

Lunch Presentation by Visiting Shangahi Scholars

Drug Sale Management in China

Wednesday, April 24, 2013

12:00 – 1:30 PM

Note: Please bring your own lunch

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Mr. Chen and Mr. Wu will present on drug sale management in China. Their presentation will be broken down into two parts. Part one introduces drug distribution administration in China, including the general situation about drug administration, the organization structure of CFDA (China Food and Drug Administration), responsibilities of CFDA, the business environment for drug distribution companies in China, and existing problems in the regulatory process of drug distribution.

Part two introduces regulations related to pharmacies, development of online drug sale, and supervision in China. In addition, the presenters will also compare differences between China and the U.S. and point out several challenges in pharmacy service and administration in China.

Mr. Chen and Mr. Wu are two visiting scholars under the blue bird visiting scholar program that demonstrates the strong partnership between the O'Neill Institute and the Shanghai FDA. Since Fall 2011, the O'Neill Institute has hosted eight officials for detailed comparative research on drug and medical device safety issues. In Fall 2013, O'Neill Institute will host another two SHFDA officials to conduct research on food safety.