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Program

WELCOMING REMARKS & TOAST

Ms. Ellen Kullman

*Chair, The US-China Business Council &
Chair of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, DuPont Company*

INTRODUCTION OF THE HONORABLE PENNY PRITZKER

Ms. Ellen Kullman

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United States Secretary of Commerce

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*Vice Premier of the State Council
People's Republic of China*

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The Honorable Carla A. Hills

*Chair, National Committee on United States-China Relations &
Chair and Chief Executive Officer, Hills & Company*

REMARKS

His Excellency Yang Jiechi

*State Councilor
People's Republic of China*

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The Honorable Carla A. Hills



His Excellency

Wang Yang

*Vice Premier of the State Council
People's Republic of China*

Wang Yang was appointed vice premier in March 2013. Prior to his current position, he served as Chinese Communist Party (CCP) secretary of Guangdong (2007-2012). Wang was appointed as a member of the 18th CCP Politburo in November 2012, and was also a member of the 17th CCP Politburo from 2007 to 2012.

Wang was born in 1955 in Suzhou County, Anhui and holds a master's degree in management science from the University of Science and Technology in Hefei City.

Wang served as mayor of Tongling, Anhui from 1988 to 1998, director of Anhui's Provincial Planning Committee from 1992 to 1993, and secretary of Anhui's CCP Provincial Committee's Standing Committee from 1993 to 1998. Prior to taking up his current post in 2005, Wang served as vice minister of the State Development and Reform Commission from 1999 to 2003 and deputy secretary general of the State Council from 2003 to 2005. From 2005 to 2006, Wang served as the party secretary of Chongqing.



His Excellency
Yang Jiechi
State Councilor
People's Republic of China

Yang Jiechi was appointed as a State Councilor in March 2013. Prior to being appointed State Councilor, Yang served as minister of foreign affairs. He also has been a member of the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) Central Committee since 2007.

Yang was born in May 1950 in Shanghai. He has a Ph.D. in history and has studied at Bath University and the London School of Economics in the United Kingdom.

Yang has had a long career in China's Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and has had several postings at the PRC embassy in the United States. He joined the foreign ministry in 1975 as second secretary of the Department of Translation and Interpretation. He came to Washington, D.C. for the first time in 1983 and served successively as second secretary, first secretary, and counselor until his return to China in 1987. During the next three years, he was counselor and division director at the ministry's Translation and Interpretation Department. In 1990, Yang became deputy director general at the Department of American and Oceanic Affairs, a position he held until 1993 when he returned to Washington, D.C. to serve for the next two years as deputy chief of mission at the PRC embassy.

In 1995, Yang returned to China and was promoted to assistant foreign minister. He was promoted again in 1998 to vice foreign minister. In 2001, Yang became PRC ambassador to the United States, a position he held for the next four years. Yang resumed his duties as vice foreign minister in China in 2005. He then served as minister of foreign affairs from 2007 until 2013.

Yang is fluent in English.



The Honorable **Penny Pritzker**

*United States Secretary
of Commerce*

Penny Pritzker was sworn in as the 38th secretary of Commerce by Vice President Joe Biden on June 26, 2013.

She is a civic and business leader with more than 25 years of experience in the real estate, hospitality, senior living, and financial services industries. Pritzker served as CEO of PSP Capital Partners, and has previously developed such diverse companies as Vi (formerly Classic Residence by Hyatt), a leader in luxury living for older adults; The Parking Spot, a large U.S. network of off-site airport parking facilities; and Pritzker Realty Group.

President Obama appointed Pritzker to the President's Council for Jobs and Competitiveness, which formerly advised the administration on economic growth and job creation. Pritzker previously served on the President's Economic Recovery Advisory Board. She has also served on the boards of Hyatt Hotels Corporation, Wm. Wrigley Jr. Company, Marmon Group and LaSalle Bank Corporation. She is past executive chairman of TransUnion, a global financial services information company.

Much of Pritzker's civic work focuses on public education. She served as advisory board chairman of Skills for America's Future, The Aspen Institute. Skills for America's Future is a national initiative that brings together businesses, community colleges and others to prepare workers for 21st century jobs. In 2012, she helped launch Skills for Chicagoland's Future, the first city model of Skills for America's Future. Pritzker is past chair of the Chicago Public Education Fund, the first venture philanthropy to raise private equity to invest in public schools, and a former member of the Chicago Board of Education.

In 2012, Pritzker received the Woodrow Wilson Award for Public Service, an honor given to individuals who have served with distinction in public life and have shown a special commitment to seeking out informed opinions and thoughtful views.

Pritzker earned her bachelor's degree in economics from Harvard University and J.D. and M.B.A. degrees from Stanford University. She and her husband Dr. Bryan Traubert have two children.

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Chinese Guests of Honor

His Excellency Wang Yang
Vice Premier of the State Council
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His Excellency Yang Jiechi
State Councilor
People's Republic of China

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His Excellency Lou Jiwei
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Chairman, China Insurance
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U.S. Government Officials

The Honorable Tom Vilsack
United States Secretary of Agriculture

The Honorable Penny Pritzker
United States Secretary of Commerce

The Honorable Gary Locke
Ambassador of the United States of America
to the People's Republic of China

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President, International, FedEx Express*

Menu

Mixed Green Salad with Frisée
Grilled Asparagus, Citrus Fruit, Candied Nuts,
Hearts of Palm, and Artichoke Hearts
Citrus Vinaigrette
什锦色拉配苦菊
烤芦笋，柑橘，蜜饯坚果，棕榈芯，及洋蓟芯
柑橘香醋沙司

Braised Short Rib, Grain Mustard Demi-Glace
芥末风味法式酱汁焖小排

Grilled Swordfish, Saffron Sauce
藏红花沙司配烤剑鱼

Whipped Potatoes with Horseradish
Red and Gold Beets
Haricots Vert
山葵马铃薯泥，金红甜菜，青嫩豆角

Vegetarian Entrée
Yellow Pepper stuffed with Stir-fry Vegetables and Tofu
Grilled Eggplant and Curried Cauliflower
全素主菜
旺火时蔬与青嫩豆腐填黄椒
烧茄子配咖喱风味烤花椰菜

Fruit Tart with Apricot Glaze
杏桃釉汁配鲜果挞

Freshly Brewed Coffee and Decaffeinated Coffee
Specialty Teas
新煮咖啡与无咖啡因咖啡
特选茶饮

BV Coastal Estate Vineyard Selection Sauvignon Blanc
BV Coastal Estate Vineyard Selection Pinot Noir
加州海滨山庄葡萄园特选长相思白葡萄酒
加州海滨山庄葡萄园特选黑皮诺红葡萄酒

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