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### Chapter 471: University Principals' Forum

After lunch, Ding Yue and Xu Dongcheng returned to the hotel together and settled into the on-campus hotel room arranged by Mist City University. They took a nap for about an hour.

At two-thirty in the afternoon, just as Ding Yue was waking up, there was a "knock knock knock" at the door of the hotel room.

"Is Principal Ding awake? Principal Ding?"

Outside the door, came the voice of Principal Xu Dongcheng.

Ding Yue went to the door and opened it.

"Principal Ding, the forum will start at three o'clock. Let's get ready and go over there." Xu Dongcheng said expectantly.

This was Xu Dongcheng's third time attending the National College Education Innovation Exchange Conference.

In the past, it was difficult for Xu Dongcheng to socialize with principals from other universities. But this year, he felt it was different.

At least after meeting the young and promising Principal Ding, Xu Dongcheng felt he could learn more from him about how to make private universities better and better.

Because from a national perspective, the only private university that seems to be getting better is Ding Yue's Mist City Arts and Science University, right?

Moreover, Mist City Arts and Science University only has two grades. It is estimated that in two or three years when all four grades are enrolled, Mist City Arts and Science University may become the largest private university in the country.

"Alright!"

Ding Yue was well rested. Seeing Principal Xu Dongcheng so enthusiastic, he turned around and returned to his room, putting on his formal wear.

Then Ding Yue took out his mobile phone and called his secretary, Wen Ruohan.

Before the nap, Ding Yue had Wen Ruohan bring the robot Big White back to the hotel for charging. For the afternoon forum, Ding Yue planned to bring Big White along.

Perhaps he could find a university cooperation partner for the computer and mechanical departments with the help of Big White.

Around two fifty.

Ding Yue and the Principal of Westlight University, Xu Dongcheng, arrived at the University Principals' Forum.

One after another, many university principals arrived at the forum site, exchanging ideas about university education innovation.

"Principal Ding."

When Zhao Siming, the Principal of Jiangnan University of Science and Technology, saw Ding Yue, he came forward to greet him.

"Principal Zhao."

Ding Yue and Zhao Siming, the Principal of Jiangnan University of Science and Technology, had known each other well. After all, the success of the gallium nitride semiconductor material technology last time was a shared honor between Jiangnan University of Science and Technology and Mist City Arts and Science University.

"I heard that you're planning to study at Yancheng University?" asked Principal Zhao Siming.

"Yes, Principal Zhu invited me and also gave me the qualification for recommendation." Ding Yue answered truthfully when he saw Zhao Siming asking this.

"I also planned to invite you, Principal Ding, to study at our Jiangnan University of Science and Technology. However, Yancheng University is indeed a better choice. Comparing the physics major at our university with that at Yancheng University, the physics major at Yancheng University is obviously better."

Zhao Siming had a kindly smile on his face. He was not upset that Ding Yue did not choose to study at Jiangnan University of Science and Technology.

In fact.

Even if Ding Yue did not study at Yancheng University, he would not have considered Jiangnan University of Science and Technology. At most, he would stay at his own Mist City Arts and Science University. However, this thought was to be kept in his heart and obviously not to be shared with Principal Zhao Siming.

But!

What Zhao Siming said had reminded Ding Yue somewhat.

No doubt, the physics major at Yancheng University is among the best in the country. But... but that's Yancheng University, not his Mist City Arts and Science University!

Ding Yue suddenly became flustered!

Because the reason he has been so "gifted" in physics and has a strong learning efficiency is that Ding Yue has added a learning BUFF to himself.

The various learning BUFF Scrolls and other items exchanged from the system store can only be applied to the teachers and students of Mist City Arts and Science University.

Ding Yue studied at his own Mist City Arts and Science University for his undergraduate degree, so he can use the learning BUFF.

But once he goes to Yancheng University for postgraduate study, will the learning BUFF effect still work?

Ding Yue was very worried about this problem.

Because if it does not work, then he would no longer be a physics genius, and it would be difficult to carry out any research at Yancheng University. Even graduating from postgraduate school would be a problem.

If that were to happen, wouldn't he embarrass himself if he couldn't even graduate from Yancheng University?

Thinking about this, Ding Yue suddenly felt terrified!

"System!"

Ding Yue immediately summoned the system.

"If I go to study at Yancheng University, will I still be able to use the effects of the learning BUFF?"

Ding Yue hurriedly asked the system.

He was not sure about this issue and needed to clarify it.

If he goes to study at Yancheng University and loses the effects of the learning BUFF, then Ding Yue should not go to study at Yancheng University.

It seems he was a bit hasty in agreeing this morning. He should have said he would think about it when facing Principal Zhu.

"The bonus effects from items that the host currently possesses are indeed limited to those associated with Mist City Arts and Science University. If the host goes to Yancheng University for postgraduate study and no longer holds any status related to Mist City Arts and Science University, he will automatically lose the effects of the learning BUFF items!"

The system's explanation seemed a bit roundabout.

Ding Yue couldn't react all at once.

Does that mean the effects of the learning BUFF items will disappear or they won't?

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"Could you explain it in more detail?" Ding Yue couldn't help but frown and ask.

"The host will automatically lose the learning BUFF item under the following two conditions.

1. Develop postgraduate study at Yancheng University
2. No longer serve as the principal of Mist City Arts and Science University."

"So, if I remain the principal of Mist City Arts and Science University, even if I go to Yancheng University, or even if I go study abroad, I will not automatically lose the effects of the learning BUFF item, right?"

If Ding Yue understood correctly, it should mean this.

As long as he is still associated with Mist City Arts and Science University, the effects of the learning BUFF items he gained will not automatically disappear.

"Yes!"

The system replied.

"Phew."

Ding Yue breathed a sigh of relief. That was reassuring.

It seems he can confidently go on to postgraduate study at Yancheng University. Because he has two identities at Mist City Arts and Science University, one as a student and the other as a principal, and both are affiliated with Mist City Arts and Science University.

Even if he loses one of these identities, as long as the other identity remains, the effect of his learning BUFF item will not automatically disappear.

Perfect!

"By the way, I have another doubt. If the students of my university pass the postgraduate entrance examination of other universities, will the effect of the learning BUFF item automatically disappear?"

Ding Yue asked the system again.

"Yes!"

The system's answer was quite certain.

This is in line with the initial exchange of the learning BUFF item's usage effect, as long as the student no longer has any relationship with Mist City Arts and Science University, they will gradually lose the previously obtained BUFF effect.

The same goes for the teachers.

Once a teacher resigns, the teaching ability BUFF they acquired at Mist City Arts and Science University will disappear gradually in a stepwise decline.

Ding Yue feels that the system's item settings are quite excellent.

This prevents some college teachers from coming to Mist City Arts and Science University to boost their credentials and then hopping to other schools.

