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Chapter 111: Opening the Treasure Chest~_1

This physically robust student, Yang Chen, wants to carry bricks at a construction site?

Kid.

What an ambition.

However, Ding Yue felt that things couldn't be that simple.

So he asked in depth, "Yang Chen, why do you want to carry bricks on a construction site?"

"I need to earn my tuition for next year."

Yang Chen was quite straightforward, stating outright why he wanted to work on the construction site.

"Oh, I see."

Upon hearing this, Ding Yue roughly understood the situation.

To earn next year's tuition, it could either be that his family circumstances were mediocre, not very good, or that they had faced some major calamity, right?

After all, most students at Mist City Arts and Science University are quite affluent, but there are also those with mediocre financial backgrounds.

Using the holiday time to work part-time to earn next year's tuition is indeed a good idea.

Only, carrying bricks seems like the least desirable choice.

"Come with me, tell me about your family's situation more specifically."

Ding Yue took Yang Chen to a wooden long chair on a small green path nearby. Once they sat down, Ding Yue planned to further understand Yang Chen's family's specific situation.

They talked for a while.

It turns out.

Yang Chen is a failed sports student, extremely passionate about basketball, but due to a family misfortune resulting in mounting debts, he now has to earn his own money to continue his studies.

"You really want to go to the construction site to carry bricks? It's tiring work, and it doesn't earn much." Ding Yue asked Yang Chen again.

"Yes, I want to earn money, I want to continue studying at our school."

Yang Chen still nodded firmly.

"Alright then, I'll speak to the construction unit, and try to find some work for you on the site. By the way, do you have any special talents? You're tall and a sports student, you must have some strengths, right?"

Ding Yue first agreed, and then asked further.

He agreed mainly because if student Yang Chen really needed to work, then working on the school's construction site was indeed a good choice.

After all, Yang Chen was staying in the school dormitory during the winter vacation, and it was very convenient for him to work on the construction site every day.

However, Ding Yue still wanted to see if he could unearth something from this student's special talents.

"Thank you, Principal Ding. Principal Ding, I'm alright at basketball, and my major is also sports training, specializing in basketball." Yang Chen answered excitedly.

"I see, our school has organized basketball teams now, right?"

Ding Yue didn't pay much attention or have much knowledge about the minor departments like physical education in Mist City Arts and Science University.

After all, most excellent sports students usually go to specialized sports institutes.

"Yes, our school now has two basketball teams, one is composed of students from the physical education department, and the other is composed of students from the basketball club."

Yang Chen answered earnestly.

"How does it feel?" Ding Yue continued to ask.

If the school basketball team has potential for development, Ding Yue might as well consider promoting the development of the school basketball team.

"It's okay, I cooperate well with my teammates, but we don't have much experience playing against other basketball teams yet. Besides basic training, last term we mainly played against the team from the basketball club, which doesn't really help us improve."

Yang Chen first nodded, then shook his head.

"You could play more matches against other universities next term. If you play well, the school could consider focusing on developing your basketball team."

As Ding Yue spoke, he had already pulled up the system mall interface.

He found professional sport-related scrolls in the "Minor Achievements" level of the mall. These scrolls can to a certain extent enhance students' technique and ability in their specialized sports.

But Ding Yue wasn't in a hurry to buy and use them for the school basketball team.

He wanted to see if Yang Chen's basketball team had any potential for development.

Therefore, Ding Yue decided not to rush.

He decided to let Yang Chen's basketball team play against other university basketball teams next term, and then evaluate their potential.

After chatting with Yang Chen for a while,

Ding Yue made a call to Director Chen Ping, asking him to negotiate with Tianfu Construction Group about arranging for Yang Chen to work on the construction site as much as possible.

Yang Chen was so excited that he repeatedly thanked Principal Ding and bowed deeply.

Ding Yue found it a bit awkward.

Before leaving, Ding Yue advised Yang Chen that if he truly loved basketball, he should consider continuously improving himself. He might even have the opportunity to embark on a professional basketball career.

Upon hearing this, Yang Chen was greatly moved. He silently resolved to train hard, putting in more sweat than others.

After Yang Chen left, Ding Yue pulled up the system interface again.

During his earlier search for sport-related scrolls in the system mall, Ding Yue suddenly remembered that he had received a [University Treasure Chest] after successfully completing the [First Semester Final Exam] task.

Open the chest! Open the chest! Pleasingly open the chest!

"Item Bar!"

With a flicker of thought from Ding Yue, the interface instantly switched to the Item Bar, where a black-iron-colored Level 1 University Treasure Chest was waiting to be opened by its owner.

"I want to open this Level 1 University Treasure Chest!"

After a little excitement, Ding Yue said quite calmly.

The black-iron-colored Level 1 University Treasure Chest in the Item Bar immediately emitted a dazzling light.

It felt like opening a treasure chest in a game.

Ding!

"Congratulations to the host for opening a [Level 1 University Treasure Chest] and receiving an item —— [University Professor Identification Card]."

Huh???

Ding Yue was slightly confused when he saw what he picked.

University Professor Identification Card, what the heck is that?

"Let's check it out."

With a flicker of thought, Ding Yue checked out the specific use of this [University Professor Identification Card].

[University Professor Identification Card]: After using this card, the host can identify whether Professors and lecturers nationwide or even worldwide can be hired as lecture professors for Mist City Arts and Science University.

After reading the introduction of this card, Ding Yue seemed to understand.

"So, can this card only be used once? Or can it be used forever?"

Ding Yue curiously asked.

"Item usage cycle: 5 years!"

"So, it means that it can be used unlimited times within five years." Ding Yue muttered to himself, then wrote a name on the [University Professor Identification Card] - Luo Xiang.

Ding!

"Identification completed."

The next second, the information about Professor Luo Xiang of Xia Country Political and Law University appeared on the [University Professor Identification Card] in front of Ding Yue.

Name: Luo Xiang

Title: Professor

Hiring Rate: 5% (Note: Successful recruitment is achieved when the hiring rate reaches 100%!)

Suggestion: The host can draw the attention of Professor Luo Xiang by creating a law-enforcement robot, which can improve the hiring rate. If the host can join and record a legal program with Professor Luo Xiang, it can significantly improve the hiring rate.

After seeing the contents displayed on the Identification Card,

Ding Yue finally understood the function of this [University Professor Identification Card].

It could help Ding Yue hire renowned professors from all specializations more efficiently and accurately to enhance the teaching level of Mist City Arts and Science University.

Just like Professor Luo Xiang, a famous legal scholar whom Ding Yue had previously discussed with Huang Youjie, the professor of Xia Country Political and Law University, whose status is obviously not low.

Therefore, the hiring rate identified by the Identification Card was only 5%.

However, it does not mean that Ding Yue has no chance to invite Professor Luo Xiang to become an honorary professor of Mist City Arts and Science University.

Right now.

The Identification Card had identified and suggested a way to increase the hiring rate.

Chapter 112: School is a Warm Home_1

In the blink of an eye, it was already two weeks past the start of winter vacation on January 25th.

February 11th.

This day was New Year's Eve in Xia Country in 2021.

All across the country, people were immersed in the festive spirit of the New Lunar Year. Even though nowadays, the celebrations might not be as grand as several years ago, the school still decorated with lanterns and streamers, adding more color to the festive season.

A few days prior.

Ding Jianjun had especially taken the logistics staff who stayed at the school to hang red lanterns on the trees by the road within the campus.

Mom Zhang Yuping also bought a lot of New Year's goods.

Sausages were a must.

Since some students would stay at school for the entire winter vacation without going home for New Year's.

So Ding Yue decided to gather the stay-at-school students and staff on New Year's Eve. Everyone would celebrate the new year at school, have a New Year's Eve dinner together, and watch the Spring Festival Gala together.

To make everything lively.

Doing so would give the students staying at school a home-like feeling.

At the same time, when other students who went home for the New Year see the warmth of the school, they will also increase their sense of belonging and identification with the school.

"Are all our school's winter vacation stay-at-school students in this Whatsapp chat group?"

Ding Yue found the person in charge of Dormitory Management.

To facilitate the needs of stay-school students, the Dormitory Management department specially made a chat group for students staying at school during this winter vacation.

"Yes, Principal Ding, a total of 137 students chose to stay." answered the dormitory administrator.

"Okay, let me join in."

Ding Yue had to inform the staying students about the New Year's Eve celebration and dinner tonight. It's not practical to go to every dorm room to notify them, right?

Joining the group and mentioning everyone would be fine.

"Okay."

Soon, the dormitory administrator added Principal Ding to the [Winter Vacation Staying Students Management Group].

Hao Ziyu: Is this the Principal Ding who just joined the group?

Cao Zhiyong: Principal Ding?

Kong Xia: Wow, is this really Principal Ding? The actual person?

Luo Shaoqi: Hello, Principal Ding.

The students couldn't help but feel excited once Ding Yue joined the group.

"Hello, everyone."


First, Ding Yue greeted everyone, then mentioned everyone in the group, and started to edit the notification for the New Year's Eve dinner.

"@everyone, Hello everyone, I am Ding Yue, the school director. On the occasion of this Lunar New Year, I'm here to wish everyone a Happy New Year, and all the best. The school has specifically prepared a New Year's Eve dinner for all of you who stayed at school, in the cafeteria on the third floor. The dinner will be at 7:40 pm. Everyone can come to have dinner together, watch the Spring Festival Gala, and spend a warm and loving New Year at school together."

After creating this message, Ding Yue posted it into the group chat.

When the staying students saw Principal Ding's notification, the group chat instantly became lively.

Li Taihe: Wow, the school is so caring. They even prepared a New Year's Eve dinner for us?

Xu Jiaer: Principal Ding, you are too nice. Love you, love you, love you !

Fu Deming: This definitely deserves praise!

Duan Liang: Is this for real? Is anyone going to the cafeteria for dinner at 7:40 tonight to check it out?

Liao Yangze: I thought staying at school this year meant a lonely Spring Festival. Didn't expect the school to be so caring!

Qiao Gaojun: Alright, hehe, I will be on time.

Yang Chen: Thanks, school, thanks, Principal Ding!

