

2021 CIBEL-SJTU Webinar: China's CBDC and International Landscape

Herbert Smith Freehills China International Business & Economic Law (CIBEL) Centre

Event Details

Event Date:	Friday, 10 December 2021
Time:	12:30pm-2:00pm AEDT
Format:	Virtual roundtable via Microsoft Teams Live
Duration:	1.5 hours
Moderator:	Professor Deborah Healey Co-Director, Herbert Smith Freehills CIBEL Centre, UNSW Law & Justice

Agenda

Welcome and Introduction 12:30pm-12:35pm AEDT
Moderator: Professor Deborah Healey Co-Director Herbert Smith Freehills CIBEL Centre, UNSW Law and Justice



Deborah Healey is a professor at UNSW Law and a co-director of Herbert Smith Freehills China International Business and Economic Law (CIBEL) Centre, UNSW Law & Justice. She is also a member of the Centre for Law, Markets and Regulation. Her research and teaching focus on competition law and policy in Australia, China, Hong Kong and the ASEAN nations and she has written widely on them over a long period of time.

She is a regular visitor to those jurisdictions to research and teach. Within the area of competition law, she is particularly interested in the role of government in the market, both in Australia and internationally; merger regulation; competition in banking and finance; and the digital economy. Deborah has undertaken substantial research in the development of the Anti-Monopoly Law of China against the background of its political economy and has written widely alone and with Chinese co-authors and in material translated into Chinese. She has consulted with, and completed research projects for, UNCTAD, OECD and ASEAN. She is a Non-Government Adviser to the International Competition Network and a member of the Law Council of Australia Competition Law Committee.

Panel discussion

12:35pm-1:25pm AEDT

Panellist:

Dr Xie Wen

Board Executive Director, Managing Director

Co-Head of Client Coverage, Corporate, Commercial & Institutional Banking

Standard Chartered Bank (China) Limited



Xie Wen graduated from National University of Singapore with a Ph.D degree in Industrial and System Engineering. She joined Standard Chartered Bank in 1997 and now is in her current role as Co-head of Client Coverage, Corporate, Commercial & Institutional Banking China. She is widely respected within the banking industry as an experienced banker and a risk management expert with outstanding leadership and execution capabilities. Xie Wen is dedicated to building a technology-led cross-border financial platform, providing corporate and institutions with international high-quality financial services, and making Standard Chartered China the preferred international bank and financial partner of corporate and institutional customers.

Panellist:

Mr Wouter Bossu

Senior Counsel

The International Monetary Fund



Wouter Bossu currently serves as Senior Counsel for the Legal Department of the International Monetary Fund (IMF). He is of Belgian origin and holds degrees in law (Leuven) and business administration (Louvain-la-Neuve). Prior to joining the Fund, he worked for the legal departments of the Belgian and the European Central Banks. His specialties are the legal frameworks of central banking, financial markets and financial stability.

Panellist:

Professor Wei Shen

KoGuan Distinguished Professor of Law

Shanghai Jiao Tong University Law School



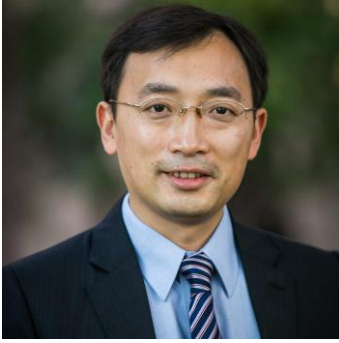
Wei Shen is a KoGuan Distinguished Professor of Law at Shanghai Jiao Tong University Law School. Prior to teaching at the law school, Professor Shen practiced in major US and UK firms in Shanghai, Chicago and Hong Kong for a decade primarily assisting multinational clients in their Chinarelated transactions such as foreign direct investment, private equity, mergers and acquisitions, project finance and commercial arbitration. He is now teaching international investment law, international financial regulation, company law, international economic law and contract law in the law school. Professor Shen's current research interests include international investment law, corporate governance, financial regulation, and international commercial arbitration.

Panellist:

Professor Heng Wang

Co-Director

Herbert Smith Freehills CIBEL Centre, UNSW Law and Justice



Professor Heng Wang is co-director of Herbert Smith Freehills China International Business and Economic Law (CIBEL) Centre, UNSW Law & Justice. Heng was named Australia's research field leader in international law by *The Australian* newspaper's *Research 2020* magazine. He has been a recipient of major awards and grants. His work explores the future of international economic development, often from Chinese and regional perspectives. His present focus is on law and technology particularly central bank digital currency. He has advised or spoken at events organized by international organizations and institutions (e.g., APEC, BIS, ICC, UNCITRAL, WTO), and the private sector. He is regularly interviewed by the media.

Q&A

1:25pm-1:57pm AEDT

Closing remarks

1:57pm-2pm AEDT