Because only at Mist City Arts and Science University, they, both teachers and students, can steadily possess the teaching ability BUFF and the learning ability BUFF.

So here comes the problem, leaving teachers aside, if students graduate from university and want to apply for postgraduate level, if Mist City Arts and Science University does not possess most of the Master's Degree authorization points for popular majors, the students can only apply to other universities, right?

Once students from Mist City Arts and Science University are admitted to other universities, they won't be able to enjoy the effect of the learning ability BUFF.

"So, I have to strive to get the Master's Degree authorization points for all the key majors of the university as soon as possible."

After some thought by Ding Yue, this is the best way to retain the students of Mist City Arts and Science University who want to pursue postgraduate studies after graduation.

Of course, a 100% retention rate is impossible, but even if some postgraduate students are taken away, it is acceptable as long as it is within Ding Yue's acceptable range.

However, if the students of Mist City Arts and Science University insist on leaving to pursue a postgraduate degree, they will eventually regret it.

However, Ding Yue still hopes that his Mist City Arts and Science University can retain all the students who want to pursue postgraduate studies.

Therefore, Ding Yue needs to make greater efforts to build and develop his Mist City Arts and Science University.

In the next few years, he will need to continuously develop and expand each key department and major, and then apply for Master's Degree Authorization Points.

Huh?

After so much thinking, he still couldn't escape the need to develop and expand the various departments and majors of Mist City Arts and Science University. And the purpose of Ding Yue's attendance at the University Principals' Forum in the afternoon was also to develop and expand the key departments and majors of Mist City Arts and Science University!

Ding Yue had about a twenty-minute conversation with Principal Zhao Siming of Jiangnan University of Science and Technology.

Principal Zhao Siming stated that both sides needed to intensify cooperation in the field of physics to cultivate more outstanding talent in physics.

Ding Yue naturally agreed with Principal Zhao Siming's idea.

Thus, the physics department of Mist City Arts and Science University, basically benchmarked Jiangnan University of Science and Technology's College of Physics, and the cooperative relationship would be furthered.

In addition to this, on Ding Yue's list of key departments and majors to be developed, many are still looking for a partner to cooperate with.

For example, the chemistry department where his sister Ding Xiaoyou studies.

How can it be satisfactory to have only one strong contender, his sister? Since energy chemistry technology will be a key focus of Mist City Arts and Science University in the future, the chemistry department of Mist City Arts and Science University must have a powerful teaching capacity.

Shouldn't there at least be some professors?

Ding!

"Congratulations to the Host for receiving the task - "Key Level Professional".

"'Key Level Professional' task content: Confirm and implement at least five majors in Mist City Arts and Science University to achieve provincial key major level."

"Task reward: [Advanced Laboratory Room +1], [3rd Level University Treasure Chest +1], [Master's Degree Authorization Card] x5, Reputation Points +500."

"Task progress rating: 0/5."



Suddenly, just as Ding Yue was pondering on how to find partners for the key development departments and majors of Mist City Arts and Science University, a task notification from the system rang out in his mind.

"Another task?"

Ding Yue was joyous.

Because the reward for this task seemed especially generous!

The [Advanced Laboratory Room +1], if Ding Yue remembered correctly, he had received it before when he completed the upgrade of Mist City Arts and Science University. Later, he chose the physics and semiconductor materials advanced laboratory.

Later, Ding Yue regretted it. It should have been better to wait and convert it into an energy chemical technology laboratory for his sister, right?

However, what's done is done. Different decisions at different time points by Ding Yue were all constrained by factors of the time.

He decided not to dwell on it more.

This task seemed a bit difficult, but precisely because of the difficulty, the task's reward was super generous!

Also, there was a [3rd Level University Treasure Chest]!

The last time Ding Yue opened a [3rd Level University Treasure Chest], he directly obtained [Lithography Manufacturing Process Technology], so the [3rd Level University Treasure Chest] must be a precious item!

This round of task rewards, I, Ding Yue, am determined to take them!!

Chapter 473: The Ace Majors at Qinghua University

At the forum.

The principals of various universities were exchanging information with each other.

Initially, Ding Yue found it difficult to interact with the principals of the Double First-Class Universities, but he was quite familiar with Director Xiao Wenxing from the Mist City Education Bureau, and he also had Principal Zhao Siming from the Jiangnan University of Science and Technology by his side.

With their introduction, Ding Yue gradually got into conversations with the principals of these Double First-Class Universities.

In the task he had just taken on, Ding Yue needed to create at least five majors that could reach the level of key provincial specialties.

Hence, Ding Yue needed to establish cooperative relations with the national Double First-Class Universities in various majors to enhance the teaching level of Mist City Arts and Science University.

Luckily, the system task required achieving the provincial key level, rather than being assessed as such.

The difficulty gap between the two was quite significant.

After all, achieving the provincial key level was assessed by the system, but being rated as a provincial key specialty would be certainly challenging.

Ding Yue saw that the system's assessment of whether a major reached provincial key level was determined by percentage.

For instance, physics, which currently held the highest provincial key level percentage among Mist City Arts and Sciences University's majors.

Major: Physics

Professional Task Progress (Provincial Key): 85%

In other words, the physics major at Mist City Arts and Sciences University had already reached 85% of the provincial key major's level.

Upon reaching 100%, 1/5 of the task progress would be accomplished.

The physics major at Mist City Arts and Sciences University was able to reach 85% of the provincial key level primarily because it had three professors, along with achievements in the field of research, such as a technical breakthrough using gallium nitride semiconductor materials.

Ding Yue speculated that the percentage was assessed primarily based on these factors, right?

Majors with follow-up progress percentages included mechanical engineering, construction, and computer science.

Major: Mechanical Engineering

Professional Task Progress (Provincial Key): 71%

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Major: Construction

Professional Task Progress (Provincial Key): 66%

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Major: Computer Science and Technology

Professional Task Progress (Provincial Key): 65%

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Major: Energy Chemistry

Professional Task Progress (Provincial Key): 53%

When Ding Yue saw "Energy Chemistry" already had 53% progress, he was a little surprised.

He could understand the progress of mechanical engineering, building construction, and computer science, all of which exceeded sixty percent.

After all, these were key majors currently at the first rung at Mist City Arts and Science University; Ding Yue planned to focus on their development and construction.

As for energy chemistry major at Mist City Arts and Science University, wasn't it just his sister, Ding Xiaoyou, who hasn't achieved anything notable?

So, how did this progress exceed fifty percent?

"Could it be because of the equipment purchased from Nanyang Technological University?" Ding Yue suddenly thought of this and decided that it was most likely the reason.

Since the task progress of these majors was already quite high, it seemed relatively straightforward to realize them.

Therefore, Ding Yue, using the major rankings displayed on the system interface and his previously prepared list of departments and major, began seeking his "prey".

"Xiao Ding."