Ding Yue: @everyone, it's absolutely true. The cafeteria has already started preparing for the New Year's Eve dinner now. I hope everyone can treat the school as your home, and we can spend a warm and cozy New Year together. By then, we will have a New Year red envelope lucky draw at the venue. How about a grand prize of RMB 9999?

For the New Year, as long as we are happy, that's all that matters.

Apparently, when Ding Yue announced that the school had prepared a New Year's Eve dinner and there would be on-the-spot lucky draws for New Year's red envelopes, it instantly roused the students' enthusiasm. They all expressed that the school was overwhelmingly warm.

Aside from the students...

Ding Yue also extended an invitation to the staff members who stayed behind at school maintaining its operation, to have the New Year's Eve dinner together tonight.

Over at the first canteen...

Zhang Yuping, his mother, along with several chefs from the canteen, was hustling to prepare a lavish New Year's Eve dinner.

In no time, the deserted state of the school during the holiday gave way to the lively atmosphere infused with the essence of the New Year, due to the approaching New Year's Eve dinner tonight.

A little after seven in the evening...

Students began to gather at the first canteen from dormitory buildings in different directions.

"Happy New Year."

"Happy New Year."

Even if the students who happened to meet each other didn't know one another, they still energetically greeted each other and extended New Year's wishes.

On the third floor of the first canteen, about twenty tables had been set up, each accommodating eight people.

The tables were already filled with sumptuous New Year's Eve dinner dishes, beverages, beer. As students began to arrive, the venue became increasingly lively.

"Let me scan your Fu."

"Do you have a Dedication Fu? I have 100 Patriotism Fu to exchange!"

"Li Huamao, you didn't go home this year either?"

"Well, going home also means being alone. So, I stayed at school. I didn't expect it made me feel like home here after such a long time."

"Yeah, the school is great. It feels like home here. Everyone speaks so nicely. I really like it here."

Looking at students who stayed on campus during winter break spend a joyous New Year...

Ding Yue felt pretty pleased.

"Principal Ding, happy New Year."

At the staircase entrance to the third floor of the canteen, several staff members from the school's maintenance team greeted Ding Yue proactively and wished him a happy new year after seeing him.

These staff members had stayed in the school with his father during the winter break and Spring Festival.

They were responsible for the maintenance and usage of various school facilities and equipment.

As staff of Mist City Arts and Science University, of course, they were all invited to celebrate New Year's Eve together.

In addition to the maintenance staff, three security personnel from the security department also came.

As did the staff who stayed during the winter break to take care of the students staying on campus from the dormitory administration department. Although they didn't engage

in teaching work, they had all contributed their strength to Mist City Arts and Science University in the last semester.

Even though they all held ordinary jobs, in Mist City Arts and Science University, they were all indispensable.

"Hello to all of you, happy New Year, go ahead and find a seat."

By around eight o'clock, essentially everyone had arrived. Ding Yue, his sister Ding Xiaoyou and his parents were all sitting at the same table.

Over a hundred people gathered on the third floor of the first canteen and cheerfully began to watch the "Spring Festival Gala" while enjoying their New Year's Eve dinner.

Amid the laughter and merriment, Ding Yue felt this Spring Festival was unlike any in past years.

For both the students and staff present, this Spring Festival was warm and held a distinctive significance.

Ding Yue also specially asked his sister Ding Xiaoyou to take a good number of pictures of the New Year's Eve dinner at school.

Afterwards, these photos were shared via the official Twitter and TikTok accounts of the Mist City Arts and Science University.

Shortly after...

These images began circulating among the various professional class groups at Mist City Arts and Science University.

Those students who had gone home for the New Year, seeing the grand New Year's Eve dinner organized by school, all expressed their envy.

However, Principal Ding lovingly reminded them that during the New Year's holiday, being able to go home and reunite with family was naturally the best thing.

For those students who stayed behind for various reasons, the school was their home...

Chapter 113: Massive procurement of the first batch of teaching experiment equipment_1

Once the Spring Festival was over,

the days seemed to fly by rapidly.

In the blink of an eye, it was already February 26th, the Lantern Festival, which falls on the fifteenth day of the lunar month. In just two days, on the 1st of March, Mist City Arts and Science University would begin its new semester.

All universities across the country also resumed classes from after the Lantern Festival until the beginning of March.

As for University Town in Mist City,

it was also beginning to become lively with the return of the students.

On the 27th of February,

after the Lantern Festival, the faculties of the Mist City Arts and Science University also started returning to their posts.

It goes without saying for Huang Youjie and Xu Bin, who had arrived at the Mist City Arts and Science University on the eighth day of the lunar year to await their assignments from Principal Ding.

Huang Youjie was in charge of logistics, and needed to start coordinating various departments such as accommodation management and procurement before the start of the semester.

Logistics not only had to procure supplies for the dormitory apartment buildings but also for the supermarkets and cafeterias.

The most important aspect was the procurement for the robot experiment project. Only after Tong Yihang and his team from the Mechanical department had their materials and equipment, could they start building Big White's robot body.

Moreover, the medical teaching equipment for the School of Medicine was procured on February 28th, and new medical teaching equipment was installed in the various major teaching laboratories in the medical teaching area.

On the 1st of March,

all the more than 9,000 students of Mist City Arts and Science University safely returned to the university, officially beginning their new semester of university life.

"Principal Ding, your milk tea."

Principal's Office.

Like always, the first thing Wen Ruohan did every day was to bring a warm cup of bubble milk tea for Principal Ding.

She had returned to the Mist City Arts and Science University one week in advance.

While drinking his milk tea, Ding Yue was also dealing with some matters that had come up after the start of the term, mainly the materials and documents submitted by subordinate departments and colleges that needed Ding Yue's inspection and signature.

For instance, the School of Medicine had applied for the second batch of medical teaching equipment.

Since the School of Medicine had already started procuring teaching equipment, then the other colleges also needed to purchase teaching equipment for future practical training and experiments.

This was a major expense.

Ding!

"Congratulations to the Host for completing [Start of the 2021 Academic Year], Reward: 100 reputation points, 20 million yuan for education funds."

Suddenly,

a system prompt rang in Ding Yue's mind.

There was funding for the start of the term, this was somewhat exciting, as well as 100 reputation points.

Just this one-off of 20 million yuan in education funds was enough for Ding Yue to accomplish quite a lot.

The truth is, the start of the second term of each academic year was when there was the least to worry about, unlike each September intake, when it was necessary to take charge of the registration of new students, and the workload would skyrocket instantly.

Speaking of September,

after this semester ends, Mist City Arts and Science University would be welcoming the second batch of new students after the summer vacation.

By then, Mist City Arts and Science University will have both sophomores and freshmen.

Therefore,

Ding Yue's objective for this semester was clear, that was to make more College Entrance Exam students pay attention to Mist City Arts and Science University.

Once the school expands, it will be completely capable of accommodating more students.

With Mist City Arts and Science University's current reputation, Ding Yue believes that come September, there will be more students coming to Mist City Arts and Science University to start their university life.

"Principal Ding, after the various colleges saw that we approved the medical teaching equipment list for the Medical School, they all swarmed towards me to submit their own lists of teaching and experimentation equipment."

Huang Youjie's voice drifted out from the doorway of the Principal's Office.

He could be seen approaching Ding Yue, carrying a batch of procurement lists as he said, "Take a look."

"Purchasing teaching and experiment equipment is a given, or else would our school still operate or not?" Ding Yue rolled his eyes.

That is to say, currently, they are just freshmen.

After a few years, students will certainly need to do practical training in their respective majors, which will require teaching equipment matching their professions.

Ding Yue glanced at the list handed over by Huang Youjie.

On the list were all sorts of equipment: multi-functional electronics testing platforms, intelligent motor internal resistance devices, numerical control training machines, digital circuit logic experiment boxes, aircraft flight control systems, digital circuit experimenters, industrial network switches, programmable controllers, long focal length zoom video microscopes, ion chromatographs, architectural teaching models, laser rangefinders...

A ton of teaching, training, and experimental equipment touching on mechanical and electrical engineering, photoelectric information, electronic automation, chemical engineering and environmental science, architectural and civil engineering, and so on.

Ding Yue almost felt dizzy looking at it.

Besides these science and engineering teaching experiment devices, social sciences and arts majors also need appropriate teaching and training equipment.

For example, journalism and media broadcasting majors need broadcasting classrooms and related equipment.

Even newly established majors, such as the catering and gourmet food department and the Institute of Traditional Chinese Studies, also need to purchase some teaching equipment.

"The sum of all these, just the first batch of equipment requested by all departments, comes to about 130 million yuan in funds."

Looking at the total cost of the teaching equipment, Ding Yue couldn't help but feel immense pressure.

This is just for purchasing basic university teaching and experimental equipment. If one wants to further development and establish advanced key laboratories, the equipment needed would burn even more money.

It should be noted that a key professional laboratory might be worth hundreds of millions of yuan.

It seems that Ding Yue needs even more money to create a private university with solid teaching fundamentals.

"System, are there any tasks with more school funding rewards?"

Ding Yue immediately asked the system.

The system's response was that after completing the annual qualified enrollment, a large amount of school funds would be rewarded.

That is to say, if we complete the enrollment of freshmen every year, according to the reward criteria after the completion of enrollment last year, that is 100 million yuan.

But one hundred million yuan for the construction and development of a university is really too little.

Aside from that.

There would also be school funding rewards after Mist City Arts and Science University wins certain honors.

"Is the most abundant school funding reward when the level of Mist City Arts and Science University is promoted?"

The thought of the ten billion yuan reward after Mist City Arts and Science University was upgraded to the "minor achievements" level suddenly came to Ding Yue's mind.

This money gave Ding Yue the confidence to expand the campus, as well as purchase a large number of teaching and experimental equipment and various teaching expenditures.

But in the future, places where Mist City Arts and Science University will burn money will definitely become more and more.

Ding!

"As the school's level increases, the proportion of school funding rewards will decrease, and the proportion of other rewards will increase. If the host needs school funding, it can be solved according to the actual situation of the school and the Feiyue Group behind it."

"I see."

After hearing the system's response, Ding Yue started to ponder.

