
Gu Xiaocheng Memorial Fund

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Dear Friends:

It is sad to all of us that our beloved Professor Gu Xiaocheng passed away on November 3, 2012. We are all grateful to the extraordinary contributions by Professor Gu Xiaocheng, which has a profound impact on all of us at the personal level as well as on the advancement of life sciences in China.

The Board of Directors of the [Ray Wu Memorial Fund](#), Inc., has decided to establish a special fund, the Gu Xiaocheng Memorial Fund, in memory of Professor Gu Xiaocheng. The fund will be administered by and under the governance of the Ray Wu Memorial Fund, Inc, a nonprofit 501c(3) organization (tax ID number is 11-3840803).

This special fund will be used to support the Gu Xiaocheng Lectureship for designated speakers at the annual Ray Wu Symposium. Professor Gu Xiaocheng worked closely with Dr. Ray Wu in many aspects to promote scientific exchanges between China and the United States. Inviting overseas scientists to return to China had been Professor Gu's long-time passion. We enthusiastically support the effort of setting up the Gu Xiaocheng Memorial Fund to commemorate the friendship between Dr. Ray Wu and Professor Gu Xiaocheng, and their shared legacy.

The interim committee managing the Gu Xiaocheng Memorial Fund includes:

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