Just as Ding Yue was seeking his prey, a familiar voice came from a short distance away.

It wasn't that he heard this voice daily but because he just heard it that morning.

Yes.

It was Principal Zhu from Yancheng University. He was the only one who called him "Xiao Ding".

"Principal Zhu."

Ding Yue turned around and greeted Principal Zhu.

Beside Principal Zhu, Ding Yue noticed Principal Sun from Qinghua University.

In this gathering, the only university that could engage with Principal Zhu from Yancheng University was Qinghua University, which could be said to be on par with Yancheng University.

"This is Principal Xiao Ding of Mist City Arts and Science University, right? You're quite promising for your age."

After seeing Ding Yue, Principal Sun from Qinghua University came over with a smile and said this to him.

Ding Yue was somewhat embarrassed.

In the morning, he had just received praise from Principal Zhu of Yancheng University, and in the afternoon, he was praised by Principal Sun from Qinghua University.

If it was anyone else, they would probably already be over the moon, right?

Luckily, Ding Yue managed to keep his composure and remained humble in front of two principals from the country's top-ranking universities.

However, since Principal Sun from Qinghua University was here, and Principal Zhu was also here, plus Director Xiao from the Mist City Education Bureau and Principal Zhao Siming from Jiangnan University of Science and Technology were at his side, why not discuss the plans for the mechanical engineering department with Principal Sun from Qinghua University?

If the mechanical engineering department of Mist City Arts and Science University could latch onto Qinghua University, that would be fantastic.

After all, Qinghua University's mechanical engineering department being first in the nation was not an easy feat!

If Mist City Arts and Science University's mechanical engineering department could associate with that of Qinghua University, it could easily achieve the [key provincial speciality] task.

"Hello, Principal Sun."

Ding Yue greeted Principal Sun from Qinghua University first.

At least to build rapport, which would make the subsequent discussions go smoother.

"Principal Zhu gave you a postgraduate recommendation from their Yancheng University? It seems that you are greatly favored by him. You should know that Principal Zhu rarely gives his university's postgraduate recommendation directly to others."

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Principal Sun started talking about Ding Yue's opportunity to be directly admitted to a postgrad program at Yancheng University.

Presumably, during Principal Sun's and Principal Zhu's previous conversation, the topic of Ding Yue came up.

"Principal Zhu has been so kind to me. Thank you, Principal Zhu," said Ding Yue. Given that Principal Sun had mentioned it, he felt compelled to express his gratitude to Principal Zhu of Yancheng University once again.

"Hahaha, Principal Sun has just mentioned to me that I managed to snatch you away," Principal Zhu laughed heartily.

Hearing Principal Zhu say this, Ding Yue realized that Principal Sun also wanted to offer him a spot at Qinghua University.

He had evidently become a sought-after prospect for both Qinghua and Yancheng Universities.

It seemed quite coincidental.

Previously, upon scoring the highest marks in the College Entrance Examination in Mist City, his sister, Ding Xiaoyou, had been fought over by the two leading universities in the country, Qinghua University and Yancheng University.

In the end, Ding Xiaoyou chose neither and decided to stay at Mist City Arts and Science University while he, her brother, ended up going to Yancheng University for postgraduate studies.

His situation was unlike his sister's.

While his sister certainly had limitless potential at either Yancheng University or Qinghua University, going there would mean she could not benefit from the educational enhancements he could provide her at home.

So, Ding Yue bought the world's most advanced set of energy chemical technology research equipment from Nanyang Technological University to persuade his sister to stay at Mist City Arts and Science University for her bachelor's degree.

His own decision to go to Yancheng University for postgraduate studies as per Principal Zhu's invitation was to improve his own academic credentials.

If needed, he would finish his postgrad studies sooner at Yancheng University and then return to Mist City Arts and Science University.

Furthermore, Principal Zhu had promised to allow him to manage his time freely during his stay at Yancheng University for postgraduate studies.

Plus, since he was personally admitted by Principal Zhu, the supervising professors at Yancheng University would surely not give him a hard time.

Therefore, Ding Yue anticipated a comfortable time studying at Yancheng University. With his capabilities, acquiring a postgraduate degree should be a cakewalk!

"Principal Zhu, you are certainly making the most out of this," Principal Sun chuckled.

"Principal Sun," Ding Yue suddenly called out to Principal Sun from Qinghua University.

Upon hearing this, Principal Sun turned his attention toward Ding Yue, asking, "Yes? Go ahead."

"Our mechanical department at Qinghua University is undoubtedly the leading one in the country. My university, Mist City Arts and Science University, intends to invest heavily in developing a strong mechanical department. So, on the occasion of the National College Education Innovation Exchange Conference, I was wondering if we could establish a collaborative relationship regarding the mechanical discipline between Qinghua University and my university," Ding Yue put forth his proposal directly.

He had thought this through. With so many people present, if he did not speak up now, he might not get a chance later.

People like Principal Zhu and Principal Sun, the heads of China's top universities, were quite shrewd. They were no less than seasoned old foxes.

So Ding Yue shared his thoughts frankly in front of Principal Sun, feeling it was better to be straightforward.

Upon hearing this, Principal Sun seemed quite interested.

Principal Zhu, on the other hand, seemed to back Ding Yue up. He supported Ding Yue saying, "Principal Sun, the mechanical department at Qinghua University needs no introduction. The mechanical department at Mist City Arts and Science University, although young and a part of a private university, has immense potential. These are the types of partnerships we should foster. This aligns with the theme of our conference and the educational policies devised by the authorities."

Zhao Siming, the principal of Jiangnan University of Science and Technology, noticing Principal Zhu supporting Ding Yue, couldn't be left behind either.

Principal Zhao pondered thoughtfully and then nodded his agreement. "Indeed. The mechanical department of their Mist City Arts and Science University holds great promise. I heard that the famous robot Big White was designed by students from their mechanical department, right?" Zhao Siming's remarks pointed towards Big White, the robot that accompanied Ding Yue.



"Yes, yes, Big White was developed by the mechanical department at our university. It required a lot of advanced techniques in precision mechanics. We have several talented individuals in our department, and I hope we can further their development," Ding Yue responded enthusiastically, looking expectantly at Principal Sun.

With just one word from Principal Sun, Ding Yue's Mist City Arts and Science University could tie up with the mechanical department at Qinghua University.

Not only would this improve their teaching standards, but it would also greatly enhance their reputation. They might even be able to complete the mechanical department's development tasks in no time!

"I'm aware of the robot Big White from your university," said Principal Sun of Qinghua University, his tone affirmative.

After hearing Principal Sun's response, Ding Yue was unsure about his willingness to collaborate.

Since both Principal Zhu from Yancheng University and Principal Zhao from Jiangnan University of Science and Technology had already vouched for him, Ding Yue initially thought it was a done deal.

It seemed that Principal Sun was still pondering.

