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Professor Arima’s contribution to the collaboration and exchange between China and Japan
Professor Akito Arima is a renowned scientist in the world. All participants of this Symposium know this.

Professor Arima also made tremendous efforts in promoting science and international exchanges, in particular, between China and Japan, as President of the University of Tokyo, President of RIKEN, and Minister of Education.

Professor Arima has come to China more than 150 times! What did he do in so many visits?
In 1980-1990’s, when he became the dean of faculty of Science and later the President of the University of Tokyo, he pushed forward the collaboration first between Tokyo University and China Science and Technology University, and later a ten-year bilateral collaboration between top five Japanese Universities and five top Chinese Universities.

He further strengthened the link between the CAS (Chinese Academy of Sciences) and RIKEN during this period as the President of RIKEN.
These years he is one of key advisories of the JST, Japan Science and Technology Foundation. Together with his colleagues, he proposed the Sakura Program, under which support, from the year 2014, about 2000 young Chinese visit Japan every year. So far more than 7000 young Chinese students were invited to visit Japan.
Due to these contributions, Professor Arima is an honorary professor in many Chinese universities, including Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Peking University, Nanjing University, China Science and Technology University in Hefei, Beihang University, and so on.
Professor Arima received the National Friendship Award of the Chinese Government, for his important contributions to promote international collaboration between China and Japan.
Below we show some pictures of his visits.

Also during this Symposium, we shall see many more pictures of visiting China and other places.
The First Visit to IMP, Apr. 1981

L1: DAI Guang-xi; R2: WU En-jiu
Visit to IMP
Aug. 1997
Visit to IMP, Aug. 2014

R1: ZHAO Hong-wei (Deputy Director of IMP)
Happy Birthday! Professor Akito Arima!

Wish the Symposium to be a success!