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Pan Yishan Conducts Field Visits at Enterprises and Universities in Chaoyang City



On April 22, 2025, Pan Yishan, Secretary of the CPC Committee of Liaoning University (LNU) led a team to conduct research and exchanges at the Bank of China, Chaoyang Branch and Chaoyang Normal University. He carried out a series of enterprise-visiting and job-expanding activities to promote cooperation between universities and enterprises as well as cooperation between universities. Zhang Hongxin, Deputy Secretary of the Party Committee joined the activities.

Pan Yishan and his team held a discussion with Wang Hailong, President of the Chaoyang Branch of the Bank of China along with other

officials. He expressed his gratitude to the Chaoyang Branch of the Bank of China for its long-term support to LNU. He noted that universities should cooperate closely with local enterprises and deeply integrate into the local socio-economic development. By going out of the campus, going into the society, and going up to a higher level, it is important to promote the integration of talent cultivation, scientific research, and social services. He stated that relying on the disciplinary advantages and talent think tanks of LNU, efforts should be made to assist the local communities in solving practical

problems and realize the transformation of scientific research from focusing on theories to real practices so as to contribute wisdom and strength to the high-quality economic and social development of Chaoyang City.

Wang Hailong introduced the history, institutional setup, staff of the branch as well as the cooperation between the branch and LNU in terms of graduate employment and talent cultivation. The two sides jointly watched the promotional videos of Chaoyang City and the Bank of China and conducted exchanges and discussions centering on themes such as university-enterprise cooperation, talent cultivation and financial service support.

In the afternoon, Pan Yishan and his entourage went to Chaoyang Normal University for field visits. The two sides held a signing ceremony for the Strategic Cooperation Framework Agreement between Liaoning University and Chaoyang Normal University.

Pan Yishan gained an in-depth understanding of the historical evolution, the progress of upgrading to a four-year undergraduate university, and the development of characteristic disciplines of Chaoyang

Normal University. He spoke highly of the development of the university. He stated that Liaoning University would give full play to the leading role of as a "Double First-Class" university and continuously support Chaoyang Normal University in making continuous progress to new levels in aspects such as discipline development, faculty improvement and scientific research.

Sun Shiguo, Secretary of the Party Committee of Chaoyang Normal University, Da Kening, President of the university and other officials extended a warm welcome to the delegation from Liaoning University. They also shared and exchanged views on the development of the university, focusing on the phased achievements made since the university's upgrading to a four-year undergraduate institution.

Zhang Hongxin and

Da Kening respectively representing the two parties of cooperation, signed the Strategic Cooperation Framework Agreement between Liaoning University and Chaoyang Normal University. The signing marked that the two sides would establish a long-term and stable cooperative relationship and carry out in-depth cooperation in aspects such as the joint cultivation of high-level talents, collaborative innovation in education and teaching and joint tackling of regional research topics.

Responsible comrades from the university's Party Affairs office, Student Employment Guidance Center, Cooperation and Development Department, Social Service Office, Liaoning University (Chaoyang) Urban Research Institute and other departments participated in the meeting.



Shanghai Forum | Yu Miaojie: Facts and Fallacies: Understanding the Logic of the US-China Trade War



The Shanghai Forum 2025 annual conference was held in Shanghai from April 25 to 27. Centered on the theme of An Era of Innovation: Technology, Development, and Governance, the forum brought together more than 500 guests and representatives from think tanks, universities, government agencies, enterprises, and media organizations across over 50 countries and regions. Participants engaged in in-depth discussions on shared global challenges and contributed insights toward building a more inclusive and equitable path for development in Asia and around the world.

Professor Yu Miaojie

(President of Liaoning University) and Professor Woo Wing Thye (University Chair Professor at the China Institute for Economic Research of LNU) were invited to deliver keynote speeches at the 2025 Shanghai Forum. Both members of LNU shared their insights on global governance and economic development, focusing on the challenges of a multipolar world. The following is a summary based on Professor Yu's remarks.

