

“Investing in agriculture: legal aspects of land-use rights in China”

Date: 28 April, 2016

Venue: Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, 17, Dongzhimenwai Dajie, Chaoyang District, Beijing 100600

18:00 hours

Admission

18:30 hours

Inaugural Addresses

Mrs. **Martine Püster**, Counsellor Food and Agriculture, Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany

Dr. **Franz-Georg von Busse**, Chairman, German Agribusiness Alliance at OAV – German Asia-Pacific Business Association

18:45 hours

Lecture and Discussion

Mr. **Christoph Hezel**, Partner, Chief Representative Taylor Wessing Beijing Representative Office

Mr. **Ingo Vinck**, Senior Associate, Representative Taylor Wessing Beijing Representative Office

20:00 hours

Reception

In cooperation with:



Speakers



Christoph Hezel

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Christoph Hezel is the Chief Representative of Taylor Wessing Beijing office. He is mainly assigned to the firm's general corporate practice advising multinational as well as medium-sized corporations on their business operations and investments in mainland China. His special focus in this regard is on foreign direct investment, mergers & acquisitions, corporate restructuring as well as on the PRC tax regime.

Prior to joining Taylor Wessing in 2006, where he became a partner in 2008, Christoph had worked as a tax lawyer in the tax and legal department of the Shanghai office of one of the major international auditing and accounting firms. He has published various articles on China-related legal topics in international law journals. Christoph was heading as chairman for several years the Legal Working Group as well as the Trade and Distribution Working Group of the European Chamber of Commerce in China.



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Ingo is a member of Taylor Wessing's China Group. He advises German and international enterprises with respect to their business activities and investment projects in China. He specialises in Chinese contract law and corporate law, with a particular focus on real estate and construction law. Ingo has lectured and published in the area of Chinese investment law, foreign-exchange law, contract law and IP in China. He is a regular speaker on Chinese law.

Ingo received his education in law at Ruhr-Universität Bochum and studied at Tongji University in Shanghai/People's Republic of China and at University of Oviedo in North Spain. Early in his career he was an interpreter for Chinese and accompanied German merchants during their business trips to China. Before joining Taylor Wessing, he worked as a consultant for one of the leading German consultancies in the field of procurement and distribution in China. Ingo Vinck was admitted to the German bar in 2008. Ingo joined Taylor Wessing in 2008. He is based in the Taylor Wessing's Beijing Office since 2012.