wei**, Professor and N.T. Wang Chair in Chinese Business and Economy at Columbia University's Graduate School of Business

**Li Haiyan**, Counselor for Economic Affairs, China Embassy at the United States, from China National Development and Reform Commission

William Chang, Program Director, US National Science Foundation

Yibin Mu, Senior Capital Market Specialist, The World Bank/IFC

3:45 PM **Networking Break** 

4:15 PM Session II: "30 Years' US-China Relations and Prospects in the 21st Century"

Session Chair: Yeging (Victor) Li, President, The China Society

**Speakers:** 

**Matthew James Salmon**, US Congressman (Arizona-R, 1996-2001), Vice Board Chairman, National Committee on US-China Relations

**Martha Holdridge**, Widow of the late Ambassador John Holdridge (Deputy US Chief of Mission under George H. Bush to China 1973-75, Assistant Secretary of State)

**Jiawen Yang**, Professor of International Business and International Affairs, Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University

**Zongyou Wei,** Fulbright Scholar at Georgetown University Department of Government; Associate Professor, Shanghai International Studies University School of International and Diplomatic Affairs

**Jin Ju,** Minister-Counselor for Science and Technology, China Embassy at the United States

**Donald Riley,** Former Vice President, University of Maryland; Board Chair, Internet Equal Access Foundation

5:45 PM Forum Adjourn

#### **Speaker and Moderator Biographies**

#### Dr. Min Yue Lin

Dr. Min Yue Lin entered Fudan University in the spring of 1978 as one of the first who benefited from the then re-established National College Entrance Exams. He came to the US in 1981 under the China-US Physics Examination and Application (CUSPEA) Program. After having Ph.D degree from CUNY Graduate School, he went on postdoc at



Princeton University and then joined Exxon Corporate Center in New Jersey as a staff member. He later became a scientific consultant, continuing working with Exxon-Mobil and with National Institute of Standards and Technology. He is an expert on micro and nano structures of complex fluids and petroleum products. He authored more than 100 scientific articles and is collected in Marquis "Who's Who in Science and Engineering" (First Edition, 1992-1993).

Dr. Min Yue Lin has served as president of the national Chinese Association for Science and Technology, USA (CAST-USA), and currently serves as the Chairman of the Board, Union of Chinese American Professional Organizations (UCAPO).

#### Mr. John Hancock Dickson

Chairman of the Board, The China Society

Chairman, World Trade Centers Associations Committee on Peace and Trade

President, World Trade Partnership (an economic development consulting firm)

Education: Bachelor of Science in Architecture, Georgia Tech

Masters in Human Relations, University of Oklahoma

2nd Degree Black Belt Won Wha Do Martial Arts



Having established World Trade Centers in Afghanistan and Okinawa, John Dickson currently serves as the founding chairman of the World Trade Centers Association's Committee on Peace and Stability through Trade. He initiated the WTCA's Forum on Globalization and Cultural Identity in 1999, which has developed into a series of conferences held throughout the world including a high level conference in the United Nations in May 2008.

In October 2007 he negotiated the licensing of a World Trade Center in Shenyang, China that will support the future World Trade Center Pyongyang.

John has recently served as advisor or board member to the Wholistic Peace Institute, Service for Peace Northwest, Oregon Multicultural Education Association, the Immigrant and Refugee Consortium of Oregon and Washington, the Native American Leadership Alliance, Native American Communications, and the Universal Peace Federation.

#### Dr. Hua Wang 王华:

Dr. Hua Wang is a Senior Economist of the World Bank's Development Research Group, conducting research in environmental and resource economics and providing policy advices and trainings on sustainable development in developing countries. He is the architect of the environmental information disclosure programs and the community stakeholder roundtable dialogue programs in China and the founding president of the Professional Association for China's Environment. He holds a Ph.D. in environmental management and policy and an M.S. in economics from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (US) and has an M.S. in environmental systems engineering and B.S. in Astrophysics from Nanjing University (China). He taught in Nanjing University for eight years before he joined the World Bank in 1995. Currently, he serves as Chairman of the World Bank-IMF Chinese Staff Association.

#### Ms. Jiayi Zou

Ms. Jiayi Zou is World Bank's Executive Director for China, Appointed as of February 1, 2005. Education

1985 : B.A. (English Language and International Relations), Institute

of International Relations, Beijing, China

1988 : M.A. (International Economic Relations), Graduate School of

Chinese Academy of Social Science, Beijing, China

1992 : Certificate in Development Economics, London School of

Economics, London, U.K.

**Background** 

1988-1989 : Program Officer, Program and Policy Division, World Bank

Department, Ministry of Finance, Beijing

1989-1990 : Project Officer, Division of Foreign Affairs, Yindaruqin

Irrigation Project Management Bureau, Gansu Province

1990-1991 : Program Officer, Program and Policy Division, World Bank

Department, Ministry of Finance

1992-1993 : Program Officer, Technical Assistance Division, World Bank

Department, Ministry of Finance

1993-1994 : Acting Deputy Director, Transport, Energy & Industry Division,

World Bank Department, Ministry of Finance

1994-1996 : Deputy Director, Program and Policy Division, World Bank

Department, Ministry of Finance

1996-1999 : Advisor to Executive Director, The World Bank and Affiliates 1999 – 2000 : Alternate Executive Director, The World Bank and Affiliates

#### Dr. Shang-Jin Wei

Dr. Shang-Jin Wei is Professor of Finance and Economics and N.T. Wang Professor of Chinese Business and Economy at Columbia University, and Director of Working Group on the Chinese Economy and Research Associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research (US), and Research Fellow at the Center for Economic Policy Research (Europe).

