Chinese scientists, technology professionals, and federal government employees in the United States have increasingly become the focus of criminal investigations and prosecutions involving national security, intellectual property theft, and corporate espionage in the United States.

The Committee of 100, in collaboration with APAPA (Asian Pacific-Islander American Public Affairs Association), will be hosting a seminar at Stanford University on Trade Secrets and Economic Espionage - Legal Risks in Advancing Technology between the U.S. and China. This event will explore issues particularly relevant to Chinese American and Asian American federal employees, government contractors, and professionals in the STEM fields.

EVENT PROGRAM:
Committee of 100 members George Koo and Brian Sun will begin by discussing the complex U.S. legal environment, historical context, and geo-political background surrounding cases of economic espionage and trade secrets. They will also explore some of the more notable cases that have been brought by the government against Chinese American scientists and government employees.

Special guest Sherry Chen is a federal employee who was arrested and charged on economic espionage charges that were then dropped without explanation while her reputation and finances suffered as a result. She will also be in attendance to share her experiences.

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