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He was probably considering whether to establish an educational cooperation with a mechanical specialty of a private university.

At that moment, Director Xiao Wenxing from the Mist City Education Bureau also spoke up, "The Mechanical Specialty at Mist City Arts and Science University, run by Principal Ding, has achieved in just over a year what many universities couldn't achieve in several years. This shows that the mechanical specialty at Mist City Arts and Science University is a specialty worth developing. Principal Sun, if you could lend a hand, it would have significant positive implications for higher education in Mist City."

Even though Director Xiao Wenxing's remarks sounded very "official," it also conveyed his hope that the Mechanical Department of Qinghua University could lend a hand to the Mechanical Specialty at Mist City Arts and Science University.

Even though Director Xiao Wenxing, who is on par with Principal Sun of Qinghua University, had spoken, Principal Sun still didn't express his stance.

After all, once this decision is made, it means that the strongest ace specialty of Qinghua University is related to a private university.

No matter how you look at it, it takes away some of the awe of Qinghua University's ace specialty.

Even when Jiangnan University of Science and Technology, a Double First-Class University, established a cooperative relationship with Mist City Arts and Science University in the field of physics, it's because physics wasn't the leading specialty at Jiangnan University of Science and Technology!

Seeing that Principal Sun was still hesitating, Ding Yue decided to play his trump card.

After all, even though Principal Zhu of Yancheng University, Principal Zhao Siming of Jiangnan University of Science and Technology, and Director Xiao Wenxing from the Mist City Education Bureau all aided him on the spot, they still could not get Principal Sun to make the decision.

So only the last trump card was left, just to try whether it would work.

Ding Yue took a deep breath, then said to Principal Sun of Qinghua University earnestly, "Principal Sun, the Mechanical Department of our Mist City Arts and Science University is preparing to embark on the challenge of precision machining in the field of lithography machines."

"What?"

Upon hearing this, Principal Sun's face momentarily changed, then he looked at Ding Yue in amazement and asked, "Can the Mechanical Specialty at Mist City Arts and Science University do precision machining for lithography machines?"

"Yes!"

Ding Yue nodded in reply.

Principal Sun was initially disinclined to agree, largely because Mist City Arts and Science University is a private institution, and its mechanical specialty is not that strong, certainly not when compared to their ace mechanical specialty at Qinghua University.

In that case, there is no need to establish a so-called educational cooperation.

Principal Sun was ready to politely reject Ding Yue despite the words of the other principals and Director Xiao, but then Ding Yue suddenly claimed that their Mechanical Specialty at Mist City Arts and Science University could perform precision machining for lithography machines?

Just so you know.

The production and manufacturing of lithography machines is very challenging in Xia Country with many technical problems.

Among these, the field of precision machining presents specific challenges that even the ace Mechanical Specialty at Qinghua University finds difficult to tackle.

This explains why Xia Country has difficulty producing its own advanced lithography machines and chips—the technology is lacking!

"Xiao Ding, you can't throw around these big words carelessly," said Principal Sun, looking seriously at Ding Yue.

Nonetheless, Ding Yue confidently nodded, "Principal Sun, I know that our Mist City Arts and Science University is still young, but we don't exaggerate. We are ready to start a lithography machine experiment project."

"What kind of lithography machine? With a process technology of 28nm? 14nm? Or 7nm?" Principal Sun asked again.

Ding Yue shook his head and calmly answered, "5nm or even 3nm..."

That's right!

The [Lithography Manufacturing Process Technology] Ding Yue got, if successfully manufactured, can go up to the 2nm or even 1nm chip process technology!

Obviously, 5nm is easy, and 3nm is also achievable!

If Mist City Arts and Science University can research and manufacture lithography equipment with a process technology of 3nm in a few years, then it certainly represents a leapfrogging move against the Western countries!

Upon hearing this, Principal Sun's first feeling was that Ding Yue might be bluffing.

But!

With so many university principals present on the scene, including Principal Zhu from Yancheng University, would Ding Yue dare to make such bold claims?

Could it be that Ding Yue's Mechanical Department of Mist City Arts and Science University truly mastered the technology for precision machinery manufacturing of high-level lithography machines?

"Xiao Ding, has your Mist City Arts and Science University started venturing into the precision machinery manufacturing field such as lithography machines?"

Principal Zhu of Yancheng University looked at Ding Yue with surprise after hearing the words.

"Yes!"

Ding Yue nodded and then glanced at Principal Sun, smiling and saying, "Principal Sun, in our university's lithography machine experiment project, there are two talents, who are graduates of your Mechanical Department at Qinghua University."

The two that Ding Yue was referring to were Luo Peng and Su Beilin.

Both of them were graduates of the Mechanical Department of Qinghua University and joined the Dingli Group after graduation. After the previous storm between the Dingli Group and Rentang Medical Technology Group, Luo Peng and Su Beilin came to serve under Ding Yue at Mist City Arts and Science University.

"Really?"

Principal Sun was surprised.

"Their names are Luo Peng and Su Beilin. I am not sure if Principal Sun knows them." Ding Yue reported the names of two people, Luo Peng, and Su Beilin.

"Luo Peng... Su Beilin... I seem to have impressions, indeed they were outstanding students from our top-tier mechanical specialty, and went to the Dingli Group afterwards, didn't they?"

Principal Sun's memory was surprisingly good.

He could remember these two students from the Mechanical Department and even knew where they worked after graduation.

"That's right Principal Sun. Luo Peng and Su Beilin were previously at the Dingli Group, participating in the lithography machine and chip project with Guoxing Technology. Later, the two left the Dingli Group and came to my Mist City Arts and Science University."

Ding Yue nodded in response.

If Principal Sun and Principal Zhu were aware of the news at that time, they would most likely know why Luo Peng and Su Beilin left the Dingli Group.

During that time, the Dingli Group fell into the scandal of Rentang Medical Technology Group.

And Mist City Arts and Science University of Ding Yue was the protagonist in the scandal of Rentang Medical Technology Group!

"So it seems, Principal Ding, your Mist City Arts and Science University does have some substance in the field of precision machinery?"

The tone of Principal Sun's words had changed a bit.

Previously, Ding Yue could tell that Principal Sun's praise was genuine, but he didn't quite believe that his Mechanical Department of Mist City Arts and Science University had genuine strength.

Now the tone of his words seemed to suggest that Principal Sun was somewhat convinced.

"Principal Sun, how about sending a professor from your Mechanical Department at Qinghua University to our university for an inspection? If it's deemed suitable, then you can make a decision."

Ding Yue knew that to establish a cooperative relationship with a domestically top-tier specialty like Qinghua University, it would be utterly impossible without genuine strength!

Interestingly enough.

Mist City Arts and Science University of Ding Yue did have some genuine strength, especially in the field of precision machinery manufacturing for lithography machines.

