

## Forecast 2018

Conference Schedule and Speakers

## January 30, 2018 – 10:00 am – 3:15 pm Jones Day, L. Welch Pogue Room (7th Floor) 300 New Jersey Ave. NW

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10:00 – 10:30 am	Registration and Networking
10:30 –10:40 am	<ul> <li>Welcome Remarks</li> <li>John Frisbie, President, US-China Business Council</li> </ul>
10:40 – 11:25 am	<ul> <li>China's 2018 Economic Forecast</li> <li>Markus Rodlauer, Deputy Director, Asia and Pacific Department, International Monetary Fund</li> <li>Daniel H. Rosen, Partner, Rhodium Group</li> </ul>
	Moderated by: John Frisbie, President, US-China Business Council
11:25 am - 12:00 pm	<ul> <li>China's Business Landscape</li> <li>David Frey, Partner, Markets Strategy, National Head of US-China Strategic Corridor, KPMG in China</li> </ul>
12:00 – 1:30 pm	<ul> <li>Luncheon Keynote Address</li> <li>Rep. Darin LaHood, Congressman of the 18<sup>th</sup> District of Illinois, Co-Chair, House US-China Working Group</li> </ul>
1:30 – 1:50 pm	Break
1:50 – 2:30 pm	<ul> <li>Xi Jinping at Midterm: Assessing Chinese Politics in 2018</li> <li>David Rank, Senior Advisor, The Cohen Group, and Former DCM and Chargé d'Affaires at the U.S. Embassy in Beijing</li> <li>Jessica Batke, Senior Editor, ChinaFile</li> </ul>
2:30 – 3:15 pm	<ul> <li>Approaches to China Trade Policy/Are Existing Trade Tools Sufficient to Deal with the China Challenge?</li> <li>Mark Plotkin, Partner, Covington &amp; Burling LLC</li> <li>Matthew Goodman, William E. Simon Chair in Political Economy, and Senior Adviser for Asian Economics, CSIS</li> </ul>
3:15 pm	Adjourn