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3.30 PM – 5.00 PM

(Registration begins at 3.00 PM)

Lee Sheridan Conference Room
Eu Tong Sen Building
Faculty of Law NUS
Bukit Timah Campus

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There is no registration fees for the seminar, but seats are limited.

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A healthy environment is critical for the wellbeing of people everywhere, while trade generates prosperity and resilience. How do we ensure that these goals support each other? What opportunities exist to align trade and economic prosperity with environmental sustainability? How can partnerships help countries seize the trade opportunities from more sustainable production and consumption? This seminar will discuss the newly launched WTO-UN Environment publication "Making Trade Work for the Environment, Prosperity and Resilience", and consider trade approaches to accelerate the transition to a greener future as well as the scaling up of sustainable business solutions. It will discuss how the removal of trade barriers can help disseminate environmental technologies, contribute to resource efficiency, generate economies of scale for green goods and improve coherence between trade and environment policies.



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Organization and has worked in the field of urban environmental regeneration. His recent publications include contributions to the "Research Handbook on Climate Change and Trade Law" (2017); and "Win-Win: How International Trade Can Help Meet the Sustainable Development Goals" (2017).

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