After all, they relied on a [Level 3 University Treasure Chest] to produce the [Lithography Manufacturing Process Technology] and then endowed it to Tong Yihang and Luo Peng.

They were the backbone force of Mist City Arts and Science University in the field of precision machinery manufacturing for lithography machines!

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Seeing Ding Yue's confidence, Principal Sun believed that Mist City Arts and Science University might indeed possess the strength in the field of photolithography machine precision machining.

However, even though he believed Ding Yue, if they were to establish a cooperative relationship in the field of mechanical engineering, a thorough inspection would definitely be required.

"Okay, Principal Ding, I'll have our Qinghua University's Department of Mechanical Engineering organize a delegation to visit your Mist City Arts and Science University. If there are no issues, we should easily reach an agreement for cooperation in the field of photolithography machine precision machining!"

Principal Sun extended his hand and directly grasped Ding Yue's.

Ding Yue was somewhat embarrassed by this sudden shift in Principal Sun's attitude towards him.

Yet, since Principal Sun agreed to dispatch a delegation from the Mechanical Engineering Department of Qinghua University, it indicated that the establishment of a cooperative relationship between the Mechanical Engineering Department of Mist City Arts and Science University and Qinghua University's might have potential!

As long as the delegation from Qinghua University's Department of Mechanical Engineering can see the capabilities of Mist City Arts and Science University's Mechanical Engineering Department, a cooperative agreement should be inevitable.

Therefore, Ding Yue felt a little excited.

"Ah, Xiao Ding, since Mist City Arts and Science University plans to cooperate with Qinghua University on the key specialties, should we, at Yancheng University, also express our interest?"

Yancheng University's Principal Zhu suddenly said.

Qinghua and Yancheng University, are they both intending to establish a cooperative relationship with Mist City Arts and Science University?

Heavenly!

Ding Yue felt that happiness was coming a bit too suddenly. He was right in attending the National College Education Innovation Exchange Conference.

After all, he had directly spoken to both principals of Qinghua University and Yancheng University.

"Ah? Principal Zhu...what are you implying?" Ding Yue asked nervously.

After all, among the other school principals present, he was the youngest, and more importantly, he held the lowest stature.

His Mist City Arts and Science University couldn't compare with Qinghua University, Yancheng University, or Jiangnan University of Science and Technology.

"I've been observing your intelligent robot Big White for quite a while," Principal Zhu said, and glanced at the robot Big White behind Ding Yue.

This morning at the Houghton Building Grand Hall, Ding Yue had given Principal Zhu a brief introduction to Big White, a semi-intelligent robot.

When it came to the science and technology of artificial intelligence, Yancheng University certainly had something to say.

If we're talking about the science and technology of artificial intelligence within the Xia Country, Yancheng University was second to none, even Ha City Industrial University wouldn't dare claim to be the first.

"Principal Zhu, do you want to join us, Mist City Arts and Science University, in collaborative research on Artificial Intelligence robots?"

Ding Yue guessed and asked if that's what Principal Zhu intended.

Because what Ding Yue could think of was only this possibility, especially since Principal Zhu was speaking after Principal Sun had made his intentions known.

"We can give it a try."

Principal Zhu nodded.



It was apparent that Principal Zhu was easy to talk to. That was probably why Principal Zhu took the initiative to approach Ding Yue and delivered a research eligibility quota. Principal Zhu seemed to be quite optimistic about Ding Yue and Mist City Arts and Science University.

Indeed, at this time, Director Xiao Wenxing said with a smile: "Principal Zhu, you seem to have a lot of confidence in Principal Ding's Mist City Arts and Science University, don't you?"

Director Xiao Wenxing and Principal Zhu were on the same level. Although Director Xiao Wenxing was a little younger, when he spoke to Principal Zhu, it was just like a normal conversation between two leaders.

Unlike Ding Yue, who had to be polite when speaking to either Director Xiao Wenxing, Principal Zhu, or Principal Sun.

Let alone the fact that they were all older than him, their positions and social standings, were all significantly higher than Ding Yue's.

They were holding positions at the deputy ministerial level!

In Xia Country, officials of this rank were naturally beyond question.

"Indeed, I do have confidence, and also interest. Xiao Ding, Mist City Arts and Science University has set a classic example for our country's private universities. You must persevere and strive to make our private university education in our country better and better."

Principal Zhu smiled and nodded, then counselled Ding Yue.

Of course, Ding Yue simply listened and responded: "Mm, certainly. In the construction of Mist City Arts and Science University, I will invest more funds and energy!"

Seeing that both Qinghua University and Yancheng University have intentions to cooperate with Mist City Arts and Science University on specific specialties, Xu Dongcheng, the Principal of Westlight University standing next to Ding Yue, could not help but feel envious.

Even though his Westlight University was a well-known private university in the country, the likelihood of establishing any ties with Qinghua University and Yancheng University was almost impossible.

Ding Yue, however, had the chance to establish a relationship with both top universities. How could this not make people envious?

Moreover, Xu Dongcheng could see that Director Xiao Wenxing of Mist City Education Bureau was particularly supportive of the development of Mist City Arts and Science University.

The connections of Principal Ding Yue were indeed enviable!

Xu Dongcheng could only silently envy in his heart.

Ding Yue, along with Director Xiao Wenxing and Principal Zhao Siming, accompanied Qinghua University's Principal Sun and Yancheng University's Principal Zhu for more than forty minutes, before they disbanded.

The purpose of this afternoon's seminar from the education officials was to allow university presidents to network, learn from each other, and explore cooperation.

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This is beneficial for the improved and accelerated development of Xia Country's education industry.

However, the education officials never expected that the biggest beneficiary from today's University Principals' Forum would be the private university, Mist City Arts and Science University.

At present.

Ding Yue has already received the letter of intent for cooperation from Qinghua University and Yancheng University in the fields of mechanical engineering and artificial intelligence respectively.

Whether the cooperation can eventually be established isn't just about making promises at the forum.

Both Qinghua University and Yancheng University will conduct an inspection of Ding Yue's Mist City Arts and Science University.

The inspection by the school of machinery of Qinghua University is scheduled for late October, while the inspection by the department of artificial intelligence of Yancheng University is right after, set for early November.

The exact dates are not confirmed yet. After all, these need to be mutually decided upon by Principal Sun and Principal Zhu after they return.

After his conversation with Principal Sun and Principal Zhu, Ding Yue walked towards the rest area on the sideline.

After talking for more than forty minutes, he, like everyone else, had been standing through the conversation. Now, Ding Yue thought he'd sit down for a rest and get some fluids.

Principal Xu Dongcheng of Westlight University followed closely behind Ding Yue.

"Principal Ding, you are amazing," Xu Dongcheng admired.

He had always given great respect to Ding Yue, and at this afternoon's forum, Ding Yue had nearly established academic collaborations with Qinghua University and Yancheng University.

