A Reception & Dinner Honoring His Excellency

Xi Jinping

President
People’s Republic of China

Tuesday, September 22, 2015
Seattle, Washington
PROGRAM

Welcoming Remarks
The Honorable Jay Inslee
Governor, Washington State

Remarks
Mr. Mark Fields
Chair, The US-China Business Council
President & CEO, Ford Motor Company

Remarks
The Honorable Penny Pritzker
United States Secretary of Commerce

Introduction of the Honorable Henry Kissinger
The Honorable Carla Hills
Chair, National Committee on U.S.-China Relations
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Remarks
The Honorable Henry Kissinger
Chairman, Kissinger Associates

Address
His Excellency Xi Jinping
President, People’s Republic of China

Thank You
The Honorable Ed Murray
Mayor, City of Seattle

Toasts
The Honorable Gary Locke
Co-Chair, Washington State Welcoming Committee-Seattle 2015

- Dinner Service -
Xi Jinping is president of the People’s Republic of China, having been confirmed in that position in March 2013. He is also general secretary of the 18th Central Committee of the Communist Party of China (CPC); a member of the Standing Committee of the Political Bureau of the CPC Central Committee; and chairman of the Central Military Commission.

Xi Jinping, born in 1953, is from Fuping County, Shaanxi Province. He entered the workforce in 1969 and joined the CPC in 1974 while in Yanchuan in northern Shaanxi, and became Party branch secretary a year later.

Xi attended Tsinghua University in Beijing to study chemical engineering and graduated in 1979. He later obtained a degree in Marxist theory and ideological education from the School of Humanities and Social Sciences at Tsinghua, as well as an LLD, both through postgraduate education programs.

In 1979, Xi was named secretary of the General Office of the State Council and the General Office of the Central Military Commission; three years later he became deputy secretary of the CPC Zhengding County Committee in Hebei Province.

From 1985 to 2002, Xi held a variety of posts in Fujian Province, culminating in the governorship in 2000. He became secretary of the CPC Zhejiang Provincial Committee and acting governor of Zhejiang Province in 2002. One year later, he was named chair of the Standing Committee of the Zhejiang Provincial People’s Congress. In 2007, he became secretary of the CPC Shanghai Municipal Committee and a member of the Standing Committee of the Political Bureau of the CPC Central Committee, as well as a member of the Secretariat of the CPC Central Committee. He was also named president of the Party School under the CPC Central Committee.

Xi was elected vice president of the People’s Republic of China at the first session of the 11th National People’s Congress in 2008 and in 2010 became vice chair of the Central Military Commission.

Xi Jinping has visited the United States several times, beginning in 1985 with a trip to Iowa. He paid an official visit to the United States in 2012 as vice president of the People’s Republic of China. In June 2013, President Xi had a summit meeting with President Obama at Sunnylands, the Annenberg estate in California. In November 2014, the two presidents met again at Yingtai, in the Zhongnanhai compound in Beijing.
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MENU - 菜单

SALAD - 蔬菜沙拉
*Willie Green’s salad, Daikon & Date, Butternut Squash Puree, Lotus Root with Chive Vinaigrette*  
（Vegan, Gluten Free, Dairy Free, Nut Free）
本地蔬菜,白萝卜配枣,奶油南瓜糊,鲜藕,佐香葱醋汁沙拉酱
（全素食，无面筋，无乳酪，无坚果）

Assorted Sliced Bread with Rosettes of Parsley Chive Butter and Sea Salt Butter
各式切片面包，佐欧芹香葱黄油卷与海盐黄油卷

ENTRÉE - 主菜
Duo of Pan Seared *Double R Ranch Washington Beef & NW Steelhead Roulade*  
Wasabi Rhizome Mashers, Baby Beets, Brussel Sprouts, Baby Zucchini & Baby Squash, Syrah Demi
香煎华盛顿牛肉和西北硬头鳟鱼卷
配芥末土豆泥,幼嫩甜菜头,球芽甘蓝，幼嫩西葫芦和幼嫩茭瓜，佐焦炙红酒汁

VEGETARIAN - 素食主菜
Chanterelle Mushroom & Roasted Vegetable Charlotte  
Lobster Mushroom & Edamame Relish, Smoked Tomato Nage  
（Vegan, Gluten Free）
鸡油菌蘑菇和杂烤蔬菜夏洛特
佐龙虾蘑菇和毛豆酱汁及烟熏番茄汤汁
（全素食，无面筋）

DESSERT - 甜品
*Theo Chocolate Marquise Dome on a Brown Butter Pistachio Cake,*  
Blood Orange, Finger Lime Caviar
巧克力慕丝冠顶棕奶油开心果蛋糕，
鲜橙，鱼子酱酸橙籽

Nest of *Valrhona* Chocolate, Olive Oil Cake,  
*Meyer Lemon Cream in Gold Egg Shell Cup, Passion Fruit Pearls*
巧克力巢，橄榄油蛋糕，
柠檬奶油黄金蛋壳杯，百香果珍珠

WINE - 葡萄酒
*Chateau Ste. Michelle 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon*  
华盛顿圣米歇尔酒庄2013年赤霞珠
*Chateau Ste. Michelle 2014 Chardonnay*  
华盛顿圣米歇尔酒庄2014年霞多丽
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