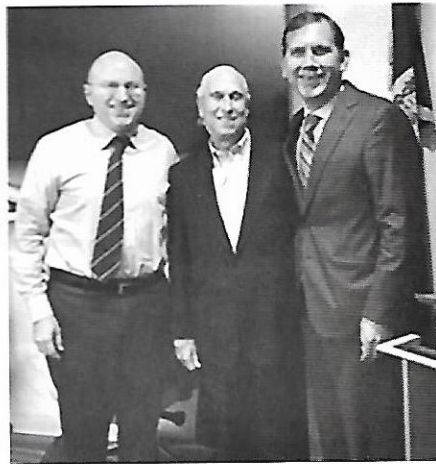


Professor Stuart S. Malawer (J.D./Ph.D.)- Editor of China and WTO Review - received a *Certification of Appreciation* from the Virginia Economic Development Partnership (VEDP) for 12-years of service on its Board of Director and its International Trade Advisory Committee. The VEDP is the lead economic development agency for the Commonwealth of Virginia. It focuses on export promotion and foreign direct investment. Virginia has been recognized as the “Best State for Doing Business in the U.S.” for the last two years. The President of the VEDP stated: “I’ve always appreciated your discussion of complicated legal, economic and policy issues concerning trade promotion and foreign investment. I particularly appreciated your view that state economic development involving incentives and the role public universities can play in the economic development in our Commonwealth. Your focus on all regions of Virginia were especially important.” Dr. Malawer has been a gubernatorial appointee over twelve years by four Virginia governors of both major parties-Governor Tim Kaine, Governor Bob McDonnell, Governor Terry McAuliffe, and Governor Ralph Northam. He currently serves during the current administration of the new Virginia Governor Glenn Youngkin.



Professor Stuart Malawer (center)

The former President Steve Moret (left) and the current President Jason El-Koubi (right)