

# About ChinaSF

Founded in 2008, with our head office in San Francisco, and offices in Shanghai, Beijing, and Shenzhen, ChinaSF is an economic initiative of the city of San Francisco and the Office of Economic and Workforce Development in close partnership with the San Francisco Center for Economic Development.

ChinaSF's mission is to promote economic growth in the San Francisco Bay Area through the recruitment and retention of companies in San Francisco via inbound investment, meanwhile helping San Francisco companies expand into the China market.

## Our Accomplishments

- ▶ Assisted **1000+** Chinese companies to the U.S.
- ▶ Directly recruited **70+** Chinese companies to SF Bay Area
- ▶ **\$3 billion** economic impact in San Francisco
- ▶ Created **500+** jobs in San Francisco Bay Area

# CHINA SF

## 旧金山市对华办公室

At ChinaSF, we *make* deals happen

### Our Sponsors



### Our Strategic Partners



### Networks



### Our Sister & Friendship Cities

Changchun    Chaozhou    Chengdu    Fujian    Guiyang    Qingdao  
Shanghai    Shaoguan    Shijiazhuang    Taizhou    Wuhan

# Why Choose San Francisco



## Global Knowledge Hub

- ❖ Work productivity is **2x** that of the nation
- ❖ More than **50%** of Bay Area residents have 4- year degrees or higher, and a full **20%** of City residents hold graduate degrees
- ❖ Produces more patents than anywhere else in the US

## Industry Leader

- ❖ Investment in Biotech industry attracted more than **\$4.7 billion** in 2015
- ❖ Home to **2,200+** technology companies, including some of the world’s largest tech companies: Airbnb, Salesforce, Uber, Twitter, and Dropbox
- ❖ Among top US metropolitan areas for startup activity

## Investment Capital

- ❖ In the fourth quarter of 2016, venture capital was the highest in the nation, reaching **\$2 billion**
- ❖ Received **43%** of all U.S venture capital
- ❖ **#2** in the US for top real estate investment region

# What We Do / Our Services

Our services for Chinese companies include:

- ❖ **Initiation & Planning:** Strategize how to successfully enter the US market while limiting risk, and target potential opportunities.
- ❖ **Access & Connections:** Introductions to government & private sector leaders, connections with local services such as immigration and finance, and providing information on San Francisco real estate market, as well as incentive programs.
- ❖ **Promotion & Engagement:** Exposure for Chinese companies through engaging the Mayor’s Office, the Office of Economic and Workforce Development, San Francisco’s Chamber of Commerce, and other industry associations.



Legal Services



Financial Services



Tax & Accounting



Government



B2B Partnerships



Marketing & PR



Human Resources



Office Space

# Support from Government

San Francisco is open for business and welcomes foreign investment. Under the leadership of the Office of Economic and Workforce Development, the following initiatives were created to work with foreign companies:

- ❖ ChinaSF
- ❖ LatinSF
- ❖ SF Asia

In addition, the city has the Port of San Francisco Foreign Trade Zone #3.



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