This was beyond impressive to Xu Dongcheng.

Xu Dongcheng's Westlight University, at its best, has established collaborations with a very small number of key public universities.

Ding Yue's Mist City Arts and Science University, which is still quite fledging, could possibly set up collaborations with some of the country's most prestigious universities like Qinghua University and Yancheng University, and this was indeed worthy of admiration.

Truth be told, to achieve this, Ding Yue had to showcase the most advanced technologies currently mastered by Mist City Arts and Science University, specifically [Lithography Manufacturing Process Technology] and [Robot Intelligence Technology], in the hope of promoting collaborations with Qinghua University and Yancheng University.

Next, Ding Yue planned to approach another university!

Because after negotiating with Qinghua University and Yancheng University, he could only increase the task progress of the machinery and computer science departments of Mist City Arts and Science University.

He still needs three more!

Ding Yue would certainly not forget his sister Ding Xiaoyou's department of Chemistry.

If Ding Xiaoyu optimizes the chemical vapor deposition process, there would be an opportunity to implement mass stripping of graphene, thereby mastering the graphene battery, a promising energy chemical technology.

Therefore, for this Chemistry major, Ding Yue planned to explore the possibility of collaboration with an accomplished university, in order to boost the completion rate of this professional task!

Major: Mechanical Engineering

Professional Task Progress (Provincial Key): 81%

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Major: Computer Science and Technology

Professional Task Progress (Provincial Key): 73%

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When having a break, Ding Yue pulls out the System Task Panel.

He finds that the task progress of both Mechanical Engineering and Computer Science has increased.

This is a real-time assessment by the system.

Perhaps the progression in these two categories was because the system accounted for the fact that Ding Yue had received a letter of intent for collaboration from Qinghua University and Yancheng University.

Regardless, this is good news.

He estimated that once the inspectors from Qinghua University and Yancheng University finish their examinations and confirm their collaborations, the progress of these professional tasks would undoubtedly reach a hundred percent.

These two majors have made progress.

However, to complete this rewarding task, three more majors are needed.

The third major Ding Yue plans to discuss is Chemistry, his sister Ding Xiaoyou's major.

While chatting with Principal Xu Dongcheng, who "admires" him, Ding Yue noticed a university principal in his fifties walking towards them.

He then sat across from Ding Yue.

If Ding Yue recalls correctly, this should be Principal He from Xia Country University of Science and Technology.

Without a doubt, Xia Country University of Science and Technology is a strong institution in the field of science and technology in Xia Country.

Not only that, but it also has a renowned department in energy chemical engineering.

When considering a university for collaboration in order to improve the strength of the Chemistry major that his sister Ding Xiaoyou is studying, Xia Country University of Science and Technology is certainly one of the options.

Besides, there are also Xia Country University of Chemical Technology and Xia Country Petroleum University.

Since he happened to bump into Principal He from Xia Country University of Science and Technology, Ding Yue decided to approach him.

"Principal Xu, do you see Principal He over there?" Ding Yue whispered to Xu Dongcheng.

"You mean, Principal He from Xia Country University of Science and Technology? Why, do you want to speak with him?" asked Xu Dongcheng, raising his eyebrows in curiosity.

Ding Yue nodded, stood up, and walked towards the place where Principal He from Xia Country University of Science and Technology was sitting.

Hiss!

Xu Dongcheng was dumbstruck. What on earth is Principal Ding up to?

This is the National College Education Innovation Exchange Conference. You don't just chat with every impressive university principal you see, right?

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"Principal Ding just finished speaking with Principal Sun from Qinghua University and Principal Zhu from Yancheng University, and now he is preparing to speak with Principal He from Xia Country University of Science and Technology?"

Xu Dongcheng once again admired Principal Ding's ability to take action. He really was impressive!

"Principal He, hello."

After walking over, Ding Yue greeted Principal He with great respect and courtesy.

"Hello, you are... Principal Ding from Mist City Arts and Science University, aren't you?" Principal He thought for a while to recall who the man standing in front of him was.

Who else could the young principal attending this University Principals' Forum be but Ding Yue from Mist City Arts and Science University?

"Yes, that's right, it's me. Principal He, you know about me?" Ding Yue replied with a smile and a nod.

"The energetic young Principal Ding, who doesn't know about you? Even Deputy Director Qiu endorsed your Mist City Arts and Science University."

Principal He also said with a smile.

From the Principal He's tone and expression, Ding Yue preliminarily judged that he was a similar type of person to Principal Zhu- easy to approach, giving off a kind aura.

However, it was clear that Principal He was younger than Principal Zhu. Although it was unknown how much younger he was in terms of age, his face looked more youthful and energetic.

It was unknown why Principal Zhu appeared to be a man in his sixties or seventies.

"Principal He, you flatter me." said Ding Yue modestly.

"Principal Ding, tell me. Since you took the initiative to come and see me, I presume you have something to discuss?" Principal He glanced at Ding Yue and asked seriously.

As expected of an experienced university principal, he immediately noticed that Ding Yue had something to discuss.

"Well... So, it's like this, we at Mist City Arts and Science University have procured a set of equipment in the field of Energy Chemical Technology. Energy Chemical Engineering is a priority development major in our university, and I was hoping that your university, the Xia Country University of Science and Technology, which has a domestic first-class Energy Chemical Engineering major, could offer some advice."

Ding Yue directly stated his purpose for coming.

However, Ding Yue did not immediately mention anything about establishing cooperation, after all, he was unfamiliar with Principal He.

This was, after all, their first meeting.

"Oh, you mean the equipment ordered from Nanyang Technological University, right?" Principal He quickly remembered, as soon as he heard the explanation.

"Yes, yes, precisely that set of equipment." Ding Yue hurriedly nodded.

"Why would a privately-run university purchase such a set of equipment?" Principal He furrowed his brows and asked curiously.

In Principal He's view, although Nanyang Technological University's Energy Chemical Technology Research Equipment was the most advanced in the world, it did not seem to be very practical in Xia Country.

The Xia Country University of Science and Technology had once considered importing the equipment, but the proposal was ultimately rejected.

The major aspects of Xia Country's current energy chemical technology were already well-advanced, with nuclear, solar, wind, and hydro energy providing more than sufficient capacities.

While the equipment from Nanyang Technological University could also be used for research in nuclear, solar, and chemical fuel energy, it leaned more toward specialized clean energy research.

However, Xia Country was lagging behind in several aspects of this field.



For instance, the equipment could be used for research in graphene energy technology, but the current graphene reserves in Xia Country are limited.

"Our Department of Chemistry at Mist City Arts and Science University is planning to study energy efficiency technology."

Ding Yue answered.

"I recall that your sister, the College Entrance Examination Champion of Mist City, is in the Department of Chemistry at your university, isn't she?"