The system probably means, in the future, as the level of Mist City Arts and Science University increases, the proportion of school fund rewards would be reduced, even to the point where no school funding rewards are given.

Ding Yue admitted that he could understand this.

The system also gave Ding Yue a solution, which is actually the same as Ding Yue's original idea when he created the Feiyue Group.

That is to use the connection between Feiyue Group and Mist City Arts and Science University, with Mist City Arts and Science University providing technology and talent to Feiyue Group to make profits, and then input more school funds into Mist City Arts and Science University.

If such an internal cycle can be accomplished, Ding Yue wouldn't have to worry about money at all.

But the problem is.

How can Feiyue Group make money by leveraging the advantages of Mist City Arts and Science University?

The first thing that came to Ding Yue's mind was his Big White robot experiment project.

If this project can be completed, a home personal health assistant robot product can be launched on the market.

"Yue, do we need to continue recruiting faculty members for this semester?"

Just as Ding Yue was pondering money matters, Bin's voice came through.

Chapter 114: Opportunity Comes!_1

"Of course, we need to continue recruiting teaching staff."

Ding Yue answered Xu Bin's question without hesitation.

"Right, after this semester ends, we will start recruiting new students for September. The annual recruitment is of the utmost importance, so we will need more university teachers and other staff by then."

Huang Youjie, for once, made a clever analysis.

"Huang is right. Currently, we only have around five hundred faculty members at Mist City Arts and Science University, which barely meets the needs of our nine thousand six hundred or so students. I estimate that the number of new students this year will definitely exceed ten thousand, so the number of faculty members must be at least one thousand, if not more."

Ding Yue set the target for this year's faculty recruitment for Xu Bin, who was in charge of administrative affairs.

The goal is to double the number of faculty members.

It's true that many lecturers can teach freshmen and sophomores, and some courses in some majors are actually interconnected.

But as the number of students in the school increases, if there aren't enough faculty members, the overall teaching and daily operations of the school may become sluggish.

Ding Yue doesn't want to see that happen.

"Okay, the recruitment of faculty members, I will continue to handle it," agreed Xu Bin.

"Additionally, our teaching team can't be only teaching assistants and lecturers, we must also have professors."

Ding Yue thought of the [University Professor Identification Card] he had won from his [University Treasure Chest].

With this card, Ding Yue can specifically recruit university professors to his school, enriching the teaching team.

Moreover, the level of professors at a university, in a sense, represents the teaching level of that university.

"It's not that easy to recruit professors. Even associate professors are hard to find."

Xu Bin shook his head helplessly.

At present, most of the teachers at Mist City Arts and Science University are at the lecturer level.

A typical university has four levels of faculty positions.

They are teaching assistants, lecturers, associate professors, and professors.

The main job of teaching assistants is to assist in teaching; they can't independently conduct a specialized course. At this stage, some of the faculty at Mist City Arts and Science University are teaching assistants.

These positions can be filled by graduate students.

Then there are the lecturers.

Lecturers are university teachers who can independently offer one or more courses. They are the most common on university campuses.

Most of the instructors at Mist City Arts and Science University are lecturers.

Needless to say, associate professors and professors.

In addition to teaching undergraduates, associate professors and professors can guide graduate students to complete creative work that does not currently exist in the bank of knowledge and methods.

If Ding Yue wants Mist City Arts and Science University to have a master's program, then the school must have faculty at the professor level.

But the problem is...

As Xu Bin just said, professors are not so easy to recruit.

Moreover, Mist City Arts and Science University's foundation isn't very strong yet. Professors are working well in other universities, why would they come to a lesser-known private university like Mist City Arts and Science University?

"We'll have to figure out a way. There's always more solutions than problems!" Ding Yue shrugged and said to his two partners.

"Brother Yue, I've been thinking, to attract professors to work at Mist City Arts and Science University, first of all, we need to have something impressive to show, does the Hop Cup award that the Architecture School won count?"

"Of course it counts."

Ding Yue nodded, thinking this was a direction worthy of breakthrough.

Mist City Arts and Science University's Architecture School has won the Hop Cup Best Creative Award last year, which is a notable honor.

Huang Youjie's idea is to use this honor to recruit professors in the field of architecture.

Ding!

"Congratulations, Host, for obtaining the task [University Professors]."

"University Professors Task: The school has 5 or more professors."

"Task Reward: 100 Reputation Points, one [University Treasure Chest (Level 2)]."

Just as Ding Yue was discussing with Huang Youjie and Xu Bin about hiring professors, the system timely issued a new task to Ding Yue.

This task perfectly matches what Ding Yue wants to do.

This supports Ding Yue's previous speculation.

That is, when he wants to do something related to the school, the system often generates a corresponding task.

This is done to encourage Ding Yue to accomplish the task.

So it seems that it is a must for Mist City Arts and Science University to recruit at least five professors to work in the new semester.

"Bin, you start recruiting teaching assistants, lecturers, and other staff first, and then compile a list of professors from architecture majors in universities in and around Mist City for me."

"Ok, I will do it right away."

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A week later.

On Friday, Ding Yue was conducting the "Measurement of Young's Modulus" physics experiment in an ordinary laboratory of the newly formed Physics Department.

This semester, Ding Yue only needs to complete the related experimental courses for the physics major to earn the full credits and graduate.

Suddenly, a phone call came in.

"Hello?"

"Principal Ding, it's me, Chen Ping."

"Director Chen, what's up? Is there some problem with the construction project?" Ding Yue asked.

As the construction of Mist City Arts and Science University was mainly managed by Chen Ping, the Dean of the Architecture College, Ding Yue thought it would be something related to the construction project when Chen Ping called him.

"No, Principal Ding, the construction project is going very smoothly. The thing is, I heard from Director Xu that the school is currently recruiting professors in various majors, is that right?"

"Yes, do you have a recommendation, Director Chen?"

"Well, my university teacher Liu Gongcheng, the Civil Engineering Professor from Carp City Architecture University..."

Upon hearing this, Ding Yue's eyes lit up and he immediately asked, "Is there a chance for Professor Liu to come to our Mist City Arts and Science University?"

"Professor Liu has recently encountered some issues at home and may need a sum of money, so he's considering whether to switch to a better place." Chen Ping replied with a slightly heavy tone.

Whoosh!

In an instant, Ding Yue's mind stirred and he pulled up the system interface.

Then he used the [University Professor Identification Card] tool.

"Liu Gongcheng."

Ding Yue wrote this name on the [University Professor Identification Card].

The next second.

The corresponding identification information appeared on the card.

[University Professor Identification Card]——

Name: Liu Gongcheng

Position: Professor (Carp City Architecture University Civil Engineering)

Employability Rate: 60%

Suggestion: The host can offer the professor the salary and benefits he wants to increase the employability rate.

"Okay, then I'll make a trip to Carp City."

After speaking, Ding Yue hung up Chen Ping's phone and called his secretary, Wen Ruohan.

"Principal Ding, what can I do for you?"

"Book a flight to Carp City for me."

The next day.

Mist City Airport.

Chapter 115: Listing Speech 1

The book will be officially launched tomorrow around 12:30 noon. I'm very grateful for the support you've given me all along, and I hope you will continue to do so after the launch.

To be honest, the market situation this year has been quite unfavorable. For me, it's been nothing but heartache.

Because in November last year, I used all the savings I had accumulated from several years of working and, together with some buddies, opened a hot pot shop. Initially, business was good and I thought I too would reach the pinnacle of success like many of you readers.

However, an unfortunate series of events occurred not long after we started the business. We lost so much it was as if we served in the National Army for 49 years only to lose everything. We couldn't rent out the shop because of the sky-high rent, I felt suffocated under the pressure, and in the end, we went bankrupt, drowned in debt.

Even the girlfriend that I had been dating for three years broke up with me during this period.

Damn it!

When a man is down on his luck, does he even get his teeth stuck when trying to drink cold water?

I thought I had hit rock bottom in life.

But reality told me, you think that's the end of it?

Not at all!

After the hot pot shop went under, I had to look for a job to survive. It was a tough time to find work, but opportunities always come around.

There was a period where street vending was very popular.

I always seize any opportunity that presents itself. As the weather got hotter, I joined the vending craze and started selling cold noodles, cold skin, mung bean jelly, chilled shrimp, and popsicles in the street. I worked from dawn to dusk, losing more than ten pounds from exhaustion.

The cold noodles and cold skin I sold were really tasty. It's a pity I don't sell them anymore; my handsome readers won't be able to taste them.

I did make a bit of money from this venture and was starting to see light at the end of the tunnel.

But then a friend asked me for a loan. Being the kind-hearted soul that I am, I lent him the money without hesitation. Damn it, why are there such animals in the world who gamble away their borrowed money and then just disappear?!

I was truly dumbfounded at the time.

I have always enjoyed writing stories since middle school and high school. Back in high school, I would save my lunch money every week to go to internet cafes, where I clumsily typed away at the keyboard to create the stories I wanted to tell.

I was quite naïve during that period, not understanding the rules of online publishing. I found it hard to get my work contracted and couldn't manage daily updates, so I usually spent my weekends at the internet café writing non-stop and then uploaded everything all at once.

I miss those days. I was so driven by passion and enthusiasm and didn't care about the payback. I remember seeing a reader reward me with 100 Start Coins (unsigned work could still be rewarded at that time; I don't know if you've experienced that). I got so excited I would jump up from my seat, and then the other patrons playing games in the cafe would look at me as if I were crazy.

I would use the money I saved to write more, and sometimes when I stepped out of the internet café and realized it was dark and I had run out of internet money, I would find it was raining heavily.

But I would happily walk back to school in the rain because the thought of my new updates keeping my readers entertained (how naïve of me, who would read the stuff I was writing then! And I only updated once a week! How stupid was that!) kept me going.

Let's stop reminiscing for now; it only brings a bitter taste. Back to my story.

After my friend ran away with my money, I adjusted my state of mind and decided to go back to writing novels, which I truly enjoyed. I hoped I could also make a bit of money to cover my living expenses, and thus I started my first book under a pseudonym "Adorable Kid". When it came to publishing, the results were so poor that I received a major blow!

Finally.

I realized something. I'm just not good at anything, am I? Am I just the number one fool in the world?