The Trump administration launched the US-China trade war based on four main arguments. First, the United States ran a substantial trade deficit with China, amounting to approximately

\$360 billion in 2022. Second, the administration claimed this was due to unfair tariff structures—China's average tariff was about 7.5%, compared to the US' 2.5% before 2018. Third, Trump believed higher tariffs would restore domestic manufacturing. Fourth, the strategy aimed to halt China's industrial upgrading. These justifications are flawed. The US maintained a significant surplus in service trade with China, approaching \$300 billion. When accounting for the profits of US multinationals operating in China, the economic benefit to the US increases further. After the 2020 Phase One deal, tariffs became nearly equivalent—21.3% on Chinese exports to the US and 21.7% on US exports to China. Moreover, the US lacks the capacity to replace Chinese imports with domestic production, leading instead to a shift toward other developing countries, which still cannot match China's efficiency. Lastly, China's industrial upgrade remains unstoppable due to its comprehensive supply chain

covering 41 major industry categories, 207 intermediate sectors, and 666 specific sub-industries.

Several developments may emerge from the trade war's continuation. Trump may return to the negotiation table within a quarter, potentially initiating Phase Two of the trade deal. High tariffs are fuelling inflation in the US and increasing consumer burdens, while alternative supplier countries lack sufficient capacity.

Even if China agrees to increase imports from the US, the availability of high-value goods such as advanced machinery is limited due to export restrictions, and agricultural products alone are insufficient to resolve the trade imbalance. Persisting with high tariffs could fracture the global economy, as affected countries like Canada and Mexico consider alternative markets during temporary tariff pauses.

There is also a risk that the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA) could collapse due to the structural economic divergence among its members. Within three years, the trilateral agreement may become unsustainable.

Simultaneously, new trade blocs may gain prominence. ASEAN-China cooperation, RCEP, and EU-China relations may converge into a larger economic zone. China may export intermediate goods to ASEAN for further assembly and re-export. The China-Korea-Japan FTA and the China-EU Comprehensive Agreement on Investment (CAI) are also likely to advance.

China's counter-strategy is structured around a comprehensive "All-round Opening-up" policy, focusing on three pillars:

Expanding Trade Scale. China is increasing imports through platforms like the China International Import Expo, aiming to reduce trade surpluses and affirm its role in global

commerce.

Broadening Trade Scope. Efforts are underway to diversify trade partners, as demonstrated by the surge in China-Russia trade to nearly \$200 billion in 2023. China is also promoting service trade through tourism and international education, backed by improvements in soft infrastructure.

Green trade and digital trade are key priorities. With ecological civilisation enshrined in its constitution, China is expanding low-carbon exports. Its digital economy now accounts for half of its GDP. As China's economy moves up the value chain, there is a growing emphasis on exporting higher value-added intermediate goods. Outbound investment is encouraged to facilitate technology transfer and employment abroad, while China remains attractive for capital-intensive foreign direct investment due to its industrial clusters.

Deepening Institutional Integration. China supports multilateralism by endorsing WTO reform and aligning domestic regulations with global standards. It is advancing industrial norms such as ISO certifications and working to improve managerial capacity in firms. The goal is to transition from a factor-driven to an institution-driven opening-up model.

In the words of Winston Churchill, as echoed in the film *Darkest Hour*, there is no final failure, there is no final success. It is the courage to continue that counts.



Academician of the Chinese Academy of Engineering Conducts Science Popularization Activities at LNU



In order to thoroughly implement the important instructions of General Secretary Xi Jinping on strengthening work of popular science, carry forward the scientific spirit, and promote inter-school exchange and cooperation, on the afternoon of April 29, Professor Wang Guofa, an Academician of the Chinese Academy of Engineering and the Chief Scientist of China Coal Research Institute, participated in the activity themed as “Carrying Forward the Spirit of Scientists and Igniting the Dream of Science” for the Experimental School Affiliated to Liaoning University (LNU). He provided popular science education for primary and secondary school students. Pan Yishan, an Academician of the Chinese Academy of Engineering and Secretary of the CPC Committee of LNU, also attended the event.

