BIOGRAPHY

Prof. Xinxin Zhang began his studies at the Beijing University of Iron and Steel Technology (currently the University of Science and Technology Beijing, USTB) in 1978 and obtained his master’s degree in Thermal Engineering in 1984. He continued his studies in France at the Lorraine Institute of Technology and earned his Doctor’s degree in Thermal Metrology in 1992.

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Prof. Zhang has received numerous rewards for his research, including the prestigious honors of being a leading scientist of the National 973 Project and an expert of the National High Technology Research and Development Program (the “863” Program) of China. Under his leadership, USTB is internationally renowned as “the cradle on iron and steel engineers”, with Metallurgy Engineering and the History of Science and Technology ranked first in China.