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Prof. Chen Weidong got his LL.B. in Law (1996), LL.M. in International Law (1999) and Ph.D. in International Law from Wuhan University (2002). He currently works as a professor of international law and the executive director of Centre of WTO law research in Law School of UIBE and research fellow in China Institute for WTO Studies. He had worked as Visiting Scholar in Graduate Institute of International and Development Study in 2009-2010 and in Harvard Law School in 2019-2020.

### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. in international law in 2002 (Supervisor: Professor Zeng Lingliang)

Wuhan University Law School (Hubei, China)

LL.M. in 1999 and LL.B in 1996 (Supervisor: Professor Yu Minyou)

Wuhan University Law School (Hubei, China)

Researcher Fellow, The Hague Academy of International Law, Hague, Netherland, August-September 2003

Visiting Scholar, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Supervisor: Professor Joost Pauwelyn), Geneva, Switzerland, 2009-2010

Researcher Fellow, 2018 Seoul Academy of International Law, Seoul, Republic of Korea, July 2018

Visiting Scholar, Harvard Law School (Supervisor: Professor Mark Wu), 2019-2020

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Teacher, School of Law, University of International Business and Economics (Beijing, China) from 2002 until present

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Professor of international law in Law School of UIBE

Executive Director of Centre of WTO Law Research in Law School of UIBE

Research Fellow in China Institute for WTO Studies of UIBE

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

*Public International Law, China Foreign Trade Law, Private International Law* for the undergraduates of UIBE

*Frontier Issues on International Law, WTO Law* for the postgraduates of UIBE

*Public International Law, Dispute Settlement Mechanism of the WTO* for the international program (in English, Master program) of UIBE

*Rules and Operating Mechanism of the WTO* (in English) for the international training programs sponsored by Academy for International Business Officials (AIBO), MOFCOM

The Coach of the UIBE team of ICC Moot Court Competition (in English) since 2015

## **SCHOLARLY ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

### ● **Research Projects**

1. “Upgrading of Economic Globalization and China's Initiatives for the Reform of WTO Law”, Key Project, sponsored by National Social Science Fund of China, 2018, in charge;
2. “Fisheries Subsidies Negotiation in the WTO and China’s Proposal”, sponsored by Ministry of Commerce of P.R.C, 2018, in charge;
3. “Belt and Road Initiative and Improvement of International Trade and Investment Rules”, sponsored by National Development and Reform Commission of P.R.C, 2017, in charge;
4. “Fisheries Subsidies from a Multidimensional Perspective”, sponsored by State Oceanic Administration of P.R.C, 2017, in charge;
5. “The Optimization of China's Industrial Subsidies Policies from the perspective of WTO” , sponsored by Ministry of Education of P.R.C, 2013, in charge;
6. “The Case Study involving the issues of SOEs in the WTO”, sponsored by China Law Society, 2013, in charge;
7. “Research on New Legal Issues after China’s Accession to the WTO”, sponsored by National Social Science Fund of China, 2005, in charge;

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8. The Hague Academy of International Law (Netherland), Advanced Research Project, 2003.

● **Publications** (The publications are in Chinese unless otherwise indicated)

**Books and book chapters**

1. *International Trade Law*, (chief editor Prof. Wang Heng), participated and wrote “*Chapter 5: Countervailing Measures*”, Law Press of China, Beijing, 2014;
2. *Yearbook of WTO Dispute Settlement (2011-2012)*, participated and wrote “*WTO Case Review: U.S.-Anti-dumping and Countervailing Duties (DS379)*”, Law Press of China, Beijing, 2014;
3. *Study on the Relations between International Law and Domestic Law* (chief editor: Prof. Wan Exiang), participated and wrote “*Chapter 6: The Application of international law in USA*”, Peking University Press, Beijing, 2011;
4. *Yearbook of WTO Dispute Settlement (2009-2010)*, participated and wrote “*WTO Case Review: EC-Second Recourse to Article 21.5 of the DSU of Banana III by Ecuador*”, Law Press of China, Beijing, 2011;
5. *International Economic Law*, (chief editor Prof. Zuo Haicong) participated and wrote “*Chapter 15: Regional Trade Agreements and their Legal System*”, Wuhan University Press, 2010;
6. *The Textbook on the WTO Law*, (chief editor Prof. Shen Sibao), participated and wrote Chapter 1/2/9/11, UIBE Press, Beijing, first edition,2005/ second edition, 2009;
7. *Public International Law*, sole author, UIBE Press, Beijing, 2007;
8. *Case Studies on WTO Trade in Services (1996-2005)*, co-authored with Prof.Shi Jingxia, Peking University Press, Beijing, 2005;
9. *Case Studies on U.S. Safeguard Measures and Special Safeguard Measures against China*, sole author, UIBE Press, Beijing, 2005;
10. *Interpretation of WTO Exception Provisions*, sole author, University of International Business and Economics Press, Beijing, 2002.