Principal He recalled the widely circulated news from the summer break - Ding Yue's younger sister, Ding Xiaoyou, became the Mist City Science College Entrance Examination Champion and, interestingly, rejected offers from Qinghua University and Yancheng University to join the private university run by her own elder brother.

This choice left many puzzled.

At least Principal He was initially puzzled, but after learning that Mist City Arts and Science University had bought 145 million yuan worth Energy Chemical Technology experimental equipment from Nanyang Technological University, he began to understand somewhat.

"Yes, Principal He, and I'll tell you honestly that we bought that equipment specifically for my sister. She plans to use it for energy technology research, which she is interested in."

Ding Yue answered Principal He's question truthfully.

"Your sister must be exceptionally gifted in this field. then why didn't she consider coming to Xia Country University of Science and Technology? If she wanted to research energy technology, she could have also gone to Xia Country University of Chemical Technology or Xia Country Petroleum University."

Principal He still felt that Ding Xiaoyou shouldn't have chosen her brother's Mist City Arts and Science University.

Ding Yue could sense Principal He's standpoint but didn't make excuses. The decision was his sister's to make, and he firmly believed that Ding Xiaoyou made the right choice.

Therefore, if they kept discussing this matter, he anticipated that the conversation would end with both parties leaving on a negative note.

"Well... perhaps my sister wanted to stay in Mist City more." Ding Yue replied somewhat unconfidently.

It was indeed a difficult question to answer.

How could Ding Yue tell Principal He that by staying at Mist City Arts and Science University, his sister could benefit from the system's "learning boost"?

Instead, Principal He sighed, shook his head slightly, and said: "Principal Ding, I'll be frank with you. The equipment that your university purchased from Nanyang Technological University is not cost-effective."

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"Ah?"

Upon hearing this, Ding Yue was taken aback.

Low cost-effectiveness?

In other words, he had made a poor purchase?

A poor purchase for 145 million yuan? But that was exactly the market price, there was no loss in terms of price.

So, what did Principal He mean?

Ding Yue furrowed his brows and asked curiously, "What did you mean by that, Principal He?"

Principal He smiled and explained to Ding Yue, "Principal Ding, the set of equipment from Nanyang Technological University is indeed advanced globally for energy chemical research. However, it leans more towards detailed research, for example, on fuel cells or graphene battery technologies."

As soon as Ding Yue heard this, he knew Principal He was a professional.

Because after the equipment was bought, his younger sister Ding Xiaoyou had mentioned she intended to use it primarily for battery technology research.

In the end, they decided to research graphene battery technology!

This was exactly the analogy that Principal He gave.

However, Principal He hadn't clarified why it wasn't cost-effective, so Ding Yue asked again, "Yes, my sister plans to research graphene battery technology."

"While graphene is indeed an important material for the future, have you considered, Principal Ding, that the exfoliation and storage of graphene are very limited globally? Not to mention the mass production of graphene exfoliation equipment and the series of production issues for graphene batteries once graphene storage is available," Principal He said sincerely.

Hearing Principal He's statement, Ding Yue did see some sense. But then again, shouldn't these difficulties in graphene battery technology be tackled one by one, rather than sitting back and doing nothing?

Just like his sister Ding Xiaoyou was working diligently every day to solve the optimization of chemical vapor deposition.

If they were to optimize chemical vapor deposition, they could potentially achieve large-scale exfoliation and storage of graphene, wouldn't that solve one of the problems?

Looking at it this way, Principal He's previous words did have some limitations.

However, Ding Yue did not refute. Instead, he listened attentively and asked again, "So you're saying, Principal He, that it's not suitable for our country to purchase this energy chemical research equipment at this stage?"

"Exactly!"

Principal He nodded and said, "At Xia Country University of Science and Technology, we considered introducing this set of equipment two years ago, but in the end, the plan was cancelled."

"I see."

Ding Yue couldn't help but let out a sigh of relief internally.

If that were the case, Ding Yue's plan to establish a collaboration with Xia Country University of Science and Technology in the field of energy chemical engineering through the advanced equipment seemed bleak.

He didn't even feel like proposing it anymore.

Because Ding Yue could already foresee Principal He's refusal no matter how he would put it forward.

"Sigh."

Ding Yue felt a bit disappointed.

He initially thought that having a set of advanced equipment worth 145 million yuan at Mist City Arts and Science University would give him some confidence to talk about establishing a partnership with universities like Xia Country University of Science and Technology or Xia Country University of Chemical Technology.

But he didn't expect that after what Principal He had said, it felt like he was shooting himself in the foot.

"Thank you for your enlightenment, Principal He." Principal Ding thanked Principal He, "Listening to what you've shared, I've really learned a lot!"

In truth, Ding Yue merely said so to avoid conflicting thoughts with Principal He, hence he didn't continue the conversation.

At least he had ceased fire, and for the moment, he wouldn't consider striking up a cooperation with formidable domestic universities in the field of energy chemical engineering, which his sister Ding Xiaoyou was studying.

But Ding Yue evidently wouldn't hinder his sister Ding Xiaoyou from moving forward with the graphene battery technology project!

It's merely that they can't ride on the coattails of leading domestic institutions like Xia Country University of Science and Technology or Xia Country University of Chemical Technology.

In fact, Ding Yue thinks that Principal He's earlier words showed a narrow-minded mindset.

Just because the application of graphene battery technology encountered several difficulties and setbacks, would they not attempt to realize it?

Well!

If Xia Country University of Science and Technology didn't want to tackle it, Mist City Arts and Science University would!

It's a pity really, Ding Yue's sister Ding Xiaoyou, studying chemistry, probably wouldn't manage to secure any substantial backing. However, that didn't matter. If it came down to it, they would make progress on their own. Ding Yue didn't believe that with all the high-tech stuff in his system mall and task rewards, he couldn't overcome the various difficulties of a graphene battery?

"Principal Ding, if your sister is indeed a talent in energy chemistry, you can suggest she consider pursuing postgraduate studies at our Xia Country University of Science and Technology. We have quite an extraordinary program in energy chemical engineering!"

Principal He reminded Ding Yue again.

However, Ding Yue didn't particularly appreciate this piece of advice from Principal He.

It was highly unlikely that his sister would go to Xia Country University of Science and Technology. If she went there as a postgraduate student, she might become an exceptional student.

But if his sister Ding Xiaoyou stayed at his own Mist City Arts and Science University, she might become a ground-breaking figure in the future!

Given her intelligence and talent, and considering the learning enhancements Ding Yue had applied, she would certainly outperform herself if she went to Xia Country University of Science and Technology without the enhancement benefit, even if she stayed at home!

"Yeah, sure, I'll suggest it to her!" Ding Yue responded positively to Principal He's advice.

Then the two chatted for a while. Seeing that it was impossible to talk about the key issues, Ding Yue did not delay Principal He's time any further.