Prior to his Columbia appointment, he was Assistant Director and Chief of Trade and Investment Division at the International Monetary Fund. He was the IMF's Chief of Mission to Myanmar (Burma) in 2004. He previously held the positions of Associate Professor of Public Policy at Harvard University, the New Century Chair in Trade and International Economics at the Brookings Institution, and Advisor at the World Bank. He has been a consultant to numerous government organizations including the U.S. Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, United Nations Economic Commission on Europe, and United Nations Development Program, the Asian Development Bank, and to private companies such as PricewaterhouseCoopers. He holds a PhD in economics and M.S. in finance from the University of California, Berkeley.

Dr. Wei's research covers corruption, international finance, trade, and China, and has been reported in the Financial Times, Economist, Business Week, Times, US News and World Report, Chicago Tribune, Asian Wall Street Journal, South China Morning Post, and other international news media. He has published widely in world-class academic journals including Journal of Political Economy, Quarterly Journal of Economics, Journal of Finance, American Economic Review, Review of Economics and Statistics, Economic Journal, Journal of International Economics, European Economic Review, Canadian Journal of Economics and Journal of Development Economics.

#### Mr. Haiyan Li 李海岩

Mr. Haiyan Li is Counselor for economic affairs, Embassy of the People's Republic of China. Previous positions include:

2003-2006, Deputy Director of Economic Reform Department,

National Development of Reform Commission (NDRC),

国家发展改革委, 体改司 副司长

1997-2003, Deputy Director of Comprehensive Research Department, and International Affairs Department (2002-2003),

State Council Office for Economic Restructuring,

国务院体改办, 综合司副司长, 国际司副司长

1985-1997, Deputy division chief, Division chief,

State Council Office For Special Economic Zones

国务院特区办公室, 副处长, 处长

Education background:

1978-1982 Department of Economics, People's University of China

visiting scholar, University of Michigan, U.S.A

#### Dr. Yibin Mu

Dr. Yibin Mu is a Senior Financial Economist at the World Bank /IFC joint Financial and Private Sector Development Group. Over the past eight and half years, he has provided technical advice on financial sector reform and capital markets development to over 30 countries around the world. Prior to joining the World Bank, he worked at the Hong Kong Monetary Authority and China's Central Bank for eight years, where he was mainly responsible for financial sector reform and opening-up. Mr. Mu has an MPA degree from Harvard University, as well as a Ph.D. in Finance and MA degree in Economics. He is a US CFA charter holder; also, he is Hengyi Chair Professor of Zhejiang University.

#### Mr. Yeqing Li 李情

Mr. Li received Bachelor of Law in sociology from Peking (Beijing) University and MBA from Georgetown University.

Currently, he is the Secretary General and Chief Financial Officer of the Youth Federation for World Peace, a global alliance of young leaders and Youth related organizations committed to world peace. Previously in the



US, he had been an executive or business management consultant for the FFWPU, International Finance Corporation of the World Bank Group, Booz Allen Hamilton, BearingPoint, Georgetown University Hospital, W-CARP, etc. Prior to his arrival to the US, he had worked for the China Aviation and Space Industries for three years in Beijing, China.

He also serves as President of the Peking University Alumni Association - DC, standing board member of the Union of Chinese American Professional Organizations, board member and Vice President of the Chinese Association for Science & Technology the DC Chapter, and board member and Vice President of the Hunan Association.

#### Mr. Matthew J. Salmon

Mr. Matt Salmon has more than twenty years experience in both the public and private sector, with an emphasis on managing relations with all levels of government as well as significant media relations experience. Mr. Salmon began his career in public service as an Arizona State Senator, a position in which he served from 1991 to 1995. While in the Senate, he served as the Assistant Majority Leader and chaired the Rules Committee. From 1995 to 2001, Mr. Salmon served as U.S. Congressman from Arizona,



serving on the International Relations, Education, Small Business, and Science Committees. He was recognized in the top three percent of the U.S. Congress for government waste prevention all six years. While in Congress, Mr. Salmon led multiple delegations to China, where he was the only Member of the U.S. Congress in history to speak Mandarin Chinese. This expertise served him well as one of the leading advocates of a positive U.S. and China relationship.

Mr. Salmon received a B.A. in English Literature from Arizona State University and a M.P.A. in Public Administration from Brigham Young University.