**Articles (sole author unless otherwise indicated)**

1. *The Disputes between China and the United States Concerning Identification of Subsidy Provider for State-Owned Enterprise*, Contemporary Law Review of Jilin University, Vol.31, No.3, 2017, pp.21-30;
2. *Fighting against the NME methodologies Taken by EU and USA in DSM of the WTO*, the first author, co-authored with Prof.Yu Minyou, International Trade, No.4, 2013, pp.62-66;
3. *The Essential Issues on ‘the Status of Treaties Should be Introduced in the Constitution’*, Journal of Beijing Institute of Technology (Social Sciences Edition), Vol.14, No. 3, 2012, pp.123-131;

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4. *The Application of External Benchmark in Countervailing — Focusing the Case DS379*, Law Science of East China University of Political Science and Law, No.2, 2012, reprinted by Renmin University Copy Material-International Law, No.7, 2012, pp.10-17;
  5. *The “Specificity” of Cultural Products versus the “Generality” of Trade Obligations---Reflecting on “China- Publications and Audiovisual Products”*, Journal of World Trade, Vol.45 (2011), No.1, pp.159-186, the second author, co-authored by Professor Shi Jingxia (in English);
  6. *The Difficulties and Solutions of Cultural Policy and Measures under WTO System – Reflections on the case of “China’s Publications and Audiovisual Products”*, Studies in Law and Business of Zhongnan University of Economics and Law, No.4, 2010, pp.52-62, the first author, co-authored with Shi Jingxia;
  7. *A Legal Analysis of U.S’s Special Safeguard Measures on Chinese Tires Products—Focused on Article 16 of China’s Accession Protocol*, Legal Science of East China University of Political Science and Law, No.3, 2010, reprinted by Renmin University Copy Material-International Law, No.7, 2010, pp.51-59;
  8. *The Classification of Self-executing Treaties and Non-self-executing Treaties in the United States*, Law Review of Wuhan University, No.2, 2009, pp.69-75;
  9. *The Status of International Customary Law in U.S. Law*, Orient Law Review in Shanghai, 2009, No.2, pp.95-111;
  10. *The Later-in-time Rule in Implementation of Treaties in U.S.*, Law Journal of Gansu, 2009, No.1, pp.22-29;
  11. *Execution of the Judgements of International Court of Justice in U.S.*, Contemporary Law Review of Jilin University, 2008, No.6, pp.138-143;
  12. *Exploration of the Legal Basis to Build up Free Trade Area in East Asia*, Journal of Liaoning University, 2006, No.5, pp.140-146;
  13. *Implementation of Public Health Policies under WTO Regime: Comments from the Perspective of Dispute Settlement*, Contemporary Law Review of Jilin University, 2006, No.2, pp.31-37;
  14. *Comments on Gambling Service Dispute between Antigua and United States*, Journal of International Business of UIBE, Vol.20 (2006), No.1, pp.36-40;
  15. *FOOD SAFETY AND TRADE: HOW TO DECIDE THE APPROPRIATE LEVEL OF FOOD SAFETY?---Comparative Study of Trade Dispute Settlement about Food Safety in WTO and EC*, Ahmed Mahiou and Francis Snyder (eds), La Sécurité alimentaire / Food Security and Food Safety (The Hague Academy of International Law, Martinus Nijhoff, Leiden and Boston, 2006);
  16. *Law and Practice of US’s Special Safeguard Action on Imports from China*, Xiamen University Journal of International Economic Law, Vol.12(2005), No.2, pp.94-116;
  17. *Certain Legal Issues of Safeguard in Regional Trade Agreements and China’s Counter-strategies*, Journal of International Business of UIBE, Vol.18 (2004), No.5, pp.29-32;
  18. *Criticism on US ITC’s Criteria for Finding Market Disruption Caused by Products from China*, Law