No!

This isn't me!

But one day, I happened to watch an old film called "College Entrance Examination" again. It's a very inspiring movie, and I realized – the destiny of Nezha, no, my destiny, is to defy fate!

Then the movie "College Entrance Examination" gave me great inspiration!

Also, the college entrance examination was coming up when I was preparing to write the book, so this theme was very timely. Taking a cue from the film's plotline of a failed college exam candidate starting a fake school, I decided to center my story on establishing a school, farming, fostering talent, developing technology, and glorifying our great Chinese civilization. I felt this story could work!

So, I started preparing actively, doing research. I remember one day I spent all night doing research until my eyes were sore.

Finally, I began writing "Fake University".

Luckily, heaven rewards the diligent!

Up until now, "Fake University" has done quite well, amassing over 40,000 collections. Even though there are reviewers who constantly nitpick and criticize as if they were operating a Gatling gun, when I check their profile, lo and behold, they're reading pirated versions!

A lot of my author friends have noticed that these pirate readers not only read pirated versions, they also love to come to the legit platforms and stir up trouble. They wouldn't stop until they make the authors explode with frustration. It's infuriating!

Thanks to everything I've been through, I've grown a thick skin. Trolls, you can't bring me down. Save your efforts!!!

Also, did you know, research shows...

For every freeloader who indulges in pirated books, the author suffers a bit more. Follow my mantra: No freeloaders, no harm!

Support legal copies! Starting with me!

When it comes to "Fake University", its journey to growth also has its share of bumps, just like my half a year's ordeal.

Firstly, this book was initially submitted to Winnie, the super beautiful editor of the urban novels division, for contract signing.

But when I officially published this book, Winnie got promoted. I think she went from being a responsible editor to the chief editor. Congratulations to her.

Chapter 116: Professor, Scholarships and Financial Aid

Carp City.

Three-thirty in the afternoon.

In a hotel reception hall near Carp City Architecture University.

Ding Yue and his secretary Wen Ruohan are here waiting for the arrival of Professor Liu Gongcheng. This meeting with Professor Liu Gongcheng is primarily arranged by Chen Ping, who should be coming soon.

On this trip to Carp City, Ding Yue is quite confident about inviting Professor Liu Gongcheng to teach at Mist City Arts and Science University.

After all, the identification result on [University Professor Identification Card] indicates that Professor Liu Gongcheng has a high probability of being hired, and the difficulty of recruitment is not great.

About five minutes later.

Liu Gongcheng arrived at the hotel's reception hall.

"You must be Professor Liu, right?"

Upon seeing Liu Gongcheng, Ding Yue enthusiastically stepped forward to shake hands and greet him.

"Hello, hello."

Liu Gongcheng was also very enthusiastic.

Chen Ping roughly told Ding Yue about his teacher, Liu Gongcheng, who due to family reasons, needs a job at a school with better benefits.

In other words.

For Ding Yue, hiring Professor Liu Gongcheng at Mist City Arts and Science University means that money can basically solve the problem.

"Professor Liu, what would you like to drink?"

Wen Ruohan, proving very considerate, stepped forward to respectfully ask Professor Liu Gongcheng.

"A glass of water, thank you."

"Waiter, a glass of water this way." Wen Ruohan immediately called to the waiter.

"Professor Liu, since we're meeting, let me cut to the chase."

Ding Yue was quite straightforward.

"Sure." Liu Gongcheng nodded.

In fact, he had been sizing up the young man in front of him—an outstanding talent who inherited the family business at a young age and became the board director of Mist City Arts and Science University.

This is rare in private universities.

Even Mist City Arts and Science University is a very special university, as it was established only last year.

However, after researching some information, Liu Gongcheng found out that Mist City Arts and Science University was established on the basis of the former Mist City Siyuan University.

That makes sense, then.

"Professor Liu, we learned that you need a job with better salary and benefits. After Chen Ping's recommendation, our Mist City Arts and Science University would like to hire you as a teacher."

Ding Yue stated his intention directly.

Because Ding Yue could tell that Professor Liu Gongcheng is a very forthright person, his mental outlook and all that looked quite good.

Apparently, he is fifty-three this year.

"Principal Ding, I'm wondering what kind of benefits your Mist City Arts and Science University can offer?"

Liu Gongcheng asked directly.

This is his most concern.

Because his son's illness requires a large sum of money for treatment, which has already exhausted the family's savings. And because the educational level of Carp City Architecture University has been declining year by year, the welfare and benefits of the faculty have also been reduced.

Therefore, Liu Gongcheng is considering taking a position at a university with better benefits.

"Professor Liu, I'm a very straightforward person. After coming to Mist City Arts and Science University, your current salary will increase by 50%, and our university's faculty benefits are definitely much better than those at your current Carp City Architecture University."

Ding Yue gave the terms of Mist City Arts and Science University.

This is undoubtedly an attractive offer to Liu Gongcheng.

After all, his professor's salary is quite good, and an increase of 50% on this basis is not a small amount.

"Principal Ding, thank you very much for offering such good terms. But I will be straightforward. Can I receive an advance on two years' salary and benefits when signing the contract?"

Liu Gongcheng gritted his teeth and put forth his conditions.

"Of course. Director Chen Ping has told me about your family situation. I believe your son's operation will definitely be successful. To show our warm welcome and sincerity at Mist City Arts and Science University, I'm willing to donate 100,000 yuan for his medical expenses."

Ding Yue agreed almost without hesitation.

Then he proposed to donate another 100,000 yuan, which instantly reassured Professor Liu Gongcheng.

You should know.

Professor Liu Gongcheng must have contacted more than one university. If he is to make up his mind to come to Mist City Arts and Science University, he needs to feel the advantages of Mist City Arts and Science University.

This 100,000 yuan may not mean much to Ding Yue.

But for Professor Liu Gongcheng, it was a different story.

"Thank you, thank you, Principal Ding!"

Liu Gongcheng was extremely grateful.

Ding Yue smiled slightly and said, "Professor Liu, you don't have to be so polite. Since you're willing to come to our Mist City Arts and Science University, you're one of us from now on. You can regard Mist City Arts and Science University as your home."

Liu Gongcheng was truly moved. He didn't expect that after so many years, he could still encounter such a warm and welcoming university.

Moreover, it is a private university.

In most people's eyes, private universities are almost synonymous with making money because they charge high tuition fees with poor teaching quality. Except for a few strong private universities, other private universities often get a lot of bad press.

Yet, Mist City Arts and Science University is different, as Liu Gongcheng learned through the internet and his student Chen Ping before meeting with Ding Yue.

Even though the students admitted to Mist City Arts and Sciences University all failed the College Entrance Examination, the academic atmosphere of the school is exceptional. Thus, within a single term, a teacher-student team from the Architecture College was able to win the Hop Cup Best Creative Award.

This shows that the future is promising for this private institution!

On the other hand,

The Carp City Architecture University where Liu Gongcheng currently teaches is too rigid due to the entrenched mentality of the school leaders. With no strong ambition for progress, the university is stagnant and its competitiveness is gradually decreasing, hence, it has started to decline annually.

"Professor Liu, let me welcome you to Mist City Arts and Sciences University in advance," Ding Yue said, having finished their discussion and rising to shake hands with Professor Liu Gongcheng.

"Thank you, Principal Ding," Liu Gongcheng responded warmly, nodding his head slightly.

Ding Yue then took an employment contract from Wen Ruohan and offered it to Liu Gongcheng. "Professor Liu, please review the employment agreement carefully when you return. If there are any points that need to be negotiated, you can contact my secretary at any time."

"Alright."

When Liu Gongcheng received the contract, his hand trembled slightly from excitement.

That very night, Liu Gongcheng called Ding Yue to confirm that there were no issues with the employment contract.

The next morning, before Ding Yue left Carp City, Liu Gongcheng came to his hotel to officially sign the contract.

Later, at Carp City airport,

Ding Yue leisurely pulled up his system interface aboard the plane, in high spirits.

Task—[University Professor]

Progress: 1/5

If he recruits four more professors, Ding Yue will receive a Level 2 University Treasure Chest.

In fact, Ding Yue is more eager to recruit professors like Teacher Luo Xiang.

After all, if this kind of professor could come to teach at Mist City Arts and Sciences University, it would be a great sensation, demonstrating the university's strength.

Ding Yue could also earn points to exchange and upgrade experience to increase the Popularity Value of Mist City Arts and Sciences University.

However,

Recruiting a professor like Luo Xiang is easier said than done. Mist City Arts and Sciences University would first have to create a legal robot to catch Luo Xiang's attention.

It seems that they need to expedite the Big White Robot project.

Upon returning to Mist City Arts and Sciences University, Ding Yue had Huang Youjie, who was in charge of logistics, arrange a set of apartments in the school's apartment building, preparing it in advance for Professor Liu Gongcheng.

It is a matter of course for university professors like Liu Gongcheng to be provided with a set of apartments for accommodation by the university.

Moreover, someone like Liu Gongcheng, who is being transferred from Carp City to teach in Mist City, has a greater need for a housing unit.

After settling the matter of Professor Liu Gongcheng, Ding Yue focused on completing his physics experiments one after another over the next period.

These included the mechanical young modulus measurement experiment, the optical experiment Michelson Interferometer, and the electrical experiment: the semiconductor electric photoelectric device characteristic measurement.

For Ding Yue, these experiments were not too challenging.

After he finished, he easily earned credits.

Half a month later, Liu Gongcheng arrived in Mist City from Carp City. Mist City Arts and Sciences University received its first Civil Engineering Professor.

The students of the Architecture College were very proud and elated.

Because, so far, within the entire school, there is only one professor,

The teaching work in March at Mist City Arts and Sciences University was carried out smoothly.

The teams from the Medical College, Law Department, Mechanical Department, and Computer Department have also begun the preliminary phase of the Big White Project one after the other.

In early April,

Ding Yue was in his office with Director Qi Chunsheng from the Academic Affairs Office discussing matters related to the scholarships and grants for the first academic year.

"So, our private university can also apply for National Scholarships and Grants, right?"

