



# The US-South Korea Alliance and East Asia

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9:45-10:00 AM      Welcome Remarks by Dr. Young Sok Kim, Republic of Korea Consul General in Chicago

10:00-12:00 PM      **Panel 1 – US-Korea Relations**

Sheena Greitens (University of Texas-Austin)

The Democratic Model for Managing Covid-19: Implications for US-South Korea Relations

Sung-Joon Cho (Illinois Institute of Technology)

Widening the Winners' Circle: The Future of Korean External Economic Relations

Aram Hur (University of Missouri)

Korea's Changing Nationalism and Implications for U.S.-Korea Alliance

Terence Roehrig (US Naval War College)

Returning U.S. Tactical Nuclear Weapons to Korea: A Bad Idea to Reinforce the Alliance

1:00-3:00 PM      **Panel 2 – Korea, East Asia and the United States**

Wonjae Hwang (University of Tennessee)

Taking a Side Between the US and China: South Korea's Hedging Strategy and the South Korea-US Alliance

Shale Horowitz (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)

South Korea-U.S. Relations in China's Shadow: The Impact of Korean National Identity

Uk Heo (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee)

US Military Deployment and Its Effects on South Korea's Politics and Economy

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