Conference on the

International Cooperation in the Human Rights

and

the Chinese Perspective

Sponsors: Institute of International Law, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS) 22-23 October 2016, Beijing

AGENDA

Note: 15 minutes each person for speakers, maximum 8 minutes each person for commentators, and maximum 5 minutes each person for questions & answers

October 22, Saturday

7:20-8:20 Breakfast (Buffet Restaurant, 1st floor)

9:00-10:00 Opening Ceremony

Chairperson: Prof. CHEN Zexian, Director, Institute of International Law, CASS **Opening Remarks and Presentations:**

- 1. Prof. LIU Hainian, Honorary Director, Center for Human Rights Studies, CASS
- 2. Prof. William A. Schabas, School of Law, Middlesex University
- 3. Prof. Morten Kjaerum, Director, Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, Lund University

10:00-10:15 Tea Break

Session 1 (10:15-12:00) Outlook and Progress on Human Rights

Chairperson & Commentator:

Prof. WANG Minyuan, CASS Research Center for Human Rights, Institute of Law, CASS Prof. Fabio Marcelli, Research Director, ISGI-CNR

10:15-11:30 Presentations

1. Prof. HE Zhipeng, Jilin University Law School

Clash of Civilization, Multi-culture and Discourse of Human Rights

2. Prof. LIU Huawen, Assistant Director of Institute of International Law, Executive Director, Research Center for Human Rights, CASS

The Socialist Outlook on Human Rights with Chinese Characteristics:Interpretation Based on the Xi Jinping's Congratulatory Letter to the 2015 Beijing Forum on Human Rights

- 3. Prof. CHANG Jian, Associate Dean, Research Center for Human Rights, Nankai University

 The Development of Human Rights in China under the Five Promoting Principles
- 4. Prof. Tom Zwart, Director of the Cross-Cultural Human Rights Centre, Utrecht University

 Contesting through compliance: How China can gain more support for its human rights positions
- 5. Prof. Morten Kjaerum, Director, Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, Lund University

Human Rights in the EU and the Challenges Faced by the Economic Crisis and the Arrival of Refugees

11:30-11:45 Comments and Discussion

12:00 Lunch (Buffet, Restaurant, 1st Floor)

Session 2 (14:00-16:00) The UN Human Rights Regime

Chairperson & Commentator:

Prof. ZHANG Wei, Associate Dean, Institute for Human Rights, China University of Political Science and Law

Prof. Morten Kjaerum, Director, Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, Lund University

14:00-15:30 **Presentations**

1. Prof. SUN Shiyan, Institute of International Law, CASS

Human Rights Obligations under the United Nations Charter Revisited

2. Prof. SUN Meng, Institute for Human Rights, China University of Political Science and Law

China and the UN Human Rights Mechanisms: historical dimension

3. Prof. William A. Schabas, School of Law, Middlesex University

China and the Universal Periodic Review

4. Prof. GUO Yuejun, East China University of Science and Technology Law School

Quasi-Judicial Procedures in the International Human Rights Law and China—Take Optional protocol to the International Covenant on economic, social and cultural rights for Instance

5. Prof. MAO Junxiang, Associate Dean, Central South University Law School

Ten Years Cooperation between China and United Nations Human Rights Council: Analysis basing on the Discourse Power

15:30-15:45 Comments and Discussion

15:45-16:00 Tea Break

Session 3 (16:00-17:45) International Treaty and its Implementation

Chairperson & Commentator:

Prof. YANG Songcai, Executive Director, Institute for Human Rights, Guangzhou University Prof. Flavia Lattanzi, Roma Tre University,

16:00-17:30 Presentations

- 1. Prof. David Kinley, School of Law, University of Sydney
 - Human Rights as Rice and Noodles: Explaining our Preferences
- 2. Prof. WANG Minyuan, Director, CASS Research Center for Human Rights, Institute of Law, CASS the Recent Progress for Human Rights Protection in Chinese Criminal Proceedings: From System Improvement and Practice Management
- 3. Prof. ZHENG Zhihang, Shandong University Law School

 Development of Economy and Social Rights with Chinese Characteristics
- 4. Prof. XIE Zengyi, Head of the Office of Research Administration and Foreign Affairs, Institute of Law, CASS
- ILO Conventions on antidiscrimination and the Legal Remedies for the Victims in Employment Equality Cases in China
- 5. Prof. ZOU Mimi, Associate Director, Centre for Rights and Justice, School of Law, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Should we have a New UN Convention on the Rights of Older Persons?

