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**JOINING THE WTO: THE COUNTRY-BUILDING EXERCISE
AND INTEGRATION INTO THE GLOBAL ECONOMY**

by

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This seminar will illustrate the legal framework and process of the WTO accession. By doing so, it will touch upon: (i) the state-of-play of the WTO accession over the past 12 years since the establishment of the WTO in 1995; (ii) the contributions of these results to the multilateral trading system, and to the acceding governments; and, (iii) the broader context of this WTO accession process for rebuilding/rebranding the acceding governments.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER:



Juneyoung Lee is Legal Affairs Officer of the Accessions Division of the World Trade Organization. She is currently serving the Working Party on the Accessions of The Bahamas, Bhutan, Sudan, and Uzbekistan. In 2015, she successfully accomplished in assisting WTO Members for Liberia's WTO accession. In her capacity, she provides domestic reform policy advice to WTO Acceding Governments.

Prior to joining the Accessions Division in 2012, she was responsible for Transparency Mechanism on Regional Trade Agreements in the Trade Policies Review Division for five years (2007-2012). She also worked in the Council and Trade Negotiations Committee (2005-2006).

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