#### Ms. Martha Holdridge

Martha Holdridge is the widow of the late John Herbert Holdridge (1924-2001) who was best known for having taken part in, and later recounted, Henry A. Kissinger's secret 1971 initiative to restore US diplomatic relations with the People's Republic of China. He helped draft the protocol agreement between Zhou En-lai and Henry Kissinger that marked the beginning of normalized relations. For his services, he was appointed Deputy Chief of Mission in Beijing, China for 1973-75. He also served as US Ambassador to Singapore and Indonesia and Assistant Secretary of State of East Asian & Pacific Affairs. Mrs. Holdridge currently owns West Wind Farm which provides grass-finished beef in the Maryland and DC market.

#### Dr. Jiawen Yang

Dr. Yang received his PhD in International Business from New York University and his MA in International Economics from the University of International Business and Economics in Beijing. He joined the George Washington University in 1994, and has been teaching courses in international trade and finance, emerging markets, and China's business environment. He has also taught at New York University, Vanderbilt University,



Beijing University, and the University of International Business and Economics in China.

Dr. Yang's current research focuses on exchange rate pass-through, international capital flows and their impact on emerging markets, international business strategies for small and medium-sized firms, and the Chinese economy. His research has appeared in The Review of Economics and Statistics, Review of International Economics, International Review of Economics & Finance, The Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance, The International Trade Journal, Issues and Studies and other academic journals. Dr. Yang is also the author of many book chapters and co-author of two books on economic sanctions, Economic Sanctions: Examinig Their Philosophy and Efficacy (Praeger Publishers, 2003) and Case Studies of U.S. Economic Sanctions: The Chinese, Cuban and Iranian Experience (Praeger Publishers, 2003), both with Hossein Askari, John Forrer and Hildy Teegen.

#### Dr. Wei Zongyou

Wei Zongyou is an associate professor and dean assistant at School of International and Diplomatic Affairs, Shanghai International Studies University, China. He received his Ph..D. in International relations from Fudan University, China in June 2001 And then joined the faculty of School of International and Diplomatic Affairs, Shanghai International University. His



interest of research includes: American Foreign Policy, US-Chinese relations and International Security. He has published nearly twenty Chinese and English articles and is presently working on a book titled In the Shadow of Hegemony: Strategic Choices.

He is currently a Fulbright visiting Scholar at Department of Government, Georgetown University.

#### Mr. Jin Ju 金炬

金炬, 驻美使馆公使衔科技参赞。教育背景方面曾获得机械工程学士, 科技情报硕士, 曾留学英国获技术管理硕士。工作经历方面曾长期从事国际科技合作工作, 1995—1997 年曾任中国驻美国大使馆科技处一等秘书, 1997—2000 年曾任中国驻澳大利亚使馆科技参赞, 2000—2005 年曾任科技部国际合作司副司长。2004—2005 年曾担任联合国科技促进发展委员会中国委员。



Mr. JIN Ju is now Minister-Counsellor for Science and Technology, Embassy of PRC in USA. In education background, he obtained a Batchelor of Mechanical Engineering, Master of Science in S&T Information, and Master of Science in Technology Management as a result of studying in United Kingdom. He has long been working in international cooperation in science and technology. From 1995 to 1997, he was posted as First Secretary in the Chinese Embassy in the United States. From 1997 to 2000, he was posted as Science & Technology Counsellor in the Chinese Embassy in Australia. From 2000 to 2005, he was Deputy-Director General in the Department of International Cooperation of the Ministry of Science and Technology. He was appointed as the Chinese Representative in the Commission of Science and Technology for Development in the United Nation from 2004 to 2005.

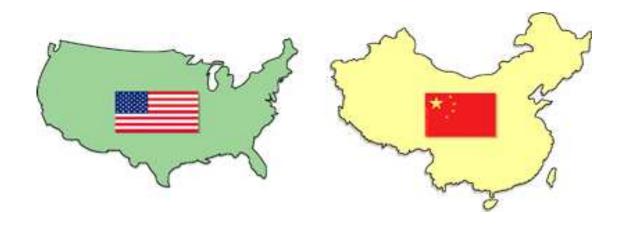
#### Dr. Donald R. Riley

Dr. Riley is Professor, Decision Information Technologies in the Robert H. Smith School of Business and Affiliate Professor of Mechanical Engineering at the University of Maryland, College Park,. From 1998 to 2003, Dr. Riley served as Vice President and Chief Information Officer (CIO) and member of the President's Cabinet charged with overseeing information technology planning and coordination, and the central I.T. infrastructure.



He currently chairs the Board of Directors of the Internet Educational Equal Access Foundation, co-chairs the IEEAF Committee of APAN (Asia-Pacific Advanced Network). Dr. Riley is founder and co-chair of the annual Chinese American Network Symposium and was recognized in 2000 by the Chinese Academy of Sciences as senior Technical Advisor to China Science and Technology Network..

Prior to coming to the University of Maryland, Dr. Riley was the first CIO at the University of Minnesota (1992-1998), and was on the faculty of the University of Minnesota Mechanical Engineering Department from 1976 to 1998. Dr. Riley is an ASME Fellow, and participated in the founding and leadership of the Computers in Engineering Division of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and was 1990-91 Chair of its Executive Committee; numerous seminars, invited lectures and presentations, panel sessions, short courses and tutorials at the local, national, and international level.



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