

Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises

【Basic Information】

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Vice Chairman, SASAC

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Director of Macroeconomic and Development Policy Branch, UN Trade and Development (UNCTAD)

Panel Discussion:

Liu Zhongfan

Academician of the Chinese Academy of Sciences and Director of Beijing Graphene Institute

Zhou Yuxian

Chairman of China National Building Material Group (CNBM)

Chen Yangfan

Executive Vice President of China COSCO SHIPPING

Wei Chang

Vice President and CTO of Midea Group

Xiao Song

Global Executive Vice President of Siemens and Chairman of Siemens Ltd., China

Erik Buschmann

Global Senior Vice President of Airbus, COO of Airbus China

Ma Changhai

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【Brief Introduction】

On November 6, 2024, the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises of the 7th Hongqiao International Economic Forum (HQF) was hosted by State-owned Assets Supervision and Administration Commission of the State Council of China and the Ministry of Commerce of China at the National Exhibition and Convention Center (Shanghai). Focusing on technology, industrial upgrading and industrial ecology, the session aims to pool wisdom on how to enhance the resilience of industrial and supply chains, boost the innovation vitality of enterprises and develop new quality productive forces through opening-up and cooperation to pursue the high-quality development of enterprises.



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Gou Ping, Vice Chairman of SASAC,
addressed the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains
for High-quality Development of Enterprises

Gou Ping, Vice Chairman of SASAC and Head of the Central Enterprise Delegation, pointed out that Chinese central enterprises have continuously strengthened their openness to the outside world and expanded international cooperation. The level of cooperation has been deepened, and the scope of cooperation has expanded. Currently, more than 300 overseas R&D platforms and more than 20 industrial parks have been established around the world, with trade conducted with 128 countries and regions, and joint ventures in cooperation with more than 400 enterprises in China. In the future, the SASAC will continue to guide and promote central enterprises to collaborate with foreign enterprises to enhance scientific and technological innovation and industrial cooperation, strive for mutual benefit and win-win results, and contribute to the stable development of global industrial and supply chains.



Tang Wenhong, Assistant Minister of Commerce of China,
addressed the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains
for High-quality Development of Enterprises

Tang Wenhong, Assistant Minister of Commerce of China, pointed out that the global industrial and supply chains are accelerating restructuring, and strengthening openness and cooperation has become a shared expectation of the worldwide business community. China will deepen reforms in the management systems for foreign investment and outbound investment, promote high-quality trade development, and actively participate in the construction of the global industrial and supply chain system. Through these efforts, China aims to deepen international cooperation and provide new opportunities for all countries through its unique development approach, working together to build a secure, stable, smooth, efficient, open, inclusive, and mutually beneficial industrial and supply chain.



Anastasia Nesvetailova, Director of Macroeconomic and Development Policy Branch, UNCTAD, addressed the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises

Anastasia Nesvetailova, Director of Macroeconomic and Development Policy Branch, UNCTAD, stated that the resilience and stability of global supply chains are essential to the stability of the global economy. However, financial technology, geopolitics, and climate change have imposed certain negative impacts on these supply chains. Looking ahead, countries should strengthen dialogue and cooperation in areas such as financial technology, policy, and environment, promote greater regional collaboration, and initiate new development strategies for South-South and multilateral cooperation to enhance the resilience of both global and regional supply chains.



Zhu Kai, Director General, Bureau of International Cooperation, SASAC,
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【Panel Discussion】



Liu Zhongfan, Academician of the Chinese Academy of Sciences and Director of Beijing Graphene Institute, attended the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises and participated in Panel Discussion

Liu Zhongfan, Academician of the Chinese Academy of Sciences and Director of Beijing Graphene Institute, said that in recent years, from basic research to scaling, engineering, and eventually industrialization, the key is to focus on specialization and precision. Graphene materials have many outstanding characteristics, including lightweight, high strength, and excellent electrical and thermal conductivity. However, people inevitably have high expectations and many desires, making it difficult to focus. Yet, only by narrowing the focus can energy be concentrated, forming a powerful force and laying a solid foundation for the graphene industry. Most of the areas where China needs breakthroughs are fundamentally related to materials, and from basic research to processes, the ultimate reliance is on equipment. Collaborative innovation throughout the industrial chain is beneficial to the fine division of labor and driving industrial upgrading.



Zhou Yuxian, Chairman of China National Building Material Group (CNBM), attended the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises and participated in Panel Discussion

Zhou Yuxian, Chairman of China National Building Material Group (CNBM), noted that the Group provides customized system integration solutions globally, linking upstream and downstream enterprises. First, CNBM is driven by innovation, supporting industry innovation through technological innovation and promoting the industrialization of high-end non-metallic materials, gradually building a modernized non-metallic materials industry system. Second, CNBM adheres to the low-carbon principles, incorporating the values of ecological priority and green, low-carbon development in all aspects of production and operation. Third, CNBM connects demand through standards, actively transforming China's non-metallic materials standards into national standards in the countries where it operates. Finally, CNBM pursues win-win results through cooperation, adhering to the three principles of “contributing to the local economy, cooperating with local enterprises, and serving local residents,” and is committed to building an open, cooperative, and mutually beneficial global industrial and supply chain ecosystem.



