

Summit Timeline

The summit will take place from Friday, February 28 to Sunday, March 2. A detailed directory of speakers with their presentation titles and time of presentation can be found in the Speaker Directory of the handbook. Below is a preliminary schedule for the summit. Please note that there might be slight adjustments. All dates and times below are in U.S. Eastern Standard Time (UTC-05:00).

Friday, February 28th North Carolina Botanical Garden 100 Old Mason Farm Rd, Chapel Hill, NC 27517	
Black-tie Formal or Business Formal Attire Requested	
5:45 p.m. ~ 6:10 p.m.	Check-In and Reception
6:15 p.m. ~ 6:35 p.m.	Introduction by CLS Directors
	Opening Remarks by Guest Speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Leonardo Williams - Mayor, City of Durham- Michael Wang - President, Carolinas AAPI Business Alliance
6:35 p.m. ~ 7:00 p.m.	Keynote Speech: People Before Policy <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Min Fan - Executive Director, U.S. Heartland China Association
7:00 p.m. ~ 7:50 p.m.	Dinner
7:50 p.m. ~ 8:00 p.m.	Closing Remarks by CLS Directors

Saturday, March 1st
 Duke University's Gross Hall
 140 Science Dr, Durham, NC 27708

Business Casual Attire or Higher Requested

8:30 a.m. ~ 9:15 a.m.	Check-in and breakfast
9:20 a.m. ~ 10:15 a.m.	<u>Introduction Ceremony</u>
	Opening Remarks and Presentation
10:15 a.m. ~ 10:30 a.m.	Downtime
10:30 a.m. ~ 11:15 a.m.	<u>Speaker Session 1</u>
	Presentation: Exports in Disguise: Trade Rerouting during the US-China Trade War? - Dr. Edmund Malesky - Director, Duke Center for International Development
	Roundtable: China-Africa Relations and the New Silk Road - Dr. Lina Benabdallah - Professor, Wake Forest University
	Presentation: Domestic Politics and US-Taiwan Relations - Dr. Shelley Rigger - Dean of Faculty, Davidson College
11:15 a.m. ~ 11:30 a.m.	Downtime
11:30 a.m. ~ 12:15 p.m.	<u>Speaker Session 2</u>
	Panel: Governing with Digital Platforms: A Chinese Lesson for the U.S. - Shitong Qiao - Professor, Duke University - Dr. Clara Park - Professor, Duke University - Moderator: Anthony Hui - UNC-Chapel Hill '24, Economics and Finance.
12:15 p.m. ~ 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. ~ 1:55 p.m.	Resource & Research Fair: Student Delegates present research and explore graduate opportunities Shen Shen - Printed poster Chenchen Wang - Printed poster Florian Moser - Slideshow, Gross Hall 107, 1:00 p.m. - 1:25 p.m. Audrey Berlowitz - Slideshow, Gross Hall 103, 1:10 p.m. - 1:35 p.m. Natalie Trujillo - Slideshow, Gross Hall 107, 1:25 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.
2:00 p.m. ~ 3:00 p.m.	<u>Speaker Session 3</u>

	<p>Panel: What's Next for US-China Climate and Environmental Cooperation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Jennifer Turner - Director, China Environment Forum - Dr. Angel Hsu - Director, Data-Driven EnviroLab - Dr. Alex Wang - Co-Director, Emmett Institute - Moderator: Dr. Jackson Ewing - Director of Energy and Climate Policy at the Nicholas Institute
3:00 p.m. ~ 3:25 p.m.	Downtime
3:30 p.m. ~ 4:30 p.m.	<p><u>Speaker Session 4</u></p> <p>Panel: Painting Bridges: The Future of U.S.-China Relations through Chinese Film, Literature, and Culture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Xiang He - Professor, New York University - Dr. Andy Rodekohr - Professor, Wake Forest University - Dr. Charles Laughlin - Professor, University of Virginia - Moderator: Han Chen - UNC-Chapel Hill MA Asian Studies
4:30 p.m. ~ 4:45 p.m.	Downtime and Group Photographs
4:45 p.m.	Closing remarks
5:00 p.m.	Bus Departs

Sunday, March 2nd
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8:30 a.m. ~ 9:25 a.m.	Check-in and breakfast
9:20 a.m. ~ 10:15 a.m.	Opening Remarks
10:15 a.m. ~ 10:30 a.m.	Downtime
10:30 a.m. ~ 11:15 a.m.	<p><u>Speaker Session 5</u></p> <p>Fireside Chat: The Evolving Role of NGOs in U.S.-China Relations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Nick Zeller - Senior Program Associate, China Research Center - Jincheng Zhang - Communications Associate, National Committee on US-China Relations <p>Presentation: Lessons of the Russia-Ukraine War for China and Taiwan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Wei-chin Lee - Professor, Wake Forest University
11:15 a.m. ~ 11:30 a.m.	Downtime
11:30 a.m. ~ 12:30 p.m.	<p><u>Speaker Session 6</u></p> <p>Closing Keynote: Trump 2.0 and the U.S.-China Relationship: Issues, Challenges and Prospects</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - David Firestein - President and CEO, George H. W. Bush Foundation for US-China Relations
12:30 p.m. ~ 12:45 p.m.	Closing Remarks by the CLS Team and Group Photographs
1:00 p.m.	Bus Departs

