

Talk and discussion
with
Dr. Glenn Tiffert (Hoover Institution, Stanford University)

“Research Security and China: A U.S. Perspective”

Time

30 April 2026, 13:15–14:45

Venue

Ruhr University Bochum
Faculty of East Asian Studies (OAW)
Building MB / Floor 3, Room 126
Universitätsstr. 150, 44801 Bochum

Research security is a rapidly developing field among advanced economies and it has never been more important for partner nations among them to build interoperable systems for managing it. This talk will cover recent research security developments in the United States and the necessity of keeping pace with an evolving risk environment to sustain and expand the global scientific commons.

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About the speaker

Glenn Tiffert is a distinguished research fellow at the Hoover Institution and a historian of modern China. He co-chairs Hoover’s programme on the U.S., China, and the World and directs Stanford’s participation in the \$67 million SECURE programme to bolster the security of the U.S. research enterprise. His work focuses on the integrity of knowledge ecosystems, science and technology policy, and the domestic and international affairs of the People’s Republic of China and foreign influence operations. His publications include *Eyes Wide Open: Ethical Risks in Research Collaboration with China* (2021) and *Silicon Triangle: The United States, Taiwan, China, and Global Semiconductor Security* (2023).