17:30-17:45 Comments and Discussion

18:00 Welcome Dinner (Table, Restaurant, 1st Floor)

October 23, Sunday

7:20-8:20 Breakfast (Buffet Restaurant, 1st floor)

Session 4 (8:30-10:15) Development and Human Rights

Chairperson & Commentator:

Prof. YE Chuanxing, Director, Editorial Board of Human Rights Journal, Renmin University of China

Prof. David Kinley, School of Law, University of Sydney

8:30-9:45 Presentations

1. Prof. Fabio Marcelli, Research Director, Institute for International Legal Studies, the National Research Council Italy

Strategy Necessary economic and institutional basis for the implementation of human rights: the persisting need of a new international economic order and the role of China

2. Prof. BAI Guimei, Executive Director, Research Center for Human Rights and Humanitarian Law,

Peking University Law School

Right to Development: A Collective or Individual Right

3. Prof. Gemma Andreone, Research Associate, Institute for International Legal Studies, the National Research Council Italy

The OEDC Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and human rights in a globalized world

4. Prof. JIANG Xiaohong, Institute of International Law, CASS

Nexus between Human Rights and Trade—On the Objective of Human Rights in EU Trade Policy

5. Prof. ZHAO Jianwen, Institute of International Law, CASS

The Consistency of Chinese Traditional Culture and International Human Rights Law

6. Prof. HE Jingjing, Institute of International Law, CASS

Climate Change and Human Rights

09:45-10:00 Comments and Discussion

10:00-10:15 Tea Break

Session 5 (10:15-11:50) Women, Child, Elder and Human Rights

Chairperson & Commentator:

Prof. LU Zhian, Associate Director, Research Center for Human Rights, Fudan University Law School

Prof. Serges Alain Djoyou Kamga Associate Professor, the Thabo Mbeki African Leadership Institute, University of South Africa

10:15-11:30 Presentations

1. Prof. Karin Arts, International Institute of Social Studies, Netherland

China and the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child

2. Prof. XUE Ninglan, Head of the Department of Social Law, Institute of Law, CASS

On the Legal Protection of Women's Rights (1995-2015)

3. Prof. LI Xixia, Deputy Head, Editorial Board of Chinese International Law Review, CASS

A Study of Chinese Anti-discrimination Law concerning Women Employment: from A Perspective of International Human Rights Law

4. Prof. ZHU Xiaoqing, Institute of International Law, CASS

China and UN Protection Mechanism for Human Rights

5. Prof. LI Zan, Institute of International Law, CASS

Express the Chinese Filial Culture to the World: in the View of International Protection on the elderly Rights

11:30-11:45 Comments and Discussion

12:00 Lunch (Buffet, Restaurant, 1st Floor)

Session 6 (14:00-15:15) Social Governance and Human Rights

Chairperson & Commentator:

Prof. SUN Shiyan, Institute of International Law, CASS

Prof. Karin Arts, International Institute of Social Studies, Netherland

14:00-15:00 Presentations

1. Gudmundur Alfredsson, Former Director and Professor, Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, Lund University

Human Rights and Good Governance: Chinese Experiences and the Future Development

2. Prof. Serges Alain Djoyou Kamga, Thabo Mbeki African Leadership Institute, University of South Africa

BRICS and Human Rights: Some Reflexions

3. Prof. HAO Luyi, Institute of International Law, CASS

Governance of International Migration and Human Rights: Dimensions and Constraints

4. Prof. Flavia Lattanzi, Roma Tre University,

International Criminal Law and Human Rights

5. Prof. Pia Acconci, Faculty of Law, University of Teramo

The Realization of the Right to Health through the WHO

6. Prof. SUN Nanxiang, Institute of International Law, CASS

The Human Rights Character of the Internet Freedom and its Restrictions

15:00-15:15 Comments and Discussion

15:15-15:30 Closing Ceremony

Chairperson: Prof. LIU Huawen, Assistant Director of Institute of International Law, Executive Director, Research Center for Human Rights, CASS

Closing Remarks:

Prof. Tom Zwart, Director of the Cross-Cultural Human Rights Centre, Utrecht University Prof. CHEN Zexian, Director of the Institute of International Law, CASS