Wang Guofa, Pan Yishan and their entourage successively visited the Cloth Art Exhibition Hall, Art Space Station and Xingzhi Space Station of the Affiliated Experimental School. They had cordial exchanges with the teachers and students who were having classes or carrying out club activities, and inquired in detail about the development of characteristic courses of intangible cultural heritage, aesthetic education characteristic courses and science and technology characteristic courses of the school. The two academicians listened to the introduction of the Affiliated Experimental School on its educational philosophy and practical education work. They expressed their affirmation and appreciation for the construction of characteristic and high-quality courses of the school. They interacted with the

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teachers and students and encouraged them to continuously enrich the connotation of the school culture construction and consolidate and inherit the school-running achievements of the school.

In the Yunyan Studio of the Affiliated Experimental School, Wang Guofa and Pan Yishan jointly unveiled the “Juvenile Academy of Sciences” of the affiliated school, helping the school strengthen the construction of campus scientific culture and creating a learning atmosphere that supports scientific exploration and innovation among teenagers. Student representatives presented handwritten letters to the two academicians, expressing their yearning for and love of science.

At the event site, Wang Guofa gave a special popular science lecture to the students titled Unveiling the Mysteries of the 'Sunstone' and Understanding Coal and Energy Mining. Focusing on revealing the mysteries of coal, known as the “sunstone”, he systematically introduced scientific knowledge such as coal exploration and development, clean utilization and transformation, and ecological protection

and restoration in mining areas in a simple and understandable language, guiding the on-site teenagers to gain an understanding of energy and mining. Drawing on his own learning and growth experiences, he encouraged the students to study hard, cultivate their imagination and innovation abilities, broaden their knowledge horizons, and establish a scientific spirit and a sense of patriotism. He presented the popular science series of books that he presided over and compiled to the student representatives and took a group photo with the students in a friendly manner.

Xia Wei, a member of the Standing Committee and Deputy District Head of Shenbei New District, Li Quan, Secretary of the Party Leadership Group and Director of the Education Bureau of Shenbei New District, responsible comrades of the Party and Government Office, the Party Committee Publicity Department, and the Social Service Office of Liaoning University, as well as representatives of teachers and students of the Affiliated Experimental School participated in the activity.



Yu Miaojie Attends the International Conference on the Evolution of the International Trade System in Russia



From April 17 to 18, the 22nd International Conference on The Evolution of the International Trade System: Prospects and Challenges was successfully held at Saint-Petersburg State University in Russia. Professor Yu Miaojie, a fellow of the International Economic Association and President of Liaoning University was invited to attend the conference and delivered a keynote speech. Dr. Liu Renliang and Dr. Wang Dandan, assistant professors at the Li Anmin Institute of Economics also participated in the conference and gave academic reports at the sub-forums. The conference has been successfully held for 22 consecutive sessions, aiming to bringing together global experts, scholars and professionals in the practical fields to discuss the key issues and future developments in the evolution process of the international trade system. This

year' s conference is also one of the commemorative activities for the 85th anniversary of the establishment of the Faculty of Economics at Saint-Petersburg State University. The goal of the conference is, against the backdrop of the current complex and changing geopolitical situation and the global economic transformation, to analyze the practical challenges and future trends faced by the international trade system and to promote global economic cooperation and institutional innovation.

This year' s conference was hosted by the Department of World Economy of Saint-Petersburg State University and received support from institutions such as the Department of Economics of Saint-Petersburg State University, the Institute of World Economy and International Relations of the Russian Academy of Sciences and the International Energy Business School of the Russian State University of Oil and Gas. Keynote speakers also include Olga Y. Trofimenko, Head of the Department of World Economy at Saint-Petersburg

State University, Debasish Nandy, a professor from the Department of Political Science at Kazi Nazrul University in India, Vu Thang Pham, former Director of the Center for Economic Development Research at Hanoi National University in Vietnam, Luidmila V. Popova, a professor from the Department of World Economy at Saint-Petersburg State University and other internationally renowned scholars. The conference accepted nearly a hundred high-level papers from scholars from multiple countries, including Russia and China.

