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## Aiming Low: Wielding New Tools to Help Chinese & U.S. Cities Peak Carbon Emissions

Chinese cities, long plagued by smog from cars and coal, are now laboratories experimenting with low-carbon policies. By 2017, China had 81 city and 6 provincial low-carbon pilots that represent 40% of the country's carbon emissions. Some cities have emerged as climate action leaders, committing to peak carbon before the national government's 2030 deadline. On July 19th, CEF is bringing together a panel to discuss tools that could help accelerate low-carbon initiatives and other sustainability actions in Chinese cities.

Hu Min, the LOGIC project lead at Innovative Green Development Program (iGDP), will introduce the recently launched China's Low-carbon and Green Index for Cities. Roger Platt will talk about US-Green Building Council's LEED for Cities rating system. Brian Guzzone of Eastern Research Group will discuss solid waste management and reducing greenhouse gas emissions in collaboration with low carbon cities. And finally, Liu Shuang, director of Low Carbon Economic Growth Program at Energy Foundation china, will comment on these directives.

### Speakers

Hu Min  
Executive Director, Innovative Green Development Program (iGDP); Director, Low Carbon Economic Growth Program, Energy Foundation China

Roger Platt  
Senior Vice President, Strategic Partnerships; Green Building Council

Brian Guzzone  
Project Manager, Eastern Research Group

Liu Shuang  
Director of the Low Carbon Economic Growth Program at

Thursday, July 19th  
12:00pm - 2:00pm

6th Floor Boardroom

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