



The Iowa-China Business Forum

Friday December 22, 2017 9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

Embassy Club

666 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa

Featuring Ambassador Branstad, US Embassy in Beijing, China

To Address

New Challenges and Opportunities of U.S.–China Business Relations after Trump’s China Visit and the Chinese Party’s 19th Congress

The Iowa-China Business Forum, is one of the largest Iowa-China business events in Iowa. The Forum aims to act as a bridge between Iowa and China to foster cross-cultural business communications and promote mutual understanding and collaboration opportunities. Together, with the other events related to China businesses, it is one of the most active programs in Iowa, including business, cultural and educational events.

The Iowa-China Business Forum provides business executives with unique networking opportunities regarding China, including with students, professors, association organizations, government officials, and staffs from many chambers of commerce.

The Iowa-China Business Forum is a signature event and has been organized by the Chinese Association of Iowa’s Iowa-China Business Council since 2003. It has established itself as one of the largest China-focused conferences in Iowa. Each year, the event has hundreds of attendees from the vibrant and diverse student and professional communities in Central Iowa. In addition, upcoming relation-building events such as the Hebei Trade Expo, to be held during the week of May 18, 2018, will be discussed.

Speakers:

- ☀ Ambassador Terry Branstad, US Embassy in Beijing, China
- ☀ Consul General Hong Lei, People’s Republic of China Consulate General in Chicago
- ☀ Eric Branstad, White House Senior Advisor
- ☀ Charles Wang, CEO, Ten Square International
- ☀ Rick Kimberley, Kimberley Farms President

Agenda Topics:

- The Future of U.S.-China Relations in the Trump Administration
- Update on Chinese Domestic Politics and Implications for American Business
- U.S. Perspectives on 2018 Business Climate Outlook in China
- State of Chinese Economy and Reform, and Implications for The Global Economy



- Chinese Innovation and Security Policies
- China's International Economic Engagement Strategy and U.S. Policy Responses

Achievement Awards:

- ❖ To recognize outstanding business leaders and organizations for their distinguished contributions to promote collaboration for Iowa-China business and education.

Hosts:

- ❖ Chinese Association of Iowa
- ❖ Immigrant Entrepreneur Summit
- ❖ Iowa-China Business Council

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