

China Tourism Academy Summit 2009 in Beijing

China Tourism Academy Summit 2009 was held in Beijing on April 26, 2009. More than 180 top tourism researchers in China, including IAST members Prof. Du Jiang, Prof. Bao Ji-gang and Prof. Haiyan Song, attended the one-day Summit. With the theme of "Trends and Responsibility", the Summit discussed and analyzed the 30 years' history as well as the future of tourism research in China. China Tourism Academy, the host of the Summit, presented its newly published book The Development of China Tourism Research 1978-2008. Prof. Du Jiang, President of China Tourism Academy and vice Chairman of China National Tourism Administration declared in his speech that the Summit will become an annual event for the Chinese tourism researchers.