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Energiretsforeningen inviterer i samarbejde med Center for Offentlig Regulering og Administration (CORA), Det Juridiske Fakultet, Københavns Universitet, til et møde med fokus på det meget aktuelle emne

Climate Change and Energy Policies in US after the American election

Mødedato:

Mandag den 12. december 2016, kl. 16.15-18.15 (ca.)

Sted: Studiegården, Studiestræde 6, (indgang mellem uglerne), Kantinen, 3. etage, lokale 02-3-44 (elevator og trappe), 1455 København K.

Speaker:

Don C. Smith, Associate Professor of the Practice of Law at the University of Denver College of Law.

Don Smith is the former director of the Environmental & Natural Resources program and currently the editor of the Journal of Energy & Natural Resources Law of the International Bar Association. He writes and teaches about comparative environmental law and US unconventional oil and gas development. He has an undergraduate degree in journalism from the University of Kansas, a juris doctorate from the Washburn University School of Law in Kansas, and an LLM in European Union law from the Faculty of Law at the University of Leicester, England.

The election of Donald J. Trump as America's 45th president signals the almost certain likelihood of enormous changes in US climate change and energy policies. Unlike his opponent, Hillary Clinton who believed anthropogenic climate change is happening, Trump has said that the concept is a "hoax" perpetrated by the Chi-

nese government. He has said that he will encourage the burning of coal for energy generation. And he has said that he will disband the Clean Power Plan, the Obama Administration law that would significantly reduce carbon emissions from the power sector. Finally, he has said that on 20 January 2017, the day he is inaugurated as president, he will effectively pull the US out of the Paris Climate Accords. The differences between the in-coming Trump Administration and the outgoing Obama Administration could not be more profound. This talk will review what Trump said about energy and climate change during the campaign, as well as his initial steps in the transition period to fulfill – or amend – those pledges.

Arrangementet afholdes på engelsk.

Efter det faglige program bydes på forfriskninger.

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Med venlig hilsen

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