

INTRODUCTION



ZGC FORUM
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Established in 2007, ZGC Forum has grown up to an important platform to enhance communication and exchange between countries and promote international innovation cooperation. The forum is held annually with the permanent theme of "Innovation and Development," and is aiming to position itself as an influential international high-tech forum.

It provides a high-end dialogue platform for topics of technology, economy, innovation and development, and an international exchange platform for government, enterprises, experts and scholars to strengthen information exchange, enhance mutual understanding and promote economic and technological cooperation. ZGC forum will bring together political and business leaders to exchange the latest developments in the global economy.

2018 ZGC Forum gathered thousands of innovative elites from over 13 countries which include Nobel laureates, world-class scientists, world famous entrepreneurs and investors which will level up the degree of international-ization and specialization, and fully demonstrates the importance of globalization of technological innovation.



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You should not only make scientific discoveries, but also make your research projects have values of commercial application.

—**Stefan W. Hell: My way to Discover and Innovate**
2014 Nobel Prize in Chemistry, Director of Max Planck Institute for Biophysical Chemistry

Zhongguancun should not only be Zhongguancun in China, but also become Zhongguancun in the world by grasping opportunities and explore the global market.

—**Jun Lei: Let Technological Innovation Drives Development, Make China's Innovation Go Global First-rate Talents & Innovative Development**
Chairman of Xiaomi Technology



We should foster a culture of encouraging innovation, as calculation and reasoning alone cannot predict the future. we must be brave and take risks.

—**Sir Peter Bonfeld CBE: The next 50 years: Fostering innovation through global collaboration**
Fellow of the Royal Academy of Engineering, Chairman of NXP Semiconductors N.V.

In the environment of innovation culture, top-notch talents can produce and further promote innovation culture. This society needs to be driven by innovative talents

—**Yigong SHI: First-rate Talents & Innovative Development**
Member of Chinese Academy of Science, President of Westlake University



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The transformation involves five elements: First, result oriented, second, the competition for intellectual property rights, third, change of mindset, fourth, talents are the secret of industrial enterprises to win, finally, culture.

——**Bill Ruh: Global Technology Innovation and Cooperation**
Senior Vice President of GE and CEO of GE Digital

For independent innovation and mass entrepreneurship, original innovation is essential. MIT contributes to society so much because the institute has created a very good environment to bring technological inventions to the society .

——**Gang Chen: MIT Innovation and Entrepreneurship**
MIT Soderberg Professor, Member of US National Academy of Engineering.



To become a driving force of innovation and entrepreneurship, universities need top researchers, a strong sense of mission, unique research and unique elements in education.

——**Peretz Lavie: The Role of a University in Education for Innovation and Entrepreneurship**
President of Technion - Israel Institute of Technology

AI consists of three important parts: the first part is our perception of the world; the second part is our cognition; the third part is to change the environment according to these perceptions.

——**Yike GUO : Step By Step, Focus On Research Artificial Intelligence**
Professor of Imperial College, Fellow of The Royal Academy of Engineering,



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Stefan W. Hell
2014 Nobel Prize in
Chemistry



Yike Guo
Professor of Imperial
College, Fellow of RAE



Gang Chen
MIT Professor, Member
of US NAE



Sir Peter Bonfeld CBE
Fellow of RAE, Chairman
of NXP Semiconductors



Lady Barbara Judge CBE
Former Chairman of
Institute of Directors



Luis Sanz
Director-General of IASP



Sean Randolph
Former President of Bay Area
Council Economic Institute



Bill Ruh
Senior Vice President of
GE and CEO of GE Digital



Edouard Cukierman
Co-Founder of Catalyst
Fund

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Chuanzhi Liu
Chairman of Legend Holdings, Founder of Lenovo



Yigong Shi
Member of CAS, President of Westlake University



Jun Lei
Chairman of Xiaomi Technology



Huiyao Wang
President of CCG, China State Council Counsellor



Daqing Mao
Founder of UCOMMUNE



Charles Li
Chief Executive of HK Exchanges and Clearing



Meng Mei
Founder of Tsinghua Science Park



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Partner of Sequoia Capital China



Feng Deng
Founder and MD of Northern Light VC



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