

Gao Anming attended FIT council meeting

Gao Anming, Chair of the Asia-Pacific Translation and Interpreting Forum (APTIF) Joint Committee & Executive Vice President and Secretary General of the Translators Association of China (TAC), attended FIT council meeting on 4 July via video link.



During the meeting, Gao Anming briefed the council on APTIF10 which was held on 25-26 June 2022 in Beijing. "As the most vibrant regional platform in the industry, APTIF will continue to play its due role in strengthening links between Asia-Pacific and FIT and commit itself to the prosperity and sustainable development of global translation profession," Gao said, highlighting the importance of APTIF in raising the profile of the T&I community in the region and the world at large.

The 17 newly-elected FIT council members conducted an in-depth discussion on critical issues concerning the governance and daily running mechanism of FIT and reached broad consensus, charting a new course ahead for the organisation.



2022 Training of Trainers for Translation and Interpreting kicks off

The 2022 Training of Trainers for Translation and Interpreting, co-organised by the Translators Association of China (TAC), China Academy of Translation and China National Committee for Translation and Interpreting Education, kicked off online on 16 July with over 800 participants from governmental agencies, universities, colleges, research institutions and enterprises, hitting a record high.



In his opening remarks, Gao Anming, Executive Vice President and Secretary General of TAC, underscored that capacity building in translation and interpreting becomes increasingly important for effective international communication in the new era, which requires quality training featuring well-designed curriculum, advanced methodology and systematic course planning and that TAC is ready to work with relevant stakeholders for more programmes to come.

Huang Youyi, Executive Vice President of TAC, Vice President of China Academy of Translation and Former Director of China National Committee for Translation and Interpreting Education and Bao Chuanyun, Vice President of China Academy of Translation and professor at Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey, delivered keynote speeches, providing unique perspectives on ways to intensify coordinated efforts from all sides for talent training in T&I.

Since its launch in 1997, the training programme grew from strength to strength and is now China's largest and longest-running TOT programme. Up to date, it has benefited more than 8,000 participants and received wide recognition from China and beyond.



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