

Nantong report

2023 Forum on High-Quality Development of Listed Companies

By Tang Xiaofeng and Ding Weicheng

2023 Forum on High-Quality Development of Listed Companies was held at Nantong International Conference Center on 23rd November. More than 500 senior executives of listed companies, some academicians, experts and scholars discussed about the opportunities and paths of high-quality development of listed companies, focusing on the theme ‘advanced manufacturing and new quality productivity’.

There are 685 A-share listed companies in Jiangsu at present, which is ranked the 3rd in China. Among them, more than 100 companies are on Science and Technology Innovation Board and 40 companies are listed on Beijing Stock Exchange, and the number ranked the 1st in China. Since the start of this year, there have been 54 new A-share listed companies in Jiangsu. The amount of initial financing is about 57.5 billion yuan. They both ranked the 1st in China.

The forum was jointly hosted by Nantong government and China Securities Journal.

The 25th Listed Companies Golden Bull Award announced in Nantong

Zhongtian Technology won 2 grand awards

By Jiang Xiaodong and Zhang Shuilan

On 23rd November, the 25th Listed Companies Golden Bull Award ceremony hosted by China Securities Journal and Nantong government was held in Nantong International Conference Center. Zhongtian Technology, as a representative of excellent listed companies in Nantong, won the Most Investment-worthy Award. Xue Jiping, its CEO, won the Golden Bull Outstanding Entrepreneurs Award.

Golden Bull Award was founded in 1999. It is one of the most credible and influential authoritative awards in Chinese capital market.

In 1992, Zhongtian Technology started its optical fiber communication business. Now it has become a global leading enterprise in the optical fiber communication field. It is one of the marine cable professional manufacturers of the most complete types and largest size in China.

The Fourth International Law, Forensics, Investigation and Education Conference held in Nantong

By Lu Wei

Recently, the Fourth International Law, Forensics, Investigation and Education Conference was held in Nantong.

During the conference, more than 350 global leading experts and scholars from more than 50 universities and institutes gathered in Nantong, and communicated in aspects including forensic science and technologies, cyber-crime, big data and AI application, presenting fully the latest frontier achievements in fields such as forensic science from various countries in the world.

At the closing ceremony, Doctor Chang-Yu Lee, the famous criminal investigation expert in the world and tenured professor of University of New Haven in the U.S., summarized the results of the conference.

Rail Transit Line 2 passed completion acceptance

By Jiang Jiaojiao

On 23rd November, Nantong Rail Transit Line 2 passed completion acceptance successfully. Rail Transit Line 2 is the second underground railway line constructed in Nantong. Its construction was started on 26th October 2018.

The total length of Line 2 phase 1 project is 20.85 km. It is in ‘L’ shape, connecting Chongchuan District and Tongzhou District. It starts from Xingfu Station in Chongchuan District, passes Xingfu Avenue, North Street, Haoxi Road, Yuelong Road, and Qingnian Road, and then enters Tongzhou District. The terminal station is Xianfeng Station. There are 17 stations in total.

‘A hundred overseas doctors’ Jiangsu trip’ started in Nantong

By Chen Ke and Si Zhanwei

On 18th November, ‘A hundred overseas doctors’ Jiangsu trip’ was started at Nantong Economic&Technological Development Area. 45 overseas doctors and more than 30 enterprises and public institutions had in-depth communication and connection in shipbuilding, marine engineering, and electronic information.

The annual ‘A hundred overseas doctors’ Jiangsu trip’ has been held for 17 batches continuously. It has always worked on introducing outstanding overseas doctors and talents to places all over Jiangsu.



Rush to produce photovoltaic modules

On 21st November, at the manufacturing workshop of Junfeng Solar (Jiangsu) Co., Ltd. in Hai’an High-tech Industrial Development Zone, workers were rushing to produce solar energy photovoltaic modules. Photo by Zhai Huiyong

Supplementary election results of academicians of the two academies revealed

Two scientists from Nantong elected

By Wang Weili

On 22nd November, 2023 academician supplementary election results of the two academies were revealed. 59 academicians of Chinese Academy of Sciences and 74 academicians of Chinese Academy of Engineering were newly elected. Ji Xunming and Zhou Chuangbing, scientists from Nantong, were elected as academicians of Chinese Academy of Engineering.



Ji Xunming

Ji Xunming, who was born in Hai’an in December 1970, is a neurosurgery expert who works on prevention and treatment of cerebral apoplexy and research on translational medicine, and has taken more than 20 national and provincial projects including Na-



Zhou Chuangbing

tional Key Research and Development Programs, 973 Project, 863 Project, and National Natural Science Foundation projects.

Zhou Chuangbing, who was born in Qidong in November

1962, is a hydraulic and rock mechanics expert. He works as a professor and PHD supervisor of Nanchang University. Zhou Chuangbing’s research field is hydraulic and rock mechanics.

Concrete casting work of pile caps of Zhang-Jing-Gao Yangtze River Bridge completed

By Peng Junjun

On 22nd November, the concrete casting work of pile caps of the south main towers of the south

channel bridge of Zhang-Jing-Gao Yangtze River Bridge was completed. So far, the foundation construction of the main towers of the bridge has been completed success-



fully. The bridge entered a new phase of ‘height increase’.

Since the first steel casing was driven in the Yangtze River on 26th August 2022, the construction team completed the construction of 97 steel casings in 85 days, 97 ultra large bored piles in 109 days, under water bottom sealing in 132 days, and the pile caps in 85 days. In more than 14 months, about 130 thousand cubic meters of concrete of various types has been cast, and about 30 thousand tons of steel products of various types have been used. About 40 thousand cubic meters of sediment has been dredged. The average daily transportation volume has reached 500 tons, which is equivalent to 20 heavy trucks shuttling back and forth every day.

Zhang-Jing-Gao Yangtze River Bridge has the largest span in the world among bridges under construction now.

Briefly

School of Microelectronics of Nantong University (School of Integrated Circuit) opened

By Shen Liang

On 21st November, the opening ceremony of School of Microelectronics of Nantong University (School of Integrated Circuit) was held at Nantong University.

Shang Qingfei, the secretary of CPC Committee of Nantong University, said that after the school was founded, it would carry out cooperation in aspects including talent cultivation, major building, industrial and education integration, and university and enterprise joint building, focusing on fields including integrated circuit materials, equipment, process and design, based on relevant majors of Nantong University and provincial major labs.

Over 13 million cubic meters of LNG received and unloaded along the coast of Nantong this year

By Wu Xiaoyun

On 19th November, LNG ship ‘Aristarchus’ left Jiangsu LNG port safely. Up to now, the amount of LNG received and unloaded along the coast of Nantong has exceeded 13 million cubic meters.

LNG ship ‘Aristarchus’ is from Greece. The voyage is from Egypt to Nantong. 166.7 thousand cubic meters (73.1 thousand tons) of LNG was unloaded, which can meet the daily needs of gas of 200 million families.

LNG is liquefied natural gas. Its main content is methane. Compared with other common fuels, it has many advantages including safety, reliability, cleanliness, environmental protection, flexibility and convenience.