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## **Beyond Convergence and Divergence?**

### **Symposium on Chinese Legal Reform and the Global Legal Order**

**Date: 2 June 2015**

**Venue: 11/F, Cheng Yu Tung Tower, The University of Hong Kong**

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**Opening at 9:00am**

#### **Session 1 : Chinese Legal Reform and Criminal Justice (9:15-10:55)**

Moderator: Professor Li Yahong, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong

The Legal Problem of Minor Crime

Sarah Biddulph, Melbourne University Law School

The Presumption of Innocence in China's Criminal Justice Context: Concept, Theory and Reality

Lin Xifen, Shanghai Jiaotong University Law School

Marching toward Judicial Independence: Judicial Reform in China

Sun Ying, Sun Yat Sen University Law School

Judicial Enforcement of Human Rights through Weak Courts in China: A Perspective from an Illiberal State

Wang Shucheng, City University of Hong Kong Law School

#### **Session 2: Chinese Legal Reform, Global Markets and International Relations - Part 1 (11:15-12:40)**

Moderator: Professor Yu Guanghua, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong

Public Enforcement of Securities Laws in China: What Can Securities Regulators Learn From It?

Xi Chao, Chinese University of Hong Kong Faculty of Law

FTZs as the China Reform 2.0: PRD Free Trade Cooperation under CEPA/FTZ Frameworks & Beyond

Guan Wenwei, City University of Hong Kong School of Law

Chinese Maritime Adjudication: 30 Years before the Mast

Zhao Liang, City University of Hong Kong School of Law

**Session 3: Chinese Legal Reform, Global Markets and International Relations -Part 2  
(2:10-3:15)**

Moderator: Professor Yu Guanghua, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong

On the Interaction between Chinese National  
Law-making and Public International Law

Bjorn Ahl, Institute of East Asian Studies,  
University of Cologne

Online Privacy Protection in China: Present and Future  
--A Legal Regime for Personal Data Protection in China

Zhao Yun, University of Hong Kong Faculty  
of Law School of Law

**Session 4: Chinese Legal Reform and Global Order in Historical Perspectives (3:30-5:15)**

Moderator: Professor Zhang Xianchu, Faculty of Law, The University of Hong Kong

Symbolic Violence: National Reform and Global Power  
Politics in Early Twentieth-Century China

Chen Li, University of Toronto History  
Department

Judicial Orientalism? The Making of Chinese Legal  
Transplant by Hong Kong Court of Final Appeal

Michael Ng, University of Hong Kong  
Faculty of Law

China's Unilateral Abrogation of the Sino-Belgian  
Treaty: A Case Study of A Deviant Transplantation

Maria Adele Carrai, University of Hong  
Kong Faculty of Law

Consequential Court and its Leadership:  
The Unwritten Republican Judicial Tradition in China

Jiang Zhaoxin, Shangdong University  
Law School

**Closing at 5:30pm**

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