Ding Yue understood that in Parallel World's Xia Country, as long as the Private University's degree is recognized by the state, it also has the allocation of scholarships and grants.

"Yes, but compared to public universities, the proportion of quotas for our private universities would be lesser."

"That's no problem, we can also set up our scholarships and grants."

Ding Yue reasoned that scholarships and grants were necessary incentives for students in any university.

Since private universities have a lower allocation of National Scholarships and Grants, Ding Yue could completely fund and set up scholarships and grants specifically for his university.

"But what kind of scale and proportion should we require for our university's scholarships and grants?" Ding Yue asked again.

"Principal Ding, the National Scholarship is 8,000 yuan per student per academic year, whereas the National Grant for universities in Mist City generally ranges from 1,500 to 3,000 yuan."

"Alright. Let's set the University Grant to range from 1,500 to 3,000 yuan. As for the scholarships, to motivate students to study hard, let's set it to 15,000 yuan per academic year!"

Ding Yue knew that the number of students who applied for grants would be much higher than those who applied for scholarships, since scholarships are usually only awarded to students who rank at the top in their respective majors.

So, by setting the scholarship amount higher, it can motivate students to work harder.

In terms of grants, in addition to the National Grant that students can apply for, the school can simply increase the proportion of students receiving grants, according to the amount of the National Grant.

"Well, as Principal Ding says." Once Qi Chunsheng noted down Ding Yue's instructions, he nodded and said, "Then I'll arrange for the tutors of each department to notify the students to apply for scholarships and grants."

"Okay!"

Knock, Knock, Knock!

Suddenly, someone knocked on the office door.

Chapter 117: More than 3,000 Case Studies and Treatment Plans (2)_1

The person who entered was the tall secretary, Wen Ruohan.

Seeing Principal Ding was discussing matters with Director Qi from the Academic Affairs Office, Wen Ruohan carefully approached, bending to whisper in Ding Yue's ear, "Principal Ding, Tong Yihang and Liu Tiefei from the Department of Mechanical Engineering said they need to see you."

"Understood."

After hearing the message, Ding Yue gave a slight nod, then relayed some instructions to Qi Chunsheng, "Director Qi, when you go back, please oversee the scholarship program. Make sure that the scholarships are distributed with fairness and justice. Reward those who excel academically, and make sure that assistance is given to students who truly come from impoverished families. I don't want to see students from wealthy families squandering these funds."

"Of course, Principal Ding, we will definitely carry out strict audits."

"Alright, go on."

After Director Qi Chunsheng left, Ding Yue had Secretary Wen Ruohan call Tong Yihang and Liu Tiefei into his office.

They entered enthusiastically, holding something akin to a poster.

"What's got you so excited?"

Ding Yue asked curiously.

"Principal Ding, the robot competition, the National Robotics Competition is open for registration!!!"

Tong Yihang placed the national robot competition publicity poster on the curator's desk with excitement.

"Principal Ding, can we register to participate?" Liu Tiefei asked, his eyes filled with anticipation.

"It seems like you're eager to participate in this year's National Robotics Competition," Ding Yue smiled and gave a slight nod. "Go ahead and register."

Ding Yue wasn't sure how far the Big White project could be pushed this year, but there's no harm in registering for a competition.

If they got lucky and won a prize, it would fulfill the honor task and yield generous rewards.

It would be a win-win situation.

"Great! Principal Ding, we will definitely strive to win a prize for Big White!"

Tong Yihang declared excitedly.

"You may register, but are you confident that you will be able to build the body of Big White before the competition starts?" Ding Yue stood up, "Come on, let's check out your progress."

"We should be able to do that. We've completed the body of Big White Robot. But what if the intelligent chip from the computer science department isn't ready yet?"

Tong Yihang was pretty confident in their team's engineering capability.

What he worried about was their most crucial intelligent chip.

The chip programming task was handled by Xu Bin and students in the computer science department, and the chip they purchased from Guoxing Technology had already been delivered during the previous semester.

But the progress on the computer science part largely depended on how well the medical and legal advice was organized by the medical and law departments.

"I will try to expedite the work on the computer science department, as well as the medical and law departments." Ding Yue reassured Tong Yihang and Liu Tiefei.

The three of them arrived at the Big White mechanical manufacturing lab in the Department of Mechanical Engineering building.

Tong Yihang and Liu Tiefei were building Big White's robotic body in this lab.

Inside the lab, there was another student and a teacher from the mechanical engineering department.

"Principal Ding, this is our classmate Yang Jie, and this is our Professor Li."

Tong Yihang introduced the other two members of his team.

Upon hearing "Yang Jie," Ding Yue couldn't help but recall the student athlete Yang Chen who had sought to work a labor job during the winter break.

They wouldn't be brothers, would they?

"Principal Ding, I'm Li Shengbin, the counselor for the mechatronics major in the Mechanical Engineering Department." Professor Li, wearing a worn-out pair of black-framed glasses, came forward and shook hands with Ding Yue.

"Hello, are there only the four of you in your team?" Of course, Principal Ding exchanged pleasantries before getting down to business.

"Yes Principal Ding, currently there are only four of us."

"What stage of production are you at now?"

Ding Yue looked around the lab crowded with all sorts of tools and asked another question.

The lab was a bit messy, but Tong Yihang and his team probably have their own reasons for it.

Tong Yihang moved to a corner and took out a piece of smooth, white material from a dark gray box.

"Principal Ding, we have finished making the polyvinyl alcohol fiber material for Big White and were able to make this material's tensile strength exceptionally high."

As Tong Yihang spoke, he demonstrated stretching the polyvinyl alcohol fiber material in his hand.

From the speed and strength of Tong Yihang's pulling motion, it was evident that the tensile strength of the material was impressively high.

Once they put together a body for Big White from this highly tensile material, it would provide a pillowy feel. You could squeeze it however you want. The tactile feeling was simply heavenly.

"Is this robotic arm made for Big White?"

Ding Yue's attention was drawn to a robotic arm on the manufacturing bench.

The arm looked like something straight out of a science fiction film, but he didn't know how practical it would be.

The most important aspect was sensitivity.

"Correct, this is one of Big White's arms. Currently, we are constructing the brake part that connects the arms with the frame and testing its joint sensitivity." Professor Li Shengbin quickly responded to Principal Ding's query.

"From the look of things, you've already started making Big White's skeleton and braking parts. The progress is pretty good."

Ding Yue looked at Mr. Li Shengbin and gave a satisfied nod to the progress of their mechanical engineering team.

Afterwards, when Ding Yue was about to ask his secretary, Wen Ruohan to call Huang Youjie and Xu Bin, he realized that she wasn't behind him.

Not far away, Wen Ruohan was attracted by all sorts of machinery and equipment in the room.

She seemed like a curious baby who had stepped into a fairy forest.

"Miss Wen Ruohan."

Ding Yue called out to her.

"Ah, ah, ah, I'm here."

On hearing her name, Wen Ruohan hurried over and gave a bit of an airheaded laugh, "Hehe, Principal Ding, everything in this room is so interesting."

"A Secretary Studies girl interested in these? Quickly, help me notify Huang Youjie and Xu Bin, I need to see them."

Ding Yue stared at Wen Ruohan and ordered.

Wen Ruohan couldn't help but scratch her head, then quickly took out her phone to help Principal Ding contact Director Huang and Director Xu.

Meanwhile, Tong Yihang was continuing to show Ding Yue around their mechanical manufacturing laboratory.

Liu Tiefei and teacher Li Shengbin were busy testing the mechanical arm.

About ten minutes later, Huang Youjie and Xu Bin appeared at the mechanical manufacturing laboratory doors.

"Principal Ding, did you need us?"

Huang Youjie, seeing strangers present, addressed Ding Yue formally as "Principal".

However, in private, the three of them would simply call him "Brother Yue".

"Didn't I have you be part of the Big White robot project last semester? How is that progressing?"

Seeing them come over, Ding Yue asked directly.

"Isn't this project in no rush?" Xu Bin splayed his hands out, furrowing his brows, "Our side has already received the Guoxing Technology chipset, the quality is pretty good but each chip can only be programmed with one execution scheme, and right now we don't have a scheme. Our computer department team can't work without it."

Indeed.

The intelligent program they had written was in the middle part of the Big White robot project.

It required that the medical and legal professionals in the upper areas had organized a plan. Only then could they write the corresponding programs based on these plans.

On the other hand, the work that Tong Yihang and his cohort were doing could operate on its own.

Yet all parts needed to be linked together to form the Big White robot that Ding Yue wanted.

After listening to Xu Bin's explanation, Ding Yue immediately looked at Huang Youjie: "Huang, what does your law school say?"

"As soon as the semester started, we began organizing legal plans, but there are so many laws in our country. To gather all these, it's a big task. And there's a lack of students in our law department, even fewer at my level. I had to call two law teachers on board with this."

Huang Youjie started pouring out his grievances the moment he started speaking.

Ding Yue could understand, after all, there are indeed a lot of laws in Xia Country - the criminal law, public security administration law, marriage law... sorting out corresponding events based on these laws was a large task.

"Why don't we recruit a few more teachers for the law department?" Ding Yue pondered before suggesting.

"I agree. After all, our law department will gain more students after recruitments in September. It's okay to recruit a few more teachers. We can recruit from the famous law firms in Mist City, it won't be hard."

Huang Youjie immediately raised both his hands in agreement when he heard this.

"Alright, Bin, leave this matter to your administration personnel." Ding Yue turned to Xu Bin and ordered.

"Alright."

No doubt Huang was right. It was indeed easy to hire law teachers. All we needed to do was approach the famous law firms in Mist City, offering them a chance. These kinds of lawyers can usually teach part-time in universities. Besides, Ding Yue could use [University Teacher Qualification Cards] from his system to grant them teaching qualifications.

"Even if your law department has to do more work, the medical department should not have any problems, right?"

Ding Yue suspected that it might take some time to complete the legal plans.

But if the medical department could complete the medical treatment plan in advance, they could give it Xu Bin's Computer Department to write the intelligent program as soon as possible. Then they could at least get the healthcare robot, Big White done.

Thinking of this, he asked his secretary Wen Ruohan to get in touch with the Director of the Medical College, Bai Liwei.

