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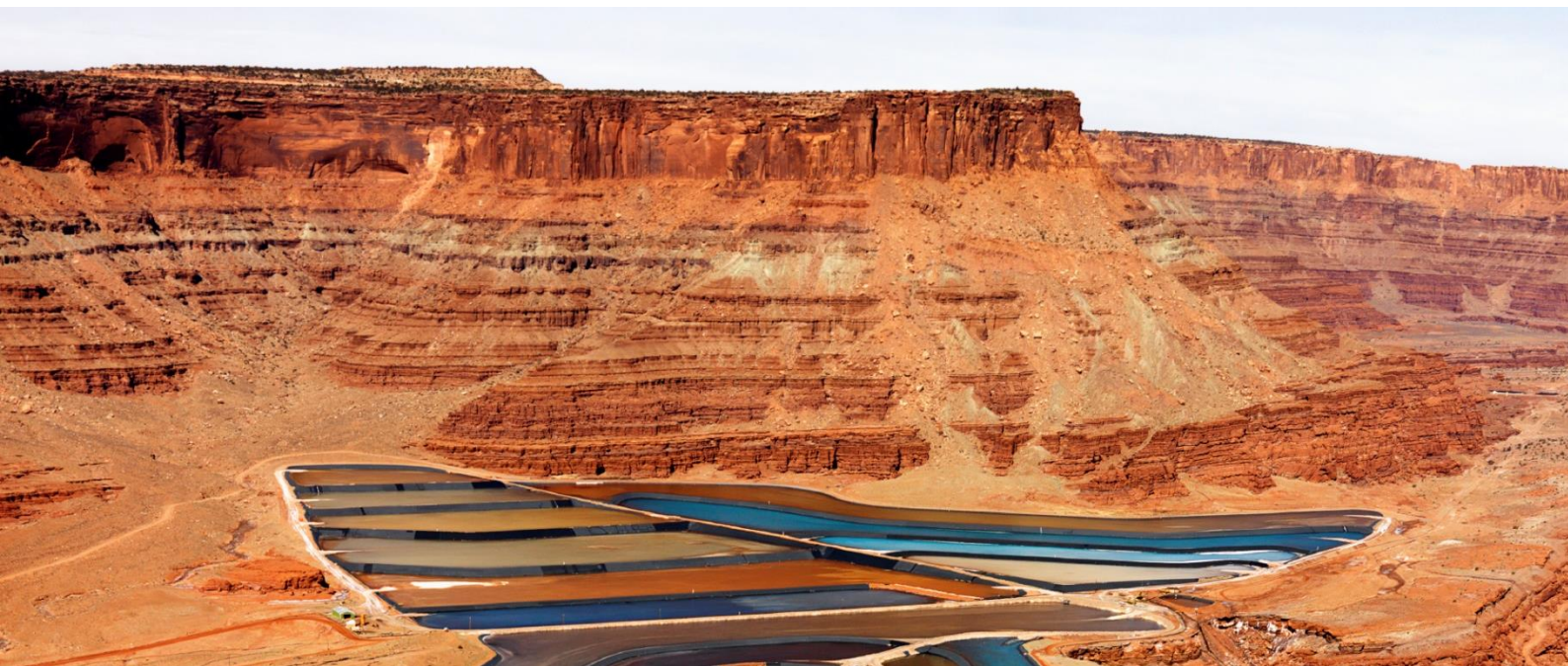
Strategic Dialogue on Sustainable Raw Materials for Europe

Cooperation on Sustainable Raw Materials for China and Europe

China People's Palace Hotel
Beijing, China, 26-27 September 2017

Detailed programme

Final version (June 2017)



STRADE addresses the long-term security and sustainability of the European raw material supply from European and non-European countries to develop dialogue-based, innovative policy recommendations for a European strategy on future raw-material supplies.

EU-China workshops in Beijing on 26-27 September 2017

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Background of the organizer

The workshops are organized by STRADE, (Strategic Dialogue on Sustainable Raw Materials for Europe) an EU-funded research project focusing on the development of dialogue-based, innovative policy recommendations for a European strategy on future raw materials supplies.