Chen Yangfan, Executive Vice President of China COSCO SHIPPING,
attended the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality
Development of Enterprises and participated in Panel Discussion

Chen Yangfan, Executive Vice President of China COSCO SHIPPING, stated that COSCO SHIPPING is committed to building an integrated global digital supply chain service ecosystem that integrates “shipping + ports + logistics.” This initiative aims to link and integrate the service capabilities of various nodes in the supply chain, accelerate the transition from “shipping route products” to “digital supply chain products,” and shift from port-to-port shipping to end-to-end supply chain services. Leveraging the Global Shipping Business Network (GSBN) blockchain platform, COSCO SHIPPING creates an integrated ecosystem for shipping logistics, trade, finance, and regulation. Together with its partners, it aims to build a new production relationship that is fairer, more efficient, and more transparent, contributing to the facilitation of global trade.



Wei Chang, Vice President and CTO of Midea Group,
attended the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality
Development of Enterprises and participated in Panel Discussion

Wei Chang, Vice President and CTO of Midea Group, stated that integrating into global industrial and supply chains requires focusing on four key aspects. First, the integration of globalization and regionalization. Midea Group has global manufacturing and R&D teams across different countries, and offers products tailored to regional needs in addition to global products. Second, green development. Midea emphasizes sustainable growth by establishing an ESG strategy and providing solutions for the residential, commercial and industrial sectors, as well as large-scale energy storage. Third, digital intelligence-driven growth. Midea Group focuses on building digital systems to improve the efficiency of its supply chain and industrial operations. Fourth, technological innovation. Technological leadership is Midea's core strategy. The Group employs over 2,300 R&D personnel and has more than 30 R&D centers worldwide, half of which are located overseas, primarily to support its core home appliance business.



Xiao Song, Global Executive Vice President of Siemens and Chairman of Siemens Ltd., China, attended the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises and participated in Panel Discussion

Xiao Song, Global Executive Vice President of Siemens and Chairman of Siemens Ltd., China, stated that the integration of digital technology and the real economy is Siemens' core development strategy for the future. This integration can shorten project timelines, reduce costs, and improve production efficiency. Siemens is continuously exploring the intersection of technological innovation and industrial development, firmly believing that innovation can only create maximum value when it is deeply integrated with industry. In the future, Siemens will leverage its strong capabilities in the integration of digital technology and the real economy to better support Chinese enterprises in the next phase of this transformation, enhance global competitiveness and build itself as a world-class enterprise.



Erik Buschmann, Global Senior Vice President of Airbus, COO of Airbus China, attended the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises and participated in Panel Discussion

Erik Buschmann, COO of Airbus China, said that the importance of the Chinese market has led Airbus to establish a comprehensive presence in China. Its industrial supply chain covers the entire life cycle of an aircraft, from R&D, design, manufacturing, final assembly, delivery, and service to sustainability, conversion of passenger aircraft to freighters, and aircraft recycling. In the future, Airbus plans to further expand its presence in China, create a complete industrial chain that spans the entire country, from the birth of an aircraft to its retirement, and aims to cover all segments of the supply chain. Additionally, Airbus is committed to leading the sustainable development of the aerospace industry. Through pioneering disruptive technologies, including hydrogen-powered commercial aircraft, Airbus will continuously improve the fuel efficiency of its products and lead the aerospace sector in its journey towards decarbonization.



Ma Changhai, Deputy General Manager of Shandong Heavy Industry Group, Chairman of Weichai Holding Group, attended the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains for High-quality Development of Enterprises and participated in Panel Discussion

Ma Changhai, Deputy General Manager of Shandong Heavy Industry Group, Chairman of Weichai Holding Group, emphasized that “collaborative innovation within the industrial chain” is key to connecting upstream and downstream enterprises. Since 2015, the Group has established a research team comprising nearly 100 PhD holders and 1,000 R&D engineers. After five years of efforts, the thermal efficiency of its diesel engines reached 50% in 2020, which, to put it in perspective, is like human athletes completing a 100-meter race in less than 10 seconds. Collaboration within the industrial chain is an enduring theme, and innovation is the inexhaustible driving force. Weichai Holding Group will continue to focus on this and strive to expand its scope, deepen its technological development, and overcome challenges to achieve a qualitative leap.



Jin Qiang, Anchor, China Central Television,
moderated Panel Discussion of the Parallel Session on Deepening Cooperation on Industrial and Supply Chains
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