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Symposium

Entrepreneurialism, Risk Assessment & Private Investment in China

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Programme

This symposium will involve discussions among academics, investment bankers, venture capitalists, and accountants from Hawai'i, Hong Kong and China on entrepreneurialism, risk assessment, and private investment in China. Topics of discussion will include perspectives of venture capitalists and lawyers, psychological perspectives, and situation investing in undervalued assets.

8:45-9:15 Registration/Continental Breakfast

9:15-9:30 Welcoming Remarks

Charles D. Booth, IAPBL Director & Professor, Richardson School of Law,
University of Hawai'i

Paul Lejot, Visiting Fellow, AIIFL, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong

Session 1 – Venture Capitalists' Perspectives

9:30-10:30

Chair and Commentator:

Bill Richardson, Managing Partner, DragonBridge Capital, Honolulu

Speakers:

Michael H. Hosokawa, GE Commercial Finance (Equity), Hong Kong

Jonathan Morgan, CEO, PingDa Travel, Beijing

10:30-11:00 Tea and Coffee Break

Session 2 – Lawyers’ and Accountants’ Perspectives

11:00-12:00

Chair and Commentator:

Paul Lejot, Visiting Fellow, AIIFL, Faculty of Law, University of Hong Kong

Speakers:

Dane Chamorro, Control Risks, Shanghai

Martin Cheung, Associate Director, Grant Thornton Corporate Finance, Hong Kong
Financial Due Diligence in China

Lawrence Foster, Professor, Richardson School of Law, University of Hawai‘i &
and Senior Counsel, Zhong Lun Law Firm, Shanghai
Legal Due Diligence in China

12:00-1:30 Lunch

Session 3 – Psychological Perspectives on Risk and Value

1:30-2:30

Chair and Commentator:

Dr. Robert K. Paterson, Professor, University of British Columbia Faculty of Law
National Centre for Business Law

Speakers:

John Barkai, Professor, Richardson School of Law, University of Hawai‘i

Dr Lei Wang, Professor and Former Chair, Beijing University Department of
Psychology

Dr. Kwok Leung, Head, Department of Management, City University of Hong Kong
Risk and Value: A Chinese perspective

Justin Levinson, IAPBL Deputy Director & Assistant Professor, Richardson School
of Law, University of Hawai‘i

2:30-3:00 Tea and Coffee Break

Session 4 – Situation Investing in Undervalued Assets

3:00-4:00

Chair and Commentator:

Charles D. Booth, IAPBL Director & Professor, Richardson School of Law,
University of Hawai'i

Speakers:

Steven T. Kargman, President, Kargman Associates, New York City

Commentator:

Jonathan Katz, Partner, Special Situations Investing, JP Morgan, New York City

Session 5 – Concluding Remarks

4:00-4:30

Charles D. Booth, IAPBL Director & Professor, Richardson School of Law,
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4:30-5:30 **Cocktail Reception**

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