

# U.S.-China High Technology Working Group Public-Private Sector Dialogue

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## Chaired by

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- Daniel O. Hill, Acting Under Secretary for Industry and Security, U.S. Department of Commerce; and
- Director General Zhang Ji, Department of Mechanic, Electronic and Hi-Tech Industry, Ministry of Commerce, the People's Republic of China.

## In Partnership With

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The National Association of Manufacturers (NAM)

## Purpose of Event

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The U.S.-China High Technology Working Group (HTWG) was established to facilitate high-technology exports to civilian end-users in China, in accordance with U.S. export control requirements. In furtherance of this effort, the Department of Commerce's Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) and the People's Republic of China's Ministry of Commerce (MOFCOM) are pleased to announce that the 2009 HTWG meetings will include a public-private dialogue on Tuesday, September 29, 2009.

In this public-private HTWG event, participants will focus on identifying barriers to U.S.-China high technology trade, particularly in two of the largest categories of bilateral advanced technology trade: civil aviation-aerospace and information technology. This all-day event will provide ample opportunity for two-way dialogue.

The principal goals of this dialogue are to offer an opportunity for U.S. and Chinese companies to interact with each other and with government officials directly on these issues, and to learn from individual U.S. and Chinese companies about the ways in which the two governments can further support high technology trade for civilian end-uses in China.

## Who Should Attend

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- Companies in high technology industries, particularly civil aviation-aerospace or information technology, with a business presence in the United States and China.
- Companies that seek to discuss high technology trade and export control issues with U.S. and PRC government leaders involved in high technology trade and export controls.

**Details will be sent in the coming days on registration, cost and location in Washington, DC,  
but since attendance at this conference will be limited due to space restrictions,  
please hold your place by notifying the NAM now at [HTWG@nam.org](mailto:HTWG@nam.org).**

