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### Launch of the Public Governance Case Center and Database of Peking University

Institute of Public Governance has recently launched its Case Center and Database—one of its most important academic platforms—with the support from various parties. The IPG Case Center and Database is a place where we collect, develop and share relevant researches, classic cases and key results. The resources will be available to all users who are interested in the field of public governance. We also welcome you to share your resources as a contribution to the development of public governance studies, both domestically and internationally.

Currently, the available Case Center include(s):

- Case Center of the Grassroot Governance in Ningbo
- The available Database include(s):
- Database of the Beijing Annual Survey of Society Economy (BAS)

#### Honorary Expert Chunqing Yuan Delivered Online Speeches at the MPA Public Policy Forum

Per the invitation from MPA Public Policy Forum, former deputy leader of the Central Rural Work Team, former party secretary of Shanxi province, Mr. Chunqing Yuan gave a series of online speeches to the MPA students at School of Government on April 11 and April 25. The speeches centered on the poverty elimination that China has been fighting for millennia to achieve. According to the plan, China shall defeat the extreme poverty by 2020. This means we are now standing at a crucial point of winning this war.

Based on his frontline experience for 30 years, Secretary Yuan shared his insights and researches on four major questions about poverty elimination: the great achievements and meanings of China's poverty elimination; the successful experiences and methods; challenges for the next step; building the long-term solution for the gradual elimination of relative poverty.

The speeches were presided by Deputy Director of IPG Ms. Haiyan Li. Director Jirong Yan and a few teachers attended the speeches offline due to the influence of COVID-19 pandemic. Over 500 online audience participated the two splendid speeches and interacted with Secretary Yuan.

## Assistant Professor Xiao Ma and Yanjun Liu Attended Seminar at Beijing Foreign Studies University

April 25, Assistant Professor Xiao Ma and Yanjun Liu were invited to attend the "Reviewing the Modernization of Governance" seminar held at BFSU. This seminar was part of a series of academic conferences on fighting COVID-19 that the institute members have attended. It covered three major topics: the national governance system, the capacity of governance, and interaction between the nation and the society. Scholars from more than 10 top Chinese universities attended and joined the discussion. They analyzed the China experience of governance and raised specific suggestions on facing the urgent situation.

#### Professor Jirong Yan Attended Seminar Held by Fudan University

On May 12, IPG Director Jirong Yan attended the online seminar held by Fudan University, and gave a speech on Poverty Elimination and National Governance. He shared his insights on the innovative meanings of China's poverty relieving campaigns. Over 200 students at Fudan attended the seminar and communicated with Professor Yan. The seminar was co-presided by Dean of Public Affairs at Fudan University, Professor Changhe Su, and Professor Mingming Chen.