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First Mid to Host Free Webinar on Tariffs & Their Economic Impact

Mattoon, IL (May 20, 2025) First Mid is pleased to announce an upcoming free webinar titled *Tariffs & Their Impact on the Economy*, designed to help individuals and businesses better understand how trade policy shapes financial markets, supply chains, and overall economic growth. Presenter Iris Wang, Vice President of Portfolio Management for Asset Management Services (AMS) at Raymond James Financial, will explore the current state of global trade, recent developments in tariff policy, and what they mean for businesses, investors, and consumers alike.

With a background in fixed income securities, Wang is currently responsible for setting asset allocation policy and making investment decisions for AMS discretionary portfolios and the Raymond James Strategic Recommended models. She joined the industry in 2008 and Raymond James in 2022. Holding a B.S. in Economics and International Business from China University of Political Science and Law and a master's degree in finance from Case Western Reserve University, Wang earned her Chartered Financial Analyst designation in 2014 and has extensive experience in investment research and portfolio management for institutional assets.

“Trade policies can create ripple effects across industries and communities,” said Brad Beesley, Chief Executive Officer at First Mid Wealth Management. “This webinar is part of our ongoing commitment to provide timely insights that help our customers and communities make informed financial decisions.”

Whether you’re a business owner looking to manage risk, an investor tracking market trends, or simply interested in global economics, this session offers valuable context and takeaways.

The free webinar will take place on Thursday, June 5, 2025, from 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. (CT), and is open to the public. Registration is required. To register for the webinar, visit firstmid.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_jWbCpbByRmyzkDLrBw8vBw. Those interested in registering can also contact their First Mid relationship manager.

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