

Changhua Wu

Position

China Director, Office of Jeremy Rifkin;
Executive Director, Professional Association for China's Environment;
Chief Strategist, CN Innovation;
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Country

China

Career history

Changhua Wu is a specialist and policy analyst of China's sustainable development, an advisor to governments and corporations on sustainability strategy and innovation, a strategist of public and private partnership engagement for clean energy transformation and an advocate for climate leadership. She was one of the 15 global women leaders recognized by the Time magazine in 2019 for their leadership in fighting climate change.

She supports Jeremy Rifkin's China/Asia strategic engagement, with a particular focus on digitalization for sustainability. As Vice Chair of the Governing Council of Asia Pacific Water Forum and a member of the Asian Development Bank's Water Advisory Group, she contributes her expertise to advance water security and sustainable development in Asia. She is a member of World Economic Forum Global Future Council on Clean Electricity and also a board member of Global Infrastructure Basel Foundation, which champions sustainable infrastructure financing standard.

She serves as the Executive Director of the Professional Association for China's Environment (PACE) and sits on the Executive Committee of International Finance Forum (IFF). Earlier, she was the Greater China Director of the Climate Group, CEO of ENSR, Director of China Studies for the World Resources Institute, and Editor for the English Edition of the China Environment News.