"Principal Ding, the call is connected."

Wen Ruohan handed the connected phone to Ding Yue.

Ding Yue took over the phone: "Hello, Director Bai, how is the medical treatment plan I asked your medical department to prepare last semester?"

"Principal Ding, we medical department students are quite busy now, apart from our regular teaching work, we are using almost all our time to organize this medical treatment guide. Thanks to the combined efforts of our Medical Department's teachers and students, we've already sorted over 3000 kinds of ordinary diseases and treatment plans."

On the phone, Director Bai Liwei reported.

"Over 3000 kinds of diseases and treatment plans, that's not bad. Our medical department needs to work harder, put in more effort. If we can sort out more than 10,000 diseases and treatment plans before the end of May, the school will give generous rewards."

Ding Yue understood one thing: If he wanted the horse to run, he would have to feed it better grass.

Chapter 118: School Patent Infringed? (3)_1

"Principal Ding, rest assured, our faculty and student teams at the Medical School will continue to work diligently on compiling the 'Complete Collection of Medical Cases and Treatment Schemes'."

Bai Liwei knew this.

This was the time to make a good impression.

In the future, the Medical School might be considered by Principal Ding as a focal department for development.

Once regarded as a priority by the university, the educational funds from the university group would surely lean towards the Medical School.

This was a great opportunity for Mist City Arts and Science University's Medical School to rise to prominence.

"Also, Director Bai, remember to apply for a patent for the 'Complete Collection of Medical Cases and Treatment Schemes' that you've compiled."

Ding Yue reminded him.

The School would certainly place emphasis on patenting.

After all, the 'Complete Collection of Medical Cases and Treatment Schemes' is the fruit of labor contributed by the faculty and student teams of the Medical School of the Mist City Arts and Science University, for which patent protection should definitely be sought.

Last semester, the architecture team led by Liu Chuanjie submitted a patent for their library design 'Bookship' after it won the Hop Cup Best Creative Award.

Ding Yue always valued patent applications and copyright of products researched and developed by students or teams of the Mist City Arts and Science University.

After applying for the patent, Ding Yue usually held onto it for the school.

For example, the architecture team's design patent for 'Bookship' is now held by Mist City Arts and Science University.

Of course, the team led by Liu Chuanjie also received appropriate compensation.

Similarly.

Once Tong Yihang and Liu Tiefei's team create their robot Big White, Ding Yue would also buy the patent.

Only by keeping patents and copyrights in his own hands could Ding Yue maximize their value.

"Understood, Principal Ding. After we've compiled the 'Complete Collection of Medical Cases and Treatment Schemes' at the Medical School, we'll submit the materials to the National Patent Agency for patent application."

"Alright, keep up the good work."

After hanging up the phone, Ding Yue turned to Tong Yihang's team: "Don't forget to apply for a patent for the Big White robot you've developed with Polyvinyl Alcohol Fiber + Carbon Fiber as the main structure, understand?"

"Yes, we understand Principal Ding." Tong Yihang immediately nodded.

Once the Big White robot is patented, they wouldn't need to worry about someone infringing on their rights if it was widely popular and loved by people.

After touring the Mechanical Manufacturing Laboratory in the Mechanical Engineering Department for half an hour, Ding Yue returned to his office.

Huang Youjie and Xu Bin went back to take care of their own responsibilities.

Ding Yue, who had returned to his office and was browsing the system mall, was suddenly interrupted by his secretary, Wen Ruohan.

"Principal Ding, something's happened!"

Wen Ruohan rushed to the office desk, swallowed, and said.

"What happened?"

Upon hearing this, Ding Yue's heart skipped a beat. He immediately put away the system panel, wondering if there had been a safety incident at the school expansion construction site?

Could he really be that unlucky?

"Principal Ding, our school's library design patent has been infringed upon!" Wen Ruohan said indignantly.

She had her phone in hand and was about to show Principal Ding the information online.

At this moment, Ding Yue's phone rang.

It was Director Chen Ping from the Architecture School who had called. Ding Yue immediately picked up the phone: "Hello, Director Chen."

"Principal Ding, we have just discovered that the county library design approved by Shuisi County seems to infringe upon our school's 'Bookship' library design patent."

Upon answering the call, Chen Ping immediately informed Ding Yue about the issue.

"What?"

Confused, Ding Yue felt that it would be difficult to clarify over the phone, so he asked Director Chen Ping to bring Liu Chuanjie, student Cui Hai and teacher Su Weize to his office.

"Alright, I'll call Liu Chuanjie and Su right away and head over."

Beep beep beep.

After hanging up, Ding Yue looked up solemnly at Wen Ruohan, his brow furrowed, and asked, "Director Chen just mentioned to me that Shuisi County's county library design has infringed our school's library design patent. What exactly happened?"

No way, Ding Yue thought. How can something like this happen?

"Principal Ding, this is what happened. This morning, the Shuisi County Construction official Twitter account announced the construction of what they claimed to be the largest county library in the nation, revealing the design. Our students chanced upon this tweet and noticed that the design for Shuisi County's library strongly resembled that of our new 'Bookship' library."

As Wen Ruohan spoke, she found the tweet on her mobile device and handed it over to Ding Yue to see.

At first glance, Ding Yue instantly thought of the 'Bookship' designed by Liu Chuanjie's team.

"Isn't this design our 'Bookship'?"

Ding Yue furrowed his brows.

"Yes, it's too similar. Even the design concepts are the same. It's too outrageous!" Wen Ruohan was so angry that she stomped her foot.

You see, on the internet, Wen Ruohan was a battler.

Ding Yue looked up Shuisi County online, a place in the southwest of Xia Country known for its quirky character. In recent years, they had obtained countless loans to construct landmark buildings. They're currently preparing to build a sensational, largest county library in the country.

Furthermore, the design for the library had already been set.

Ha!

As it turned out, the county library's design had infringed upon the patent of Mist City Arts and Science University's 'Bookship.'

How could this happen?

Ding!

"Congratulations to the host for obtaining the task [Protect Patent Rights]!"

"Task Details: The school's design patent has been infringed upon. Please ensure that the school's patent is protected properly."

"Task Rewards: +50 reputation points, +5 million education fund, +1 Level 1 University Treasure Chest."

Upon hearing the task alert from the system in his mind, Ding Yue immediately instructed Wen Ruohan: "Wen Ruohan, call Director Huang and Tan, the director of the law school, over!"

"Yes, Principal Ding."

The best solution for an infringement of a design patent is to use legal means to protect the school's patent.

A corresponding system task was generated just in time.

As long as Ding Yue successfully safeguards this wave of patent infringements, he can also obtain system rewards, thus ensuring a gain without a loss.

At the same time, this presents an opportunity to create some buzz.

"Also, get Director Liu Hongxia from the Publicity Department over here too," Ding Yue added, a smirk forming at the corner of his mouth.

If they prevailed in the lawsuit for Shuisi County's architectural design infringement, it would undoubtedly be sensational news.

Ding Yue could already envision Mist City Arts and Science University raking in another wave of popularity.

Before long, Director Chen Ping arrived at the Principal's office with Liu Chuanjie and Cui Hai, and Professor Su Weize, among others.

Upon a second confirmation by Liu Chuanjie's team.

The architectural design of Shuisi County was indeed largely similar to their 'Bookship' design.

Huang Youjie and Tan Yongyuan, the department head of the law school, also arrived.

"Principal Ding, this architectural design is basically a copy of our school's 'Bookship' library design," Huang Youjie complained indignantly as soon as he entered.

"You already knew?"

Hearing this, Ding Yue looked at Huang Youjie.

It seemed that Huang had learned about the patent infringement by the library that Shuisi County intended to build on Mist City Arts and Science University's library design before he even arrived.

"Yes, I just checked Twitter," Huang Youjie nodded.

"Director Huang, Director Tan, does this situation constitute a patent infringement? Can we file a lawsuit?" Ding Yue asked the two professionals for their opinions.

"Of course it's an infringement. We will definitely win this lawsuit!" Huang Youjie affirmed angrily.

Tan Yongyuan also confirmed with certainty: "Yes, Principal Ding, our school's 'Bookship' library design has applied for a design patent, thus this design of Shuisi County indeed constitutes an infringement of the design patent."

"Can we file a lawsuit?"

"Yes!"

Upon receiving Director Tan Yongyuan's positive answer, Ding Yue's gaze hardened as he announced decisively: "Then we'll sue!"

At this point, Director Liu Hongxia of the Publicity Department also arrived in the office.

"Principal Ding, you wanted to see me?"

"Director Liu, does your department not yet know what has happened?"

"What happened?"

It seemed that Liu Hongxia really did not know what had transpired.

"Student Wen Ruohan, could you tell Director Liu what has happened?" Ding Yue first asked Wen Ruohan to explain to Liu Hongxia the infringement of the patent by Shuisi County.

He then continued with the discussion about suing Shuisi County with Director Huang and Director Tan.

In less than half a day, the news of the school's library design patent infringement by Shuisi County spread swiftly amongst the students of Mist City Arts and Science University.

For a time, the school's forums, various class group chats, and even Twitter, were filled with students of Mist City Arts and Science University voicing their indignant condemnation of Shuisi County's patent infringement.

[Campus Forum] ——

[What's going on? How did Shuisi County implement our library's design for their own library?]

(Comments 1823, Reposts 961)

#Twitter topic#——

"Isn't the architect hired by Shuisi County really low quality? Don't they know this is Mist City Arts and Science University's design patent?"

"They dared to infringe on our library design patent, disgusting!"

"What does the school plan to do about this?"

"I think the school will probably negotiate with Shuisi County."

"Could it be that the designer did it on purpose? Our school's 'Bookship' library design won the Hop Cup Best Creative Award. To dare to infringe this... "

"Shuisi County borrowed several billion to build various big projects. Is there anything they wouldn't dare to do?"

"The bolder you are, the more you can produce!"

"@ Chen Ping from the School of Architecture, Director Chen, aren't you going to say something? What does the school plan to do about this situation?"

"@ Chen Ping from the School of Architecture, our patent has been infringed upon. Shouldn't we provide some explanation?"

