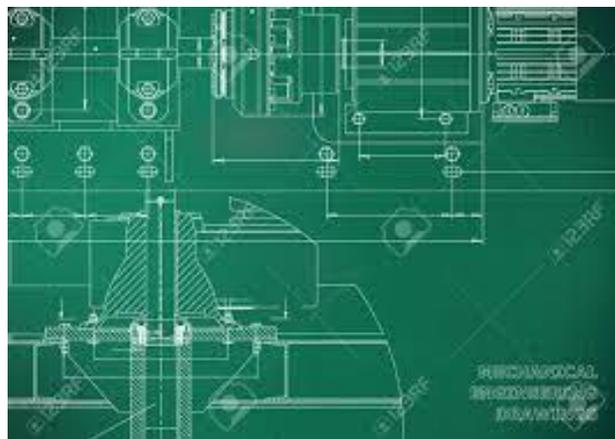


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## NEWS AND UPDATES

### Harvard's chemistry chair charged with lying about China contract

“Federal prosecutors on Tuesday charged a top Harvard University scientist with lying to the Department of Defense about his work for a Chinese-run talent recruitment program. Charles M. Lieber, the chair of Harvard's Department of Chemistry and Chemical Biology, allegedly violated federal law by not disclosing his involvement in China's Thousand Talents Plan to the Defense Department, including money he received, according to the charging document”... <https://www.nbcnews.com/news/us-news/harvard-s-chemistry-chair-charged-allegedly-lying-about-china-contract-n1124646>

### University of Missouri ending ties with Confucius Institute

“The University of Missouri will end a nine-year partnership with the Confucius Institute in August because of changing federal guidelines for the program, university officials announced Wednesday”... [https://www.stltoday.com/news/local/education/university-of-missouri-ending-ties-with-confucius-institute/article\\_6f6ca1d0-5256-5e94-8e21-296ceb563825.html](https://www.stltoday.com/news/local/education/university-of-missouri-ending-ties-with-confucius-institute/article_6f6ca1d0-5256-5e94-8e21-296ceb563825.html)

### Raytheon engineer arrested for taking US missile defense secrets to China

“When Wei Sun, a 48-year-old engineer at Raytheon Missile Systems, left for an overseas trip last year, he told the company he planned to bring his company-issued HP EliteBook 840 laptop along”... <https://qz.com/1795127/raytheon-engineer-arrested-for-taking-us-missile-defense-secrets-to-china/>

### Former Monsanto employee accused of stealing trade secrets

“A former Monsanto employee was arrested Sunday on federal charges claiming he stole trade secrets from the company. The arrest comes more than two years after Haitao Xiang, now 42, was detained at Chicago's O'Hare International Airport while boarding a flight to Shanghai, China, with proprietary Monsanto software, charging documents say. It wasn't immediately clear Monday why Xiang was not been charged before now”... [https://www.stltoday.com/business/local/former-monsanto-employee-accused-of-stealing-trade-secrets/article\\_ee3bcf85-c5b1-5221-9033-1659d2bbdee4.html](https://www.stltoday.com/business/local/former-monsanto-employee-accused-of-stealing-trade-secrets/article_ee3bcf85-c5b1-5221-9033-1659d2bbdee4.html)

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## EXPORT CONTROL FACTS

### What is Export Control?

Export control regulations are federal laws that prohibit the unlicensed export of certain commodities or information for reasons of national security or protections of trade. Export controls usually arise for one or more of the following reasons:

- The nature of the export has actual or potential military applications or economic protection issues.
- Government concerns about the destination country, organization, or individual.
- Government concerns about the declared or suspected end use or the end user of the export.

### What is an Export?

An export is any oral, written, electronic, or visual disclosure, shipment, transfer, or transmission of commodities, technology, information, technical data, assistance, or software codes to:

- Anyone outside the U.S., including a U.S. citizen
- A non-U.S. individual wherever they are (deemed export)
- A foreign affiliate, business, or university

## EQUIPMENT USED IN RESEARCH

If you use the following equipment/goods in your research or the below is your area of research, please call the Director of Export Controls at 618-650-2476.

Thermal batteries .....	9A604
Thermal ionization mass spectrometers (TIMS).....	3A233.c
Thermal sensors, optical fiber .....	6A002.d.3
Thermoplastic liquid crystal copolymers.....	1C008.b
Thermoset resin impregnated materials.....	1C210.c
Thio-ethers, as lubricating fluids .....	1C006.b.1
Thiodiglycol.....	1C350.b.22
Thionyl chloride.....	1C350.c.9
Thrust tabs, thrust vector control subsystems .....	9A106.c
Thrust vector control sub-system .....	9A106.c

## "THE DAILY BUGLE" QUOTES

Walt Whitman (Walter Whitman; 31 May 1819 - 26 Mar 1892; was an American poet, essayist, and journalist. A humanist, he was a part of the transition between transcendentalism and realism, incorporating both views in his works. Whitman is among the most influential poets in the American canon, often called the father of free verse.)

*- "There is no week nor day nor hour when tyranny may not enter upon this country, if the people lose their roughness and spirit of defiance."*

## REGULATIONS

- [DOC EXPORT ADMINISTRATION REGULATIONS \(EAR\)](#)
- [DOS INTERNATIONAL TRAFFIC IN ARMS REGULATIONS \(ITAR\)](#)
- [DOT FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL REGULATIONS \(OFAC FACR\)](#)