In the keynote speech session, Yu Miaojie pointed out that in 2024, China's GDP reached 134 trillion yuan, contributing 30% to global growth. In order to achieve a growth rate of 5%, China will expand domestic demand through proactive fiscal policies and prudent monetary policies and stimulate consumption and investment through tax cuts and fee reductions as well as interest rate cuts. In the medium to long term, China is transforming from high-speed development to high-quality development, adhering to the new development concepts of innovation, coordination, green development, openness, and sharing. The proportion of R&D investment in GDP is 2.68%; China has pledged to reach its carbon peak before 2030; It is promoting coordinated urban-rural development and common prosperity; And adhering to a comprehensive opening-up strategy with a larger scale, broader scope, and deeper level. Through export diversification, expanding imports, developing service, green, and digital trade, optimizing the business environment, attracting foreign investment and encouraging outbound investment, China is deepening institutional opening-up to enhance its global competitiveness. Regarding the trade war initiated by the United States, he pointed out that the U.S.

argument of using tariffs to reverse the trade deficit is out of touch with reality. He emphasized that China's trade surplus stems from its comparative advantages. China-US trade only accounts for 10% of China's foreign trade, and extreme tariffs are unlikely to shake the foundation of China's foreign trade. China is confident to respond calmly. Regarding cooperation with countries in the Global South, he believes that China's huge market and complete industrial chains create huge import demands. The Belt and Road Initiative supports infrastructure construction without any additional constraints. Outbound investment creates jobs and promotes technology transfer in labor-intensive fields, providing countries in the Global South with a new model of modernization. In terms of economic and trade cooperation between China and Russia, he suggested strengthening strategic coordination, optimizing the bilateral investment and trade environment, and promoting local currency settlement and educational cooperation. During the interaction, he reviewed the evolution of China's urbanization process from the development of large metropolitan areas to the revitalization of counties, emphasizing that urbanization and industrialization must be promoted simultaneously. He believed that China and the United States should jointly expand the mutual economic benefits and expressed his firm confidence in China's economic development with the courage to move forward continuously.

During the conference, Otar L. Margania, Dean of the Faculty of Economics at Saint-Petersburg State University in Russia, which was the organizer of the conference, and his team members had exchanges with Yu Miaojie and his team members on scientific research and teaching cooperation.

Wen Wei Po HongKong Interviews Yu Miaojie: The Beauty of Liaoning in Comprehensive Revitalization Driven by Propitious Timing, Geographic Edge and Human Harmony

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遼寧美 時間獻給世界的禮物

遼寧地處環渤海和東北亞經濟圈核心地帶，是中國東北地區唯一既沿海又沿邊的省份。在億萬年前的中生代，世界上第一朵花「遼寧古果」在這裏悄然綻放，世界上第一種被發現的帶羽毛恐龍「中華龍鳥」已然和眾多帶羽恐龍一起共享這片土地，遼西化石群定格了一個輝煌時代的動人瞬間。28萬年前的金牛山人，25萬年前的剛後山人，7萬年前的鴿子洞人，1.7萬年前的古龍山人，7,000年前的新樂人和小珠山人，5,000多年前的紅山先民，在遼寧現身時那一道道照亮天穹的光，成就了遼寧獨有的厚重深沉之美。

遼寧省社會科學界聯合會主席關蓉蓉講述，遼寧自然風光綺麗壯美，歷史文化底蘊深厚，社會經濟蓬勃發展，文化藝術豐富多彩。作為團結引領全省廣大哲學社會科學工作者的橋樑和紐帶——遼寧省社科聯將持續為豐富「遼寧美」的內涵提供強大學理支撐。今日的遼寧「山海有情 天遼地寧」，山美、水美、人更美，期待着您的到來！