Chen Ping's mailbox was filled with all kinds of inquiries from students. The students were very eager to know what kind of response the school would have to this incident.

"I hope Principal Ding won't wimp out!"

"Exactly, we are in the right for this. We must protect the school's design patent."

After seeing the student's outrage on the school forum and Twitter, Ding Yue immediately had the Publicity Department issue a statement.

He also entrusted Director Tan of the law school with this matter, instructing him to collect all the evidence of patent infringement, then send a legal notice to Shuisi County and sue them and their architect for patent infringement in the Mist City court.

Very quickly, the school's Publicity Department posted a public announcement on the school's official website and public account following Principal Ding's instructions.

Mist City Arts and Science University Official Website——

[Announcement Regarding the Infringement of Our School Library Patent]:

Today, our school discovered that Shuisi County's confirmed county library design is very similar to the design of 'Bookship·Riding the Wind and Breaking the Waves', which our school's Department of Architecture's team (comprising of Liu Chuanjie, Cui Hai and Su Weize) already applied a patent for, raising suspicions of patent infringement. After some consideration by the school committee, it was determined that in order to protect the hard work and wisdom of our students and teachers, Principal Ding has ordered our legal department to formally commence a patent infringement lawsuit.

April 5, 2021.

When this announcement from Mist City Arts and Science University was made, the students cheered instantly.

They all praised Principal Ding's swift and resolute reaction to protect the school's patents!

Chapter 119: Lawsuit! Outlaw Zhangsan goes online (4)_1

Under Ding Yue's guidance, the Publicity Department of Mist City Arts and Science University created a related topic on Twitter, continuously boosting its heat.

Finally.

At six o'clock in the evening on that day, the hot topic of Mist City Arts and Science University's lawsuit against Shuisi County became the 27th trending topic on Twitter.

More and more netizens were paying attention to this patent infringement incident.

Also, the students of Mist City Arts and Science University voluntarily boosted the heat on Twitter to protect the reputation and patent defense of their alma mater.

During this moment.

kilometers away from Mist City, in Shuisi County of Guizhou Province.

"What? The county library is suspected of infringing on someone else's design patent? It even made it to the trending list? How did the team at the construction office manage to audit this?"

The county supervisor was furious upon hearing the secretary's phone report.

He immediately held a meeting overnight.

At the meeting, the county supervisor confirmed that the design of the county library approved by the county construction office was indeed very similar to the design of the Bookship library of Mist City Arts and Science University.

This was almost a complete copy, even the county supervisor couldn't stand it!

The main issue was, Mist City Arts and Science University had already applied for a design patent for the Bookship architecture at the end of the last year.

Moreover, the Bookship design had also won the Hop Cup Best Creative Award.

Could architects and construction office staff have mud in their heads to dare to infringe the patent of such an architectural design?

The county supervisor was utterly furious. He was trying to deal with various unfinished projects left behind by the former supervisor right after he took office, and was also planning to build a cultural project – a library beneficial for the ordinary people of Shuisi County.

And now he had to deal with such a situation!

"Who's the designer? This kind of standard? We must handle this seriously!" the county supervisor raged in the meeting.

The people below were quaking in their boots.

"County supervisor, Mist City Arts and Science University has already sued our construction office and the design team in the court," a staff member said.

"Hurry, make an apology statement immediately and contact Mist City Arts and Science University to settle this matter. We will immediately withdraw the approved design of the county library and severely punish the responsible personnel!"

Fortunately, the county supervisor was a good one, who knew how to handle such incidents more effectively.

"Okay."

"What's so good about it? Hurry up and get it done!"

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Peach Garden Apartment of Mist City Arts and Science University.

Ding Yue was lying leisurely on the living room sofa at the apartment, surfing the internet.

At the same time, the system kept notifying him about the increase in his popularity value in his mind.

Every once in a while, his popularity value would increase by tens of thousands, which was quite exciting. Ding Yue directly converted the gained popularity value into experience points at a ratio of 10000:1.

Now.

Ding Yue's experience value needed to upgrade to "Well-known" was already flowing out.

But upgrading Mist City Arts and Science University was not as simple as just having enough experience points. Just upgrading to "Minor Achievements" required the achievement of a feat.

The criteria for upgrading to "Well-known" were even more stringent.

Level: Well-known (Lv3)

Experience: 5000 points (Reached)

Condition: Must have operated school for 1 academic year or more

Achievement: 1. Win a national level science and technology award, 2. Accumulate 3 university honors

Upon seeing these upgrade conditions, Ding Yue couldn't help but feel the great difficulty.

The time limit only meant that Mist City Arts and Science University would definitely not be able to upgrade this semester.

The requirement of winning a national level science and technology award was the most challenging one.

Then, three university honors needed to be accumulated, which were the honors in the "University Honor System".

Just like how Lin Zhirou won the champion of the National College Student Art Festival Music Competition last semester.

Each time a university honor is achieved, there would be separate honor rewards.

Since upgrading to "Well-known" was very difficult.

Ding Yue wouldn't worry about it for now. He would take his time and everything might fall into place who knows?

As Ding Yue was checking the upgrade conditions for Mist City Arts and Science University, the interface on his mobile phone suddenly switched from Twitter to an incoming call screen.

The call was from Director Tan Yongyuan of the Law School.

"Hello, Director Tan, is there anything you need this late?"

Ding Yue figured it must be about the lawsuit against Shuisi County Construction Office.

"Principal Ding, the letter from our attorney has been received by the county government of Shuisi County, and they have contacted me. They said it was an administrative error on their part and have issued an apology online. They promised to severely punish the responsible personnel and want to negotiate a settlement with us for this matter."

After hearing what Tan Yongyuan said, Ding Yue thought the issue must be with the auditing of the county library design by Shuisi County.

The county government couldn't possibly be so brazen as to use an award-winning architectural piece.

That would be absurd.

"Since Shuisi County is asking for a negotiated settlement, we can drop charges against Shuisi County. However, we still retain the right to sue the designer!"

Ding Yue wasn't an unforgiving person towards Shuisi County.

If they have already realized their mistake and issued an apology, then a negotiated settlement would work too.

After all, Ding Yue had no need to get into a lawsuit with Shuisi County at all.

But for the designer who infringed on the design patent of Mist City Arts and Science University, the university still chooses to sue. This is a manifestation of their determination to protect the school's design patents.

The students of Mist City Arts and Science University are watching closely.

"Understood, Principal Ding. We will negotiate the patent infringement issue with Shuisi County government and then sue the designer," says one staff.

"Sure."

After hanging up the phone, Ding Yue searched for Shuisi County's official Twitter account and noticed that an apology statement had been posted 30 minutes ago.

[Shuisi County Official Twitter]v: Due to severe work errors in the review of the design drafts for our county library by our Construction Office, the confirmed design drafts for the county library infringed on the design patent of the Mist City Arts and Science University [Bookship] Library. The county government takes this matter seriously, have thoroughly investigated the work errors, and have severely dealt with the relevant personnel. For this incident, the county government reflects and summarizes, and solemnly apologizes to Mist City Arts and Science University @Mist City Arts and Science University. We are very sorry for the patent infringement.

Shuisi County Government Office - The evening of April 5, 2021.

Reshare(11k), comments(18k), likes(45k)

Perhaps netizens have already noticed the lawsuit between Mist City Arts and Science University and Shuisi County, the apology statement posted by the official account of Shuisi County has quickly received a lot of reshares, comments, and likes.

The trending chart climbs up in real time.

By eight o'clock in the evening.

Twitter trending chart No. 1 #Mist City Arts and Science University Sueing Shuisi County#

Twitter trending chart No. 7 #Shuisi County Apology Statement#

There are two related trending topics in the top ten.

The rise of the first trending topic was largely due to the surge in attention after the announcement of the lawsuit by Mist City Arts and Science University's official Twitter account was posted.

It has since reached the top of the trending chart.

After all, a private university suing a county government, seems to be an unheard event.

After understanding the full situation, netizens praised Mist City Arts and Science University's determination to safeguard its design patents, and also had a good impression of Shuisi County's prompt response and apology.

minutes later.

The official Twitter account of Mist City Arts and Science University appeared in the comment section of Shuisi County's apology statement, quickly becoming the first hot comment.

[Hot Comment 1——Mist City Arts and Science University v: You responded promptly, we will praise it first, apology accepted, but reflection must be serious (dog-head emoji x3)].

replies

Likes 17k

This reply was actually made by Ding Yue using the official Twitter account of Mist City Arts and Science University.

First, it shows that the matter between Shuisi County and Mist City Arts and Science University has been resolved and prevents the possibility of excessive condemnation for Shuisi County.

Second, it shows netizens that Mist City Arts and Science University not only has determination but also a tolerant attitude in handling this matter.

It can't be denied.

This operation by Mist City Arts and Science University gave many netizens a rather positive impression of this school.

The determination of this school to protect the patented designs created by their students when they were infringed is praiseworthy.

Secondly, they also did an excellent job in handling their relations with Shuisi County.

With this, Mist City Arts and Science University gained a large amount of popularity. Shuisi County, after apologizing and reaching a reconciliation with Mist City Arts and Science University, therefore avoided the storm on the internet.

It seems that the incident of Mist City Arts and Science University's lawsuit against Shuisi County has been perfectly resolved.

But what Ding Yue never expected was that the ensuing trending topic brought him unexpected joy.

Just as the Shuisi County official Twitter account posted the apology statement,

In Yancheng,

At the home of Professor Luo Xiang of Xia Country Political and Law University.

Professor Luo originally planned to have a live-streamed online class tonight, but after the students learned of the trending topic of Mist City Arts and Science University suing Shuisi County, they requested Professor Luo to lecture on the legal issues in this incident tonight.

So Professor Luo agreed to the students' requests.

Professor Luo is the most famous law professor in Xia Country who popularizes legal knowledge to a broad range of internet users through the "internet celebrity" format.

He has made the dry and boring subject of law become interesting and exciting.

And today,

After Professor Luo gathered all the available information about today's No.1 trending topic, he started a live stream on Bilibili.

The outlaw is online for duty!

As Professor Luo has tens of millions of followers on various platforms, the news of his live-streamed lecture on the lawsuit between Mist City Arts and Science University and Shuisi County spread quickly.

