

## China 2013: Legal, Political, and Business Outlook for 2013 and Beyond

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This year is an interesting year in China given the leadership transition taking place throughout 2013. The leadership changes and policy implications have had a profound impact foreign business in China, and this program will review the ongoing development of the rule of law in China and provide a discussion on the likely trends for foreign investors doing business in China. The program will address recent developments with respect to a number of China's laws and regulations affecting foreign investment approvals and restrictions, anti-monopoly and competition law, labor/employment law, taxation and customs, development of the judiciary and impact on foreign investors, and restraints on the internet and free speech. The program will further address a number of key trends affecting foreign business with respect to criminal and civil enforcement of China's anti-bribery laws, state secrets laws, and privacy rules.

### When

Thursday  
October 24, 2013

### Seminar

4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

### Networking Happy Hour

6:00 p.m.

### Where

Sheppard Mullin Chicago  
70 West Madison Street  
48th Floor  
Chicago, IL 60602

This interactive seminar will host a number of speakers from Sheppard Mullin's China Practice, including:

- Brian Arbetter, *Partner, Chicago*
- James Zimmerman, *Partner, Beijing*

- Qianrong (Sharon) Xu, *Special Counsel*, **Beijing**

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