省域品牌敘事研究創新成果展現「遼寧美」

遼寧省域品牌敘事研究創新項目系列的最新成果、遼寧科學技術出版社出版的《遼寧美 1.2 億年前的生命奇觀》即將在香港面向全球首發。這一項目由遼寧省社會科學界聯合會組織開展，與科學藝術研究和創作機構 PNSO 聯合推出，書中以美輪美奐的科學藝術畫面，生動再現了 1.2 億年前遼寧大地上的生命奇觀，為讀者開啟了一場跨越時空、震撼心靈的科學與藝術融合之旅。創作團隊在現有科學發現和研究的基礎上，融合了自然科學、社會科學與人文藝術等多領域知識，以精美絕倫的藝術形式和撥動心弦的文字敘述，講述了史前在遼寧大地上發生的神奇故事，讓讀者通過這部科學藝術的創新成果領略遼寧之美。

作為這一新作的主要策劃者，關蓉蓉認為《遼寧美 1.2 億年前的生命奇觀》出版發行，讓大家領略遼寧之美的同時將目光聚焦遼寧。遼寧地處中國東北地區南部，是中國最北端的沿海省份，是新中國的工業搖籃。「遼寧美」同時作為遼寧社科人獻給世界的禮物，更體現着深沉的遼寧社科之美。省域品牌敘事不僅是歷史文化傳承發展的重要方式，也是社會互動和個體認同構建的關鍵。其理論基礎既涵蓋歷史文化、經濟社會等社會科學，也涉及自然生態、地理環境等自然科學。

省域品牌敘事研究與實踐豐富「遼寧美」

近年來，遼寧省社科聯組織專家在省域品牌敘事研究中做了大量探索，走出了一條頗具創新性的社科研究與成果應用之路。邀請全國知名專家學者，圍繞「河梁遺址考古發掘，開展牛河梁紅山文化古國研究，取得了階段性研究成果。組織撰寫了《遼寧省文體旅融合發展報告（2025）》，從多產業交叉融



合視角，剖析文體旅領域相互滲透、協同發展的內在邏輯，探索具有遼寧特色的文體旅融合發展新業態新模式。組織開展「遼寧社科智庫專家城市行」活動，着力構建遼寧城市品牌建設與推廣，形成社科聯服務文化強省的理論創建和工作實踐典型案列……這些研究成果與省域品牌敘事研究和實踐形成了良性互動，為省域品牌建設提供了堅實的學理支撐。

未來，遼寧省社科聯計劃通過開展社科研究項目、學術交流與人才培養、國際傳播與推廣等方式，將省域品牌敘事研究及其成果推向世界舞台。港澳地區是遼寧省社科聯省域品牌敘事研究和實踐推廣「走出去」的首選之地，港澳地區與遼寧有着廣泛的經濟社會聯繫，高校及學術機構構建眾多，在國際學術活動和交流上具有獨特優勢。遼寧省社科聯將與港澳地區社科界加強聯繫，尋求開展多方面和多形式的合作，借助港澳舞台，探索省域品牌敘事研究和實踐的世界推廣路徑，講好「遼寧美」等省域品牌故事，為遼寧全面振興注入社科新動力，做出新貢獻。



《遼寧美 1.2 億年前的生命奇觀》一書，是遼寧省社會科學界聯合會組織開展的省域品牌敘事研究創新項目系列成果之一，與科學藝術研究和創作機構 PNSO 聯合推出。由遼寧科學技術出版社出版。

遼寧的生態瑰寶與遠古印記。遼寧盤龍嶺海濱不僅是遼寧生態名片，更是省域品牌敘事研究的重要組成部分。它歷經了遼寧從史前時代到現代生態保護的億萬年跨越，展現了遼寧在自然與人文領域的獨特魅力。



遼寧省社會科學界聯合會，是全省哲學社會科學界的聯合組織，團結引領基層社科聯組織、高等院校、黨校行政學院、社科類社會組織、科研院所「五大領域」，承擔全省社會科學界團結引領、咨政建言、繁榮學術、服務管理的職能，具有「聯」、「研」、「育」、「普」四大功能。

