

China-Nordic Law Center (CNLC)

A research center located at East China University of Political Science and Law in cooperation with Faculty of Law at the University of Oslo

The China-Nordic Law Center (CNLC) was established in November 2019 and formally opened January 18 2021. The center is unit under East China University of Political Science and Law (ECUPL) but cooperates jointly and closely with Oslo Law Faculty (UiO Law). There are two co-directors, from respectively ECUP and UiO Law.

East China University of Political Science and Law was established in 1952 and has been a central research institution in law and politics. ECUPL is one of the few academic institutions in China solely specializing in legal education and research. See further information [East China University of Political Science and Law - Wikipedia](#) and [International Exchange Center \(ecupl.edu.cn\)](#).

The Faculty of Law at the University of Oslo was established in 1811 and is today a leading law faculty currently (2021) ranked as no 59 in the world. See further information [Home - The Faculty of Law \(uio.no\)](#) and [University of Oslo Faculty of Law - Wikipedia](#)

See the statutes of the CNLC [link vedlegg 5].

The aims of CNLC

CNLC is an open, academic and international platform to facilitate joint research on law and other relevant disciplines. The aim is partly to conduct legal research in collaboration between Oslo and Shanghai and partly to do legal comparative research. All legal disciplines are relevant but presently there are an agreement on working in particular on international law, commercial law, environmental law, criminal and criminal procedure law, legal sociology and legal history.

People

From 2021, Professor Chen Jingying (Vice President at ECUPL) and Professor Dag Michalsen (UiO Law) are co-directors at CNLC.

Arrangements