



## UIBE News

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### **Vice President Xu Zijian met with the Taiwan Delegates**

On the morning of Sep. 11, Vice President received the Taiwan delegation that came to UIBE for the attendance to the second Cross-Strait Economic Law Discussion Forum. The six-member delegation consisted of Professor Chen Ronglong, Dean of School of Law, Fu Jen Catholic University (FJU); Professor Chen Youlong, former President of FJU; Professor Liu Chuntang, Head of Department of Post-Bachelor Law, FJU; Prof. Zhang Yiyun, Head of Department of Financial law, FJCU; Huang Hongquan, Full-time Associate Professor of Department of Post-Bachelor Law, FJU; Yang Minhua, Director of Financial Law Institute of Ling Tung University; and Qiu Congzhi, Doctor of Institute of Law, National Taiwan University.

Vice president Xu extended a welcome on UIBE's behalf to the delegates and looked back on the visit paid by UIBE's delegation in July of last year to FJU for the first Cross-Strait Economic Law Discussion Forum. In the course of the visit, the UIBE's delegation enjoyed warm hospitality from FJU. The delegates then were apprised of the development of UIBE over the past year by Vice President Xu. Following a mutual introduction on the education of law students, the two parties agreed to carry out the exchange of students while carry on the exchange of scholars.

The attendances to the meeting were Wang Jun, Executive Dean of School of Law (SOL); Wang Xiaochuan, Secretary of SOL; Ding Ding, Chen Jianling and Cao Yahong, who are Associate Deans of SOL; and Xiang Jie, Office for Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan Affairs, UIBE.

The delegates came to UIBE for the second Cross-Strait Economic Law Discussion Forum which is

scheduled to be held on the 12th of Sep., upon the invitation of SOL of UIBE. The academic exchanges between UIBE and FJU started from the 90s of last century, covering various fields such as the teaching of foreign language and the legal research, have undergone a long period since then. In 2008, a delegation of UIBE headed by Vice President Xu was sent to FJU to attend the first Cross-Strait Economic Law Discussion Forum which was planned to be held in Taiwan.

The Discussion Forum of this year proved to be a success during which many topics were talked about and many issues on financial law were raised. It was also agreed by the parties to periodically hold the forum by turns for the exchange of research achievements. More than eighty years ago, in 1925, FJU was founded in Beijing as a catholic university, and then it was divided into two parts due to historical reasons. One stayed in mainland China while the other was moved to Taiwan more than 50 years ago. The one in mainland China was merged into Beijing Normal University according to rearrangement of Universities and colleges in 1952. The one in Taiwan has been gradually developed into a private university with much competitiveness. Now over 120,000 alumnus of FJU scatter all over the world.

Today's FJU has 9 colleges, 47 departments of The College Division, 46 Master's Programs, 22 Continuing Education Master's Programs, 11 Doctor's Program, 15 Departments of The Evening Division and one two-years Continuing Education Bachelor's Program. The enrollment of students in FJU now reaches beyond 26000.