

8:30-9:20	Registration and Breakfast
9:20-9:30	Introductory Remarks
9:30-9:35	South China Sea Dispute
9:35-9:55	<i>The Law of the Sea Convention and the Extended Continental Shelf Regime</i> Elizabeth Riddell-Dixon (University of Toronto, Bill Graham Centre)
9:55-10:15	<i>“Southward Development,” “National Essence,” and “Historic Rights”: Connections Between Modernity, History, and International Law in China’s South China Sea Islands Claim</i> Chris Chung (University of Toronto, Department of History)
10:15-10:35	<i>The South China Sea: The Law of the Sea Meets Politics</i> Ted McDorman (University of Victoria, Faculty of Law)
10:35-10:55	<i>Lawfare Surrounding the South China Sea: The Role of UNCLOS and State Practice</i> Nong Hong (Executive Director, Institute for China-America Studies)
10:55-11:30	Discussion and Q&A
11:30-1:00	Lunch
1:00-1:05	Trade and “One Belt One Road” Initiative
1:05-1:25	<i>China and the Polar Silk Road</i> Thomas S. Axworthy (Chair of Public Policy, Massey College)
1:25-1:45	<i>One Belt, One Road: Its impact on trading relationships and Canada</i> Gil Lan (Ryerson University, Ted Rogers School of Management)
1:45-2:05	<i>Export Control, Economic Sanctions and the Impact of the US-China Trade War on Canadian Businesses</i> Cyndee Todgham Cherniak (Founder, LexSage)
2:05-2:25	<i>Forced Technology Transfer and the US-China Trade War</i> Julia Qin (Wayne State University, Faculty of Law)
2:25-3:00	Discussion and Q&A
3:00-3:30	Coffee Break
3:30-3:35	Human Rights and Minorities of China
3:35-3:55	<i>Writ in Water: Civil and Political Rights in Hong Kong and the “Advocacy of Independence”</i> Alvin Y.H. Cheung (New York University, Faculty of Law)
3:55-4:15	<i>Canaries in the Coal Mine: Digital Espionage Operations Targeting the Tibetan Diaspora</i> Masashi Crete-Nishihata (University of Toronto, Citizen Lab)
4:15-4:35	<i>The Uyghur Homeland as a Laboratory of Repression</i> Louisa Greve (Director of External Affairs, Uyghur Human Rights Project)
4:35-4:55	<i>Stateless Uyghurs: Causes and Consequences</i> Mehmet Tohti (Founder, Uyghur Canadian Association)
4:55-5:30	Discussion and Q&A
5:30-5:35	Closing Remarks

