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## Opening of the International Centre of Excellence on Coal Mine Methane in China

*Tianjin Meijiang Convention and Exhibition Centre  
Tianjin, China.*

**24 September 2017 (Sunday)**

### **WORKSHOP**

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#### **COAL MINE METHANE INTERNATIONAL FORUM**

##### ***BEST PRACTICES IN COAL MINE METHANE DRAINAGE AND UTILIZATION***

- 10:30      Presentation of [UNECE Group of Experts on CMM](#) by its Chair  
             – Mr. Raymond Pilcher
- Public-Private Partnerships and the Role of International Centers of  
             Excellence in the Sustainable Development of Coal Mine Methane Projects  
             (Mr. Pilcher)
- Keynote speech by Chinese speaker TBA
- Best Practice* Benefits and Challenges to China (Dr. Creedy)
- Implementation of Coal Mine Methane Projects; Strategic Role of Coal Mine  
             Methane in Climate Change Mitigation (Mr. Talkington)
- Additional Chinese speaker TBA
- 12:25      Workshop conclusion and closing speech