DAY ONE: LAW

(Coffee/Tea 8:30–9:00 a.m.)

I. INTRODUCTORY REMARKS (9:00–10:15 a.m.)

Ronald Brown, Welcome
Significance of Ethnic Law and Ethno-TCM

Gary Ostrander, Importance of Chinese
Indigenous People Studies and Research

Wang Ju, Chinese Ethnic Minorities and Role of
Commission, PRC

(Coffee/Tea Break 10:15–10:30 a.m.)

II. ETHNIC MINORITIES: LEGAL BOUNDARIES OF AUTONOMY

A. Legal Position (10:30–12:00 p.m.)

Xu Zhong Qi, “Legalities in China’s Ethnic
Autonomous Regions”

Carl Christensen, “U.S. and Hawai’i
Autonomous Groups”

Panel and Discussant: Melody MacKenzie

(Lunch 12:00–1:30 p.m.)

B. Conservation/Preservation and Use of
Resources (1:30–2:45 p.m.)

Wang Xin, “Local Autonomy Issues on Chinese
Minority Lands with Herbal Medicines”

Jon Van Dyke, “Int’l & U.S. Aspects”

Discussion: Constraints of Regulation;
Commercial Uses and Heritage
Commentator: Carol Fox
Panel: Danielle Conway-Jones & Denise Antolini

(Coffee/Tea Break 2:45–3:00 p.m.)

C. Roundtable Discussion: Visiting Chinese
Ethnic Nationalities Students (3:00–4:15 p.m.)

William Nitzky, Moderator

DAY TWO: MEDICINE

(Coffee/Tea 8:30–9:00 a.m.)

III. TRADITIONAL CHINESE MEDICINE (TCM)

A. Contributions in TCM and Ethno-
Medicine (9:00–10:30 a.m.)

Dr. Zhang Liping, “TCM and Ethno-Medicine:
Types, Sources, and Contributions”

Dr. Rosanne Harrigan, “American Medicine:
Allopathic and Integrative”

“Connections”- Commentator: Dr. Lillian Chang-
Cancer Research; Panelist: Ms. Sun Yali

(Coffee/Tea Break 10:30–10:45 a.m.)

B. Legal Regulation (10:45–12:00 p.m.)

Han Xiao Bing, “Distinctions of Legal Protection
for China’s Minority Traditional Medicine”

James Pietsch, “U.S. Experience Regulating Non-
Allopathic Medicine”

“Professional & Business Aspects” Commentator:
Dr. Chris McNally; Panelist: Huang Fukai

CLOSING REMARKS

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