

The Political Economy and Legal Aspects of Trade Policy in the Trump Era

Monday, March 12, 2018 | 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
Warren Room 295, Berkeley Law

This conference will focus on the political economy, business, and legal aspects of trade policy in the Trump era. Our goals are three-fold:

- 1) to examine the evolving structural economic and political forces driving recent trade policy developments;
- 2) to understand the legal, economic, and political bases for the shift in US trade policy priorities, and
- 3) to discuss likely responses from US trading partners and the overall consequences for business and the global economic order.

Speakers:

- **Vinod Aggarwal**, UC Berkeley Political Science
- **Seung Wha Chang**, Seoul National University; former WTO Appellate Body member
- **Mark Cohen**, UC Berkeley Law; former Senior Counsel, US Patent and Trademark Office
- **Stavros Gadinis**, UC Berkeley Law
- **Thomas Graham**, WTO Appellate Body member; former Deputy General Counsel, USTR
- **Jennifer Harris**, Brookings Institution, former policy planning staff official, U.S. Department of State
- **Katerina Linos**, UC Berkeley Law
- **Paul Pierson**, UC Berkeley Political Science
- **Andrew Rose**, UC Berkeley Haas School of Business
- **Richard Samans**, World Economic Forum; former Special Assistant to the President for Int'l Economic Policy & Senior Director, National Security Council
- **Jeffrey Schott**, Peterson Institute for International Economics; former official, U.S. Treasury Dept.
- **Terence Stewart**, Stewart and Stewart; Committee to Support U.S. Trade Laws
- **Akihiko Tamura**, National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (GRIPS); former Deputy Director-General for Trade Policy and Rules and Regulation, Ministry of Trade, Economy, and Industry (Japan)
- **Lori Wallach**, Global Trade Watch, Public Citizen (tentative)
- **Mark Wu**, Harvard Law; former Director for Intellectual Property, USTR
- **Guohua Yang**, Tsinghua University; former Deputy Director-General, Ministry of Commerce official (China)

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