STRADE addresses the long-term security and sustainability of the European raw-material supply from European and non-European countries. Using a dialogue-based approach, the project brings together governments, industry and civil society to deliver policy recommendations for an innovative European strategy on future EU mineral raw-material supplies.

The project holds environmental and social sustainability as its foundation in its approach to augmenting the security of the European Union mineral raw-material supply and enhancing competitiveness of the EU mining industry.

Over a three year period (2016-2018), the STRADE Consortium of 7 independent partners – Oeko-Institute (Germany), SNL Financial (Sweden), Projekt-Consult (Germany), University of Dundee (UK), Georange (Sweden), University of Witwatersrand (South Africa), DMT Kai Batla (South Africa) – brings together practical experience, legislation, best-practice technologies and know-how by addressing:

- Strengthening the European raw-materials sector
- A European cooperation strategy with resource-rich countries
- Internationally sustainable raw-material production & supply

For more details about STRADE, please visit the project website www.STRADEproject.eu.

Co-operating organisations

- China Nonferrous Metals Association (CNIA)/ Antaike
- Information Centre of Ministry of Land and Resources
- China Geological Survey (to be confirmed)
- China Mining Association (to be confirmed)
- SUN Trans

Venue

China People's Palace Hotel, No.1 Zhenwumiao Road, Fuxingmen Ave, Xicheng District, Beijing.

Website: <http://www.zgzgj.com>

Date and time

Tues. 26 Sep (12:00-18:00) – Wed. 27 Sep 2017 (8:30-16:00)

The workshop will occur directly after the China Mining conference ending Mon. 25 Sep 2017.

Participants

The workshop is open through invitation only and designed for around 50 participants from industry, government and research.

Simultaneous translation Chinese/ English and vice versa will be provided.

The workshop is free of charge to invited participants.

Tuesday, 26 September 2017

12:00 **Arrival – *Registration***

12:15 **Lunch**

13:15 **Opening remarks – *by Chinese representative and STRADE team.***

13:30 **Session 1 – *Europe and China similar import dependence - a foundation for cooperation?***

- *What is the EU response to supply security?*
- *What is the Chinese response to supply security?*
- *Are there common grounds for cooperation?*

Presentations by Chinese experts

Presentation by STRADE team/European experts

Open discussion

15:30 **Tea break**

16:00 **Session 2 – *Chinese investments into Europe and European investments into China in exploration/mining***

- *What are Chinese companies looking for?*
- *What are the major bottlenecks to increase investments?*
- *What are European experiences in China?*

Presentations by Chinese experts

Presentations by European experts

Open discussion

18:00 **End of day 1**

19:00 **Dinner**

Wednesday, 27 September 2017**8:30** Registration – *Welcome tea***9:00** Welcome – *summary of previous day***9:30** Session 3 – *Responsible mining and supply chain management*

- *Status quo and outlook in Europe and China - Perspectives for responsible mining practice and global due diligence along the supply chain*
- *European due diligence and consequences for European sourcing of refined metal products from China*
- *Are there agreed best practices in environment and sustainable mining?*
- *Developing a new international platform for sustainable minerals production?*

*Presentation by Chinese experts**Presentation by STRADE team**Open discussion***10:30** Tea break**10:45** Session 3 – *continuation***12:00** Lunch break**13:00** Session 4 – *Joint Chinese and European strategy for increasing net-benefit of resource-rich developing countries*

- *Lessons learnt from past engagements in resource-rich countries abroad*
- *Chinese and European engagement in the context of the Africa Mining Vision*
- *New opportunities for Sino-European cooperation in business and policy dialogues with developing countries*

*Presentation by Chinese experts**Presentation by STRADE team**Open discussion***14:00** Tea break**14:30** Session 4 – *continuation***15:45** Summary and conclusions**16:00** End of conference – *Thank you for participating!***16:00** Networking drinks**17:30** End of networking drinks**Workshops held by the STRADE partners.**

To register, please email
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Workshop location:

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 Xicheng District, Beijing

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