

Swing States and the American Election 2016

Saturday October 29, 2016

Lam Woo Center of Hong Kong Baptist University

- 8:30 Registration
- 9:00 Welcome by Prof Jean Pierre Cabestan of HKBU and Mark Michelson, Vice-Chairman of HKAC
- 9:10 Goals and Process for the Simulation by Glenn Shive of HKAC
- 9:20 Why the Swing States in American Elections? by Mark Sheldon of CUHK
- 9:40 Clinton vs Trump: Campaign Strategies and Discourse by Dr. Herbert W. Simons, Fulbright Senior Specialist
- 10:00 Break
- 10:15 Swing State delegations meet in teams
- 11:30 Views on the role of polling in elections by Prof Robert T.Y. Chung, HKU
- 12:00 Media Dynamics in the 2016 Campaign by Mike Chinoy, Senior Fellow, USC US-China Institute
- 12:30 Lunch
- 1:30 Democratic and Republican caucuses meet (M Sheldon and M Michelson as facilitators)
- 2:30 Swing State teams meet to decide on projections of voting for candidates in their states
- 3:00 Break
- 3:15 Plenary for state teams to report their projections (5 minutes each)
- 4:15 Tracking the remaining days of the campaigns for President and Congress
- 4:30 Close

Briefing for students going to the HKAC study tour to the American Southwest (Vivian Chiu)

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