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# ***SPECIAL PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT***

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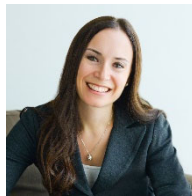
***THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE ASSOCIATION OF GREATER CHICAGO***

Invites you to a special luncheon program:

## ***IP PROTECTION IN CHINA: HOW TO KEEP IT FROM BEING AN OXYMORON***

Presentation by:

**Caroline Berube**



**Managing Partner  
HJM Asia Law & Co. LLC (China)**

Enhanced IP protection for U.S. companies is one of the highly contentious issues in the current U.S. – China trade dispute. Caroline Berube, who has practiced commercial law in Asia for 20 years, brings a practical perspective and insight to this chronic and ever-changing issue.

In her presentation, Caroline will address the myths and realities of IP protection in China and provide practical business examples and strategies. Specifically, she will address:

- Ways to protect your brands, domain names, patents, and copyrights in China.
- Common pitfalls to avoid when dealing with Chinese authorities, local partners, and the legal system.
- How to do business while minimizing your risks and maximizing your IP protection in this dynamic part of the world.

Caroline is a regular speaker at many international conferences in North America, Europe and Asia on corporate and commercial law, employment and IP matters in Asia, with a strong focus on China and South East Asia. She has represented international corporate clients and family-owned companies in M&A cross-border manufacturing and technology transactions and IP in the Asia Pacific region for 20 years. She was elected Secretary General of the Inter-Pacific Bar Association in April 2017 and is also the Co-Chair of the China Working Group of the International Bar Association (“IBA”) and is an officer of the Intellectual Property Committee of the IBA. Caroline’s clients are active in technology, trading, manufacturing, retail, e-commerce and services.

**Wednesday, June 5, 2019**

**CARLUCCI ROSEMONT**

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11:45 a.m. – Registration

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