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# **TRADE AND TRANSPORTATION: UNF will host business discussion on China**

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The University of North Florida is scheduled Friday to host a breakfast discussion about doing business in China.

The three-hour event, which is sponsored by the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, is designed to explore the opportunities for doing business in China as well as the challenges presented by changes to the country's laws and regulations following admittance to the World Trade Organization.

Business executives, educators and attorneys are expected to describe their recent experiences with China.

"The purpose is to relate to the business community individual perspectives of the obstacles and opportunities of doing business in China," roundtable organizer Jim Valenti said. "Mainly it's for North Florida businesses."

The event will include a 7:30 a.m. continental breakfast followed by a round-table discussion from 8 to 10:30 a.m.