「聯」的功能，資源整合的超級引擎。發揮人才薈萃、廣泛聯繫的優勢，整合各方資源形成強大發展合力。

「研」的功能，學術研究的智慧寶庫。致力打造學術研究的堅實陣地，構建充滿創新活力的學術生態環境。

「育」的功能，社科人才培養的搖籃。為人才培養和成長提供全方位的支持和服務。積極搭建國際國內人才交流的平台，幫助社科學者提升專業素養、拓寬學術視野。

「普」的功能，人文社科的盛筵。傳播科學思想，倡導社會文明，傳承中華優秀傳統文化，提高人民的社會科學文化素養和思想道德素質，促進人的全面發展和社會全面進步。

遼寧省社會科學界聯合會「畫像」



科學藝術家趙聞以現有科學科研成果為基礎，創作出的熱河生物群科學藝術復興圖。

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著名專家共話「遼寧美」

遼寧大學校長 余淼傑



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遼寧之美，美在其天時地利人和的全面振興之勢，美在其厚積薄發的獨特業賦與時代機遇的完美結合。遼寧之美在於其得天獨厚的資源優勢，「東北是個好地方，遼寧是個好寶盆」已深入人心。在於其營商環境的深刻變革。遼寧高度重視經營經濟，「投資不過山海關」已成為企業家戰略首選。在於其「天時地利人和」的發展機遇。既是東北對外開放的門戶，又是東北亞經濟圈的重要樞紐。更在於其未來潛力，遼寧扭轉了長達 11 年的人口流失趨勢。「孔雀遼沈飛」局面已經形成。

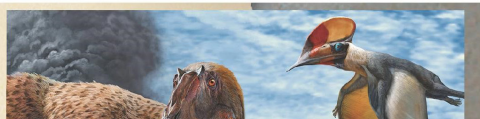
遼寧大學在經濟學、歷史學等多領域擁有學科優勢，

特別是近年來考古文博學院還主導和參與了「長白山古人類遺址調查與研究」、「紅山社會文明化進程」、「高句麗文化」等考古中國重大項目，為展現遼寧之美奠定了堅實的理論基礎。

未來，遼寧大學也將在與香港長期合作的基礎上，充分發揮特色優勢，開展更高水平、更寬領域合作。重點推動優勢學科與香港高校的深度對接，共同打造具有國際影響力的學術高地。進一步加強科研合作，擴大教師互訪與合作研究的規模，促進學術交流與成果轉化。繼續推進學生聯合培養項目，創新聯合培養模式，為兩地學子創造更多學習機會。



遼寧美



Recently, Professor Yu Miaojie, a National People's Congress deputy, a fellow of the International Economic Association and President of Liaoning University, during an interview with the Hong Kong Wen Wei Po, centered on the theme of The Beauty of Liaoning: A Gift from Time to the World, deeply elaborated on the unique advantages and opportunities of Liaoning's comprehensive revitalization, and looked ahead to the development prospects of LNU in aspects such as cultural relics and archaeology, discipline construction, and cooperation with Hong Kong. The content of the report is now sorted out and reprinted as follows.

The beauty of Liaoning lies in the momentum of its comprehensive revitalization brought about by favorable timing, geographical advantages and harmonious human relations, and also in the perfect combination of its unique accumulated endowments that are ready to burst forth and the opportunities of the times. The beauty of Liaoning is embodied in its uniquely advantageous resource strengths, and the saying "Northeast China is a land full of charm and Liaoning is a treasure trove brimming with opportunities" has deeply taken root in people's hearts. It is also reflected in the profound transformation of its business environment. Liaoning attaches great importance to the private economy, and it has become the top choice for entrepreneurs seeking investment opportunities beyond Shanhaiguan. It lies in the development opportunities brought by favorable timing, geographical advantages and harmonious human relations. It serves as the gateway for Northeast China's opening

up and is an important hub of the Northeast Asian economic circle. What's more, it lies in its future potential. Liaoning has reversed the population loss trend that has lasted for 11 years, and the situation of "Talents are flocking to Liaoning and Shenyang" has been formed.

LNU boasts disciplinary strengths in multiple fields, including economics and history. In recent years, its Archaeology and Museology School has played a leading and participatory role in major national archaeological projects, such as Investigation and Research on Paleolithic Sites in Changbai Mountain, The Process of Social Civilization of Hongshan Culture, and Goguryeo Culture. These efforts have laid a solid theoretical foundation for showcasing the beauty of Liaoning.