Soon it formed a trending topic on Twitter and Zhihu, and more and more netizens came to Professor Luo's Bilibili live-streaming room.

[Professor Luo's Bilibili live stream]——April 5, 2021 8:54 PM.

"For those who just joined, please wait for a moment. I have sorted out the events of Mist City Arts and Science University's lawsuit against Shuisi County. We will start the lecture at 9 o'clock sharp," says Professor Luo.

Professor Luo is looking down at the materials in his hands.

After all, the lawsuit of Mist City Arts and Science University against Shuisi County just occurred today. Professor Luo needs to thoroughly understand the disputes in it in order to better promote legal education.

The dispute over this event mainly centers on patent infringement.

It's not too complicated.

Millions of netizens quickly gathered in the live-streaming room to watch Professor Luo's live law education and to see if the outlaw would impart a small trick to getting imprisoned today.

At this moment, the barrage was all "the outlaw is online" and "Today's trick to getting imprisoned has been delivered."

Then someone came into the live-streaming room, causing the entire audience to boil over with excitement!

Chapter 120: Principal Ding Enters the Live Broadcast Room (5)_1

[Principal Ding of Mist City Arts and Science University has entered the livestream room!]

As Professor Luo was preparing to livestream a breakdown of today's top trending incident - Mist City Arts and Science University suing Shuisi County.

An account bearing the ID of Principal Ding of Mist City Arts and Science University, authenticated by Bilibili, entered the livestream room.

The online audience instantly blew up.

Guess the person involved in the incident is right here!

"Hahaha, did the involved party come to join the fun?"

"Is this the principal of Mist City Arts and Science University?"

"Could it be a fake?"

"It's a Bilibili-verified account, it must be real."

"Principal Ding, I'm asking on behalf of this year's College Entrance Examination. If I fail, can I attend your university? (Jokingly)"

"Waiting for the County Supervisor of Shuisi to enter the livestream."

Amid the audience bantering and jesting, a netizen made a comment.

As luck would have it-

Another viewer joined the live broadcast, adding a comic touch to the atmosphere.

[Water Magistrate County Official has entered the livestream room!]

Ding Yue was surprised to see the official account of Shuisi county also entering Professor Luo's livestream.

Ding Yue's arrival in the livestream was not merely for the sake of joining the crowd.

After all, he had never expected Professor Luo to become involved in today's trending incident.

The surprise turn of events came quickly.

With Professor Luo covering the incident tonight, Ding Yue was pleased.

Previously, Ding Yue worried about having no way to connect with Professor Luo Xiang, yet through tonight's livestream, he believed he could improve Mist City Arts and Science University's chances of hiring Professor Luo.

Most importantly, wouldn't it potentially lead to a connection?

Ding Yue also wanted to watch the intriguing live broadcast of Professor Luo in this Parallel World and the outlaw.

Upon entering the livestream, Ding Yue topped up Ten thousand yuan directly.

Then he began sending gifts to Professor Luo.

However, while broadcasting, Professor Luo typically didn't pay much attention to the gifts sent to him, focusing solely on doing well on tonight's legal education livestream.

When the netizens saw this, they bandied comments hailing "666".

At 9 p.m. sharp.

The official legal education broadcast began.

As always, Professor Luo started to break down today's case involving Mist City Arts and Science University suing Shuisi County in an animated and vivid manner.

"Has the outlaw committed a crime by taking the architectural design patent from someone else's school and using it as the design for the county library?"

"Of course, it's illegal~"

"This is a classic case of patent infringement. Let's look at the main conditions for such infringement."

"Was the object of the outlaw's infringement a valid patent?"

"Look, we can find Mist City Arts and Science University's patent application for the 'Bookship' library in the National Patent Agency. The agency has granted and issued a patent certificate."

"This means that the object infringed by the outlaw is a valid patent!"

"Secondly, there must be an act of infringement, i.e., an act in which the patent is implemented without the patentee's permission."

"Many of you might misunderstand and ask if the county library in Shuisi County, which is not yet built, means no infringement has occurred?"

"I'll tell you, it's not like that. The outlaw used the design patent of the 'Bookship' library of Mist City Arts and Science University for the design drawings of Shuisi County, which were also approved. This act has already constituted an infringement."

"In legal terms, this act of the outlaw is called direct infringement."

Professor Luo stated the case in a lively and interesting manner. The appearance of the outlaw also made the audience feel very involved.

Even Ding Yue, who was in Professor Luo's live broadcast room, was engrossed in the breakdown of the case.

Ding Yue was tipping while listening to Professor Luo's livestream.

The Shuisi County Bilibili official account humorously commented: "Listening to you is better than reading for ten years, but I haven't applied for the official fees to give gifts yet~"

Apparently, as an official account, Shuisi County's Bilibili account generally would not send gifts in the livestream room.

This involved the issue of public spending.

But it was not the same for Ding Yue.

Ding Yue's Mist City Arts and Science University is privately run, and Ding Yue pays for gifts out of his pocket, tipping as much as he wants.

Professor Luo explained the entire course of the case in an engaging and organized manner, followed by his analysis of the legal liabilities in this case.

"This involves our country's 'Patent Law'."

"The sanctions against the outlaw can be based on Article 60 of the 'Patent Law'. There are mainly two ways to assume civil liability for patent infringement.

The first is to order the infringer 'the outlaw' to immediately stop the infringing act.

The second is to order the infringer 'the outlaw' to compensate the patentee for their losses. The former is aimed at stopping potential infringement in the future, and the latter is aimed at addressing the consequences of past infringements."

After Professor Luo finished presenting, the audience asked several questions.

"Can Mist City Arts and Science University sue the outlaw?"

"Besides the outlaw, what about Shuisi County?"

"Can Shuisi County assume civil liability for patent infringement?"

"Didn't Mist City Arts and Science University reach a resolution with Shuisi County?"

"The victim, the outlaw, could certainly sue, but since there has been a resolution with Shuisi County, there will be no lawsuit against Shuisi County from Mist City Arts and Science University. The case must have been withdrawn."

After seeing the questions from netizens, Ding Yue also shot out a barrage: "We have reached a settlement with Shuisi County, but my university will still pursue the civil liability of the outlaw for his patent infringement."

The outlaw referred to here is naturally the designer who provided the design plans for the county library to Shuisi County.

The outlaw's actions have constituted patent infringement, so the best way is to maintain own design patent through legal means." Professor Luo agreed with Ding Yue's approach to pursue the civil liability of the outlaw according to law.

Professor Luo's live broadcast lasted about forty minutes or so.

Tonight, the main analysis of the case of Mist City Arts and Science University suing Shuisi County was perfectly in line with the heat of today's event.

Professor Luo's live broadcast has once again gained a wave of fans of popular science.

Mist City Arts and Science University also gained extremely high popularity in this event.

After all, they had even made it to the top of the trending charts, although the spot had quickly dropped.

Shuisi County, as the party with severe error in the review work, was originally thought to be crazy ridiculed by netizens.

However, since Shuisi County promptly issued an apology statement to apologize and was forgiven by Mist City Arts and Science University, and with some small interactions between the two parties, Shuisi County didn't end up too badly from this incident.

So, the question arises.

Who was the most pitiful in this incident?

Correct!

The answer is the Outlaw!

But today's outlaw didn't violate the criminal law, so he didn't have to go to jail, just civil liability and compensation.

After Luo's live broadcast ended.

Ding Yue immediately sent a private message to Professor Luo on Bilibili.

"Professor Luo, can we chat on WhatsApp?"

After sending the private message, he did not get an immediate response.

So Ding Yue ignored it. If he got a reply, that would be best; if not, that would be normal.

After all, Professor Luo probably received thousands of private messages every night.

Maybe the one he just sent has already been lost in the crowd.

After exiting Bilibili.

Ding Yue pulled up his system interface.

He converted all the popularity value he gained today, totaling 61247521 points, all into experience points. According to the 10000:1 exchange ratio, he gained more than six thousand points of experience in one fell swoop.

"Bed time."

Ding Yue yawned and went into the bedroom to rest.

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The next day.

After Ding Yue woke up and finished his morning routine, he was going to ask Lin Zhirou to join him for breakfast at the second cafeteria.

But Lin Zhirou had already gone to the recording studio early to sing.

She was going to record "Fragrance of Rice", "Confession Balloon" and "Blue and White Porcelain", and then officially release these three singles.

So Lin Zhirou was rarely seen recently.

At the second cafeteria.

Ding Yue took a single person's breakfast and sat in a very regular spot, while eating breakfast, he opened his phone and entered Bilibili.

Originally, Ding Yue wanted to enter Bilibili to see if he got any reply from Professor Luo last night.

As he opened Bilibili, there was a red "1" notification on the feed.

Did someone I follow post a new video?

Ding Yue subconsciously clicked on the feed column and found out that his sister Ding Xiaoyou had updated a video work.

The video was not long, just over two minutes.

The title was [Shocking! A private university is suing a county!]

This title party can be said to be quite qualified!

Ding Yue clicked on the video to eat while watching the video, but found out it was a remix video.

His sister Ding Xiaoyou had cut together various materials from yesterday and Professor Luo's live broadcast, then dubbed it with remix sound, and presented the event to the Bilibili audience in the style of a remix.

"This girl."

After watching the video, Ding Yue couldn't help but show a brotherly affectionate smile on his face.

"Ding Xiaoyou, aren't you in class at school? You even have time to edit videos?" Ding Yue sent her a voice message on Whatsapp.

But at this time, his sister was in class, so she obviously couldn't reply to Ding Yue.

After watching his sister's remix video, Ding Yue saw waiting messages in his inbox on the upper right corner of his home page.

Immediately thrilled, he clicked into it, only to find that they were mostly push messages, and many Bilibili users had private messaged him, asking all sorts of questions about Mist City Arts and Science University.

Ding Yue was also quite patient, replying one by one.

When he was about to reply to the next private message, he raised his eyes to look.

Wow!

Isn't this Professor Luo!

Professor Luo actually replied to Ding Yue's private message, but it was just covered under other Bilibili users' private messages. If he didn't carefully scroll down and look, he would easily miss it.