"Principal Ding, how did it go? Did Principal He also think highly of your Mist City Arts and Science University?"

Upon seeing Ding Yue return, Xu Dongcheng asked eagerly.

However, Ding Yue's expression said it all.

Ding Yue didn't expect that Principal He, who seemed as amicable as Principal Zhu, would actually fall into the category of university principals who didn't have a high opinion of private universities.

If this was the case, then there wasn't much left for Ding Yue and Principal He to discuss.

"Did it fall through?"

Xu Dongcheng, seeing that Ding Yue did not look very cheerful, asked again.

"Yeah, Principal He doesn't seem to think too highly of our Mist City Arts and Science University." Ding Yue shook his head with a wry smile.

"Well, it may be that each principal has different perspectives and viewpoints." Xu Dongcheng speculated.

Ding Yue detected the comfort in Principal Xu Dongcheng's words.

Unexpectedly, the main outcome of his attendance at the National College Education Innovation Exchange Conference was that he might become friends with Principal Xu Dongcheng of Westlight University.

They did hit it off.

Mainly because Principal Xu Dongcheng, who was in his forties, was considerably younger compared to those 50 or 60-year-old principals.

Although he was indeed twice Ding Yue's age, his mindset was quite youthful, and Ding Yue could sense that. Otherwise, he wouldn't have engaged in such a friendly conversation with him.

"Principal Xu, you're spot on."

Ding Yue quickly reassured himself, agreeing with Principal Xu Dongcheng's previous statement with a smile.

Indeed, each principal had their unique perspective on things!

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Mist City Arts and Science University.

In the Energy Chemical Technology Laboratory, a beautiful figure is busily working.

This beautiful figure is none other than Ding Yue's younger sister Ding Xiaoyou.

However.

In this lab, there is not only one figure, but also another girl who is assisting Ding Xiaoyou with her work.

"Liu Yan, could you send me the data from the virtual model we just worked on?"

Ding Xiaoyou, sitting in front of the computer, spoke to her classmate Liu Yan.

Liu Yan is also a student of the Chemistry Department and shares the same class as Ding Xiaoyou. In recognition of her talent in the field of chemistry, Ding Xiaoyou had invited her to join the research on Chemical Vapor Deposition in the field of chemistry.

Ding Xiaoyou met Liu Yan during military training and perceived her talents in chemistry since then.

Now that a month or two have passed since the start of the term, Liu Yan is self-studying a lot of professional knowledge in the library every day.

Ding Xiaoyou later frequently encountered Liu Yan in the library. After the two discussed professional knowledge, Ding Xiaoyou decided to let Liu Yan join her.

After all, it would be too exhausting and time-consuming for Ding Xiaoyou to carry out the work in the large laboratory all by herself.

Having Liu Yan to help her, assist her, and knowing she is not bad in the chemistry department, Ding Xiaoyou naturally feels less stressed.

"Alright."

Liu Yan nodded and sent the freshly compiled data to Ding Xiaoyou before walking to her side and asked: "Xiao You, can these data optimize the graphene stripping by the chemical vapor deposition method?"



The previous set of data pertains to the equipment that realizes the method of chemical vapor deposition.

If this equipment can be completed, then the study of graphene Chemical Vapor Deposition method by Ding Xiaoyou in this period will be able to achieve an efficient optimization.

That is, they can strip graphene massively by the chemical vapor deposition method, and the purity of the stripped graphene can reach a high requirement.

"As long as the data doesn't make mistakes when applied into the formula, it can be realized." With meticulous attention, Ding Xiaoyou began to calculate the set of data they just obtained from the experiment using her computer.

Ding!

The first part is correct.

Ding!

The second part is also correct.

Ding Xiaoyou and Liu Yan looked at each other, both revealing a joyous expression. This was because there were usually errors in the second part of the experimental data before.

Now that the second part is correct, it means that there is a chance to optimize the chemical vapor deposition method.

Ding!

The third part is wrong... calculation analysis error...

All of a sudden, Ding Xiaoyou was dumbfounded.

The calculation of the data in the final stage still ends up with errors.

In optimizing the chemical vapor deposition method, Ding Xiaoyou has already done her best, but the result is still not satisfying.

"Xiao You, did we... fail?" Liu Yan lifted her head dejectedly and looked at Ding Xiaoyou to ask.

"The data has been optimized to this point, but it's still hard to achieve." Ding Xiaoyou shook her head helplessly: "That means it's not feasible."

Exactly.

Optimizing the Chemical Vapor Deposition method, for Ding Xiaoyou, is like a road. Whether this road is passable or not, Ding Xiaoyou couldn't be more clear.

Now, through the analysis of the data, the obstructed parts ahead are difficult to clear. Ding Xiaoyou couldn't even find a good method to solve it. This means that the optimization of the graphene stripping of the Chemical Vapor Deposition method is hardly achievable.

"Sigh."

Liu Yan sighed.

They have been working hard for a period of time, thinking that they were about to optimize the Chemical Vapor Deposition method.

But now they are being told that it's hard to achieve, the gap in feeling is certainly tremendous.

Ding Xiaoyou's feeling was even worse.

If they couldn't realize a better method for graphene stripping and preparation, it means that the graphene battery technology project she wanted to research can hardly be put into large-scale application in the end.

After all, if they couldn't even achieve the production of graphene storage, having graphene batteries, even the simplest commercialization in the market is impossible.

Beep Beep Beep!

Just as the mood of Ding Xiaoyou and Liu Yan was incredibly low, Ding Xiaoyou's phone rang.

Having heard the phone ringing, Ding Xiaoyou got up and walked over to the box where her phone was placed and picked it up. The incoming call displayed: Brother.

"Hello, Ding Yue."

Ding Xiaoyou answered the phone listlessly.

Wasn't he attending the National College Education Innovation Exchange Conference? Why is he suddenly calling her?

Could it be that Ding Yue had found a university to cooperate with the Chemistry Department of Mist City Arts and Science University?

If that was the case, then it would indeed be good news.

"Xiao You, what are you doing?"

Ding Yue asked.

At this time, Ding Yue was still in the rest area of the conference. After chatting with Xu Dongcheng, he decided to deliver the "bad news" to his sister.

In the previous conversation between Ding Yue and his sister Ding Xiaoyou, they had agreed to try and find a prestigious University to form a partnership with and strengthen the Chemistry Department's overall strength, similar to what they did with the Physics Department.

However, the result was as the Principal He from Xia Country University of Science and Technology had stated, the "cost-effectiveness" of the equipment purchased by their Mist City Arts and Science University was not high.

Moreover, it seemed that Principal He didn't value the Chemistry Department of private universities that much.

Therefore, there was basically no hope for cooperation here.

"I'm in the laboratory, just finished the latest set of data analysis with Xiao Yan." Xiaoyou replied.