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- Review of Wuhan University, Vol.22 (2004), No.4, pp.109-115;
19. *How Relevant are Safeguard Measures to Trade in Service?* Journal of International Business of UIBE, Vol.17 (2003), No.6, pp.88-91;
20. *The Rules of Safeguards of WTO and the Improvement of Regulations in China*, in Sunwanzhong (ed.), Collected Works of Symposium of Chinese Society of International Law: 2002, pp.100-137;
21. *Studies on Direct Effects of WTO Agreements*, in Prof. Huang Jing (ed.), *Collected Works of Symposium of Chinese Society of International Law: 2001*, pp.747-766;
22. *Direct Effects of WTO Agreements in EU and Its Enlightenment for China*, Wuhan University Law Review, Vol.19 (2001), No.3, pp. 94-102 and No.4, pp.90-97;
23. *Perspectives on WTO Agreement on Government Procurement*, Journal of Postgraduates in Wuhan University, Vol.17 (2001), No.4, pp.42-46;
24. *The General Exceptions of WTO and the Implication to China*, Legal Forum of Shandong Law Society, Vol.16 (2001), No.4, pp.32-49;
25. *Recent Developments of Applying Conditions of Safeguards Measures in the WTO and China's Tactics*, The Journal of Fujian Institute of Political Science & Law, Vol.3 (2001), No.3, pp.38-40;
26. *Implementation of WTO Agreements in International Law*, Law Review of Wuhan University, Vol.19. (2001), No.2, pp.158-160;
27. *The European Communities' Policies and Practice Towards the WTO Disputes Settlement Mechanism: Comments from the Prospective of International Law*, Law Review of Wuhan University, Vol.18 (2000), No.3, pp.3-17;
28. *Impacts of Regional Integration on Multilateral Trading System: Taking EC as an Example*, Journal of Wuhan University, Vol.53 (2000), No.3, pp.337-343.
29. *The Legal Issues about Peace-keeping Force of UN in the Era of Post-Cold-War*, Law Review of Wuhan University, Vol.17 (1999), No.1, pp.3-17.

## **MEMBERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

Director of the Chinese Society of International Law

Director of the China Association of Legal Education

Executive Director of the WTO Law Research Society of the China Law Society

Executive Director of the European Law Research Association of the Chinese Association for European Studies

## **PROFESSIONAL HONORS AND AWARDS**

1. The Best Coach and the Overall Winner, Chinese National Round of International Criminal Court (ICC) Moot Court Competition (in English, more than 20 teams), 2015, 2017 and 2018, 29<sup>th</sup> place of 2018 Global

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Competition in Hague (65 teams), hold by Leiden University.

2. The First Prize, Chinese National Round of International Criminal Court (ICC) Moot Court Competition (in English), 2016.
3. “The Specificity of Cultural Products versus the Generality of Trade Obligations--- Reflecting on China-Publications and Audiovisual Products (the second author)” was awarded the second prize of the seventeenth An Zijie International Trade Research Award (2012);
4. “Dispute Settlement and Interpretations of Rules on Trade Remedy Measures against China---Focus on the WTO Cases Claimed by China” was awarded the third prize of the 7th China Trade Remedy and Industry Security Research Award by Ministry of Commerce (2012);
5. “The Specificity of Cultural Products versus the Generality of Trade Obligations: Reflecting on China-Publication and Audiovisual Service” was awarded the third prize of National Business Development Research Award by Ministry of Commerce (2011);
6. “Study on WTO Exception Provisions” (Supervisor Professor Zeng Lingliang) was awarded Nomination of the National Distinguished Doctoral Dissertation Award (2004);
7. “Interpretation on the WTO Exception Provisions” was awarded the Fifth National Foreign Trade Research Award by Ministry of Commerce (2003).