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**May 10th Hearing: Assessing China's Efforts to Become an "Innovation Society" –
A Progress Report**

Co-Chairs: Commissioners Carte Goodwin and Dennis Shea

WHAT: Hearing on Assessing China's Efforts to Become an "Innovation Society" – A Progress Report

WHEN: Thursday, May 10th, 2012, 8:45 a.m. to 3:40 p.m.

WHERE: 562 Dirksen Senate Office Building. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis.

PANEL INFO: Panelists' bios and written statements will be available on the Commission's website at www.uscc.gov.

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HEARING AGENDA	
8:45a – 8:50a	<u>Opening Remarks</u>
8:50a – 9:10a	<u>Panel I: Congressional perspectives</u> TBA
9:10a – 10:30a	<u>Panel II: China and innovation</u> Dr. Robert D. Atkinson, President, Information Technology and Innovation Foundation Dr. Danny Breznitz, Associate Professor of International Affairs, Georgia Institute of Technology

10:30a - 10:40p	<u>Break</u>
10:40a - 12:00p	<u>Panel III: China's innovation infrastructure</u> Richard P. Suttmeier, Professor of Political Science, Emeritus, University of Oregon Dr. Denis Fred Simon, Vice Provost for International Strategic Initiatives, Arizona State University
12:00p - 12:50p	<u>Lunch</u>
12:50p - 2:10p	<u>Panel IV: Information and communications technology innovation</u> Dr. Earl C. Joseph II, Program Vice President, IDC Dr. Horst Simon, Deputy Director, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Timothy K. Harder, Director, EMC Cloud Infrastructure Division
2:10p - 2:20p	<u>Break</u>
2:20p - 3:40p	<u>Panel V: Defense sector innovation</u> Kathleen Walsh, Associate Professor of National Security Affairs, U.S. Naval War College Dr. Thomas Mahnken, Professor of Strategy, U.S. Naval War College
3:40p	<u>Adjourn</u>