In the future, based on its long-term cooperation with Hong Kong, LNU will give full play to its distinctive advantages and carry out cooperation at a higher level and in a broader range of fields. It will focus on promoting in-depth docking of its advantageous disciplines with those of Hong Kong universities, and jointly build an academic highland with international influence. Moreover, it will further strengthen scientific research cooperation, expand the scale of mutual visits by teachers and collaborative research, and facilitate academic exchanges and the transformation of research achievements. Additionally, Liaoning University will continue to promote joint student cultivation programs, innovate the joint cultivation model, and create more learning opportunities for students from both places.

LNU Holds the 8th Session of China Open Macroeconomic Forum



relations: Firstly, High tariffs will backfire, driving up domestic prices in the US and hindering manufacturing reshoring, ultimately forcing the US back to the negotiating table to seek dialogue with China. Secondly, high tariffs may reshape regional trade dynamics, deepening the triangular trade cooperation among China, ASEAN, and the EU while accelerating a “de-Americanization” trend. Thirdly, the USMCA (US-Mexico-Canada Agreement) may face disintegration risks, potentially downgrading the North American free trade zone to a US-Canada alliance, with Mexico being excluded from the system. Professor Yu emphasized that China is transitioning from factor-based opening to institutional opening, and playing a leading role in upholding the multilateral system and shaping new globalization rules. History tells us that the dual drivers of industrial upgrading and opening-up will empower China to break through containment and achieve sustainable development.

On May 8, 2025, the 8th Session of China Open Macroeconomic Forum was held in Room 401 of the Administration Building at Puhe Campus of Liaoning University (LNU). Professor Yu Miaojie, a deputy to National People’s Congress, a fellow of the International Economic Association and President of LNU, delivered a keynote speech titled

The forum, focusing on the theme of China-US Strategic Rivalry and Global Order, was joined by leading experts to conduct in-depth discussions. The event was chaired by Professor Huo Weidong, and made up of three key predictions regarding US-China economic and trade

Winners of Mao Dun Literature Prize Dialogue with LNU Students



On April 18, the Sharing Event titled 'Literature and Youth' , hosted by the Publicity Department of the Liaoning Provincial Party Committee and jointly

undertaken by the People' s Literature Publishing House, Liaoning Publishing Group, and Liaoning University, was held at Puhe Campus of Liaoning University.

Liang Xiaosheng and Li Er, winners of the 10th Mao Dun Literature Prize, and Dong Xi, winner of the 11th Mao Dun Literature Prize, three renowned literary figures, had a face-to-face interaction with more than 600 faculty members and students, sharing their insights on literary creation and reading experiences. Their participation added a rich literary ambiance into the 14th Liaoning Provincial Reading Festival.

During the event, the three writers shared their perspectives on Literature and Youth, offering both profound reflections on the essence of literature and earnest messages to young students. During the interactive session, students actively raised questions on topics such as deep reading and reality and fiction. The collision of ideas

and exchange of insights created a vibrant and intellectually rich atmosphere at the event.

"Reading is the second pair of eyes for young people to perceive the world. Especially in this era of fragmented information, reading has become the best way for us to reconstruct our understanding and conduct in deep thinking. Through reading, we can see wider vistas of the world." After the sharing session, Yin Xinyi, a student from the School of Journalism and Communication of Liaoning University, said that "Today' s event has made me more certain that reading is never just about acquiring knowledge; it' s an essential course for our growth as young people, allowing us to nourish our souls and enhance our qualities in the fragrance of books."

This event is not just a reading sharing activity, but a spiritual empowerment for the youth. As the 14th Liaoning Provincial Reading Festival continues to unfold, the atmosphere of Love to Read, Read Good Books, and Read with Wisdom is gradually permeating campuses, integrating into daily life, and spreading to society at large.

LNU Students Win Awards in the National College Students' Career Planning Competition

The other day, the finals of the Second National College Students' Career Planning Competition, co-hosted by the Ministry of Education and the People's Government of Hunan Province, came to a successful conclusion in Changsha, Hunan Province. Feng Wenqiang, a student majoring in Human Resource Management from the Business School of Liaoning University (LNU), won the silver award in the higher-education undergraduate group of the employment track.

