



Presentation of Keynote Speaker

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Biography:

Professor Shan Chunchang, Counselor for the State Council of China, Director of the Expert Panel for the Emergency Management Taskforce under the General Office of the State Council, vice director of the Expert Panel of the Chinese Committee for Disaster Reduction, former director of the State Administration of Production Safety.

Professor Shan is one of the chief drafters of Production Safety Law and a number of laws and regulations of Emergency Management. He was one of the chief official responsible for the investigation and handling of a number of major accidents like May 7 Air Crash of Dalian in 1999 , November 24 sea disaster of Dalian in 2002 and February 2 Fire of Ha'erbin in 2003. Mr. Shan is an internationally renowned expert with rich theoretical knowledge and wide practical experience in the field of emergency management. Since 2003, he has been the vice director of the Emergency Management Taskforce under the General Office of the State Council of China, and has championed the formulation of the China National Public Emergency Response Plan, 25 task-specific emergency response plans and 80 sector-specific emergency response plans. Under his leadership, the National Public Emergency Response Plan and 105 other emergency response plans which are either task-, sector- or area-specific have been formulated, marking a major step forward in the taking shape of China's emergency management framework in terms of institutional arrangements, mechanisms, and legislation.