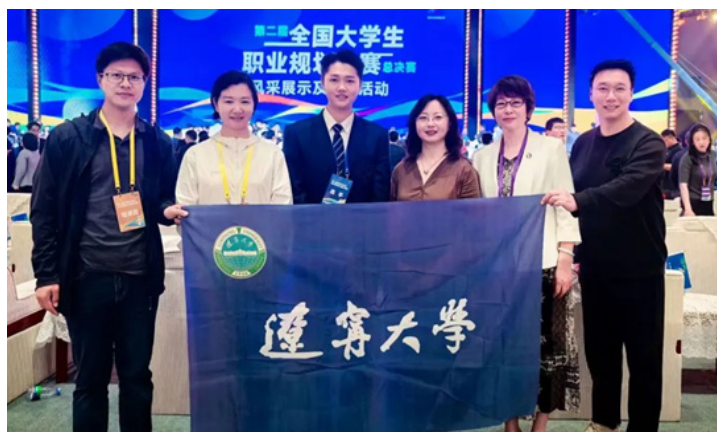
The National College Students' Career Planning Competition is a major event organized by the Ministry of Education to implement the decision-making and deployment of the Central Committee of the CPC and the State Council, strengthen career education and employment guidance in colleges and universities, and promote high-quality and full employment. Since the launch of this competition in October 2024, it has attracted 15.07 million college students to sign up and participate, covering 2,763 colleges and universities. It is a grand gathering that brings together the elites of colleges and universities across the country to discuss the future of career development. After fierce competition, 750 college students advanced to the national finals. Among them, there are 150 gold award winners, 225 silver award winners, and 375 bronze award winners.

In the Liaoning Provincial Competition, Feng Wenqiang won the gold award and ranked second among the gold award winners. Professor Ma Xiaojun from the

Business School was awarded the "Excellent Instructor" .

In the national finals, Feng Wenqiang demonstrated the mission and responsibility of LNU students as the youth in the new era, winning high recognition from the judges and the audience. He achieved the leap from a provincial gold award to a national silver award.

LNU attaches great importance to this competition and organizes experts to provide meticulous guidance to the participating students, laying a solid foundation for LNU students to achieve excellent results in the national competition. Taking it as an opportunity, the university will further strengthen career development education, adhere to promoting learning, teaching, and employment through the competition, encourage students to establish correct views on careers, employment, and job selection, step out of the campus, integrate into society, and stay at the forefront, striving to write a youthful chapter of taking on the responsibility for Chinese-style modernization.



LNU' s Original Dances Shine in Provincial College Competition



After intense competition in the Third Liaoning Provincial Original Dance Works Competition for Colleges and Universities, hosted by The Education Department of Liaoning Province, the original dance works *The Story of Seeking Fragrance* and *Spiritual Joy* submitted by the School of Art won the first prize and the third prize respectively. Meanwhile, LNU was awarded the Excellent Organization Award.

During the preparation for the competition, the School of Art attached great importance to it, regarding it as a crucial opportunity to enhance the influence of the dance major and showcase the elegance of teachers and students. Teachers from the Dance Department meticulously planned, delved deep into cultural connotations, and endowed *The Story of Seeking Fragrance* and *Spiritual Joy* with unique creativity. Teachers and students closely

collaborated, refining the works repeatedly, from choreography design and emotional expression to stage positioning and music coordination, striving for perfection in every detail.

On the competition stage, *The Story of Seeking Fragrance*, with its delicate emotions and graceful dance postures, led the audience on a journey to explore the rich fragrance of traditional culture. *Spiritual Joy*, on the other hand, with its agile choreography and brilliant performances, conveyed wishes for a better life, winning enthusiastic applause from the audience and high praise from the judges.

Taking this award as motivation, the School of Art of LNU will continue to uphold its unwavering pursuit of art. On the artistic journey ahead, it will constantly explore and innovate, strive to reach new heights, and add more luster to the construction of campus culture!