Economic headlines from South-West China

Economic investments and development in Sichuan:

"One belt One Road, Sichuan Opportunity" Series Report of West China City News Interview with director-general of Provincial Department of Sichuan 65 trade and investment activities carried out along the "one belt one road" in 2015 Director-general of Sichuan Provincial Department of Commerce Mr. Xie Kaihua was interviewed by West China City News.

He said: the strategy of "one belt one road" is a huge opportunity for Sichuan, which will form a new opening pattern. At this moment, the department of commerce is drafting the promotion plan for the "participation of the foreign economic cooperation in the one belt one road strategy"; the plan probably will be announced next month.

The department of commerce will adopt 6 measures to carry out the "one belt one road" strategy. According to the preliminary plan, Sichuan plans to promote the cooperation with 20 important countries, to cultivate 50 important projects, to lock up 100 enterprises to join the "one belt one road" strategy in 3 years. Sichuan will try to reach 10 billion US dollars in the foreign trade turnover. This year the number of trade and investment activities along the "one belt one road" will be over 65.

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150317/276698.shtml

Apple Inc. Invests in Sichuan Photovoltaic Company Chengdu Daily

On 16th April, the famous American Photovoltaic Company- Sunpower announced the cooperation with the Apple Inc. two of the projects for cooperation are the Photovoltaic power stations In Aba Tibetan and Qiang Autonomous Prefecture, Sichuan.

After the two projects are done, it will be owned by Apple Inc and the Sichuan Shengtian New Energy Development Co., ltd, which is the joint stock company of the Sunpower Company in China.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-04/21/content_517229.htm

Launching of the "2015 well-known Domestic and Overseas Enterprises" Chengdu economic daily

According to the Sichuan Provincial Investment and Promotion Bureau, the biggest investment forum "2015 well-known domestic and overseas enterprises visit to Sichuan" was launched on April 23rd -24^{th.}

During the forum, Sichuan focused on the introduction of a number of attractive investment and cooperation projects to further expand the fields and space for foreign investors in cooperation with Sichuan.

The local government introduced around 3389 projects during the event, with the total investment of 4.01 trillion Yuan. Over 200 domestic and overseas enterprises will take part in the event.

Link Chengdu Daily: <u>http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-04/15/content_2190475.htm</u> Link Chengdu economic daily: <u>http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-03/04/content_510867.htm</u>

Motivate Sichuan Enterprises to Promote Products in Middle East SICHUAN DAILY

According to the executive chairman of the Middle East market professional committee of Sichuan International Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Chen Lianjun, the Chamber of Commerce will select high-quality products and good enterprises from 21 cities and states of Sichuan, and promote them to enter the Middle East market.

According to the Middle East market demand, the committee will mainly visit the industries in petrochemical raw materials production or processing, petrochemical equipment manufacturing, electrical and mechanical hardware, processing and manufacturing, tea, agricultural and sideline products, arts and crafts, building materials, decorative materials, new energy and other industries.

Link: http://dzb.scdaily.cn/2015/03/18/20150318525584086873.htm

Industry Chain to Support the Development of Medicine Industry Innovation Sichuan Declared that It Will Reward for R&D and Compensate for Innovation Failure Sichuan daily

By 2020, Sichuan will form 50 national-level innovation platforms and 100 provincial –level innovation platforms. The area for planting herbal medicine will reach 4 million mu, and establish 50 bases for Chinese herbal medicine and strive to achieve the "millions" high-level talent team.

LINK: http://epaper.scdaily.cn/shtml/scrb/20150317/94392.shtml

China- Central Asia- West Asia Economic Corridor

West china metropolis daily

The Deserts Blossoming Flowers, the lands flowing milk and honey

Sichuan people love colorful life and grasp the opportunities for success. From the beach town in Dubai to the desert in Israel, Sichuan merchants are thriving. How Sichuan People Live in West Asia, how they face up to the opportunities and challenges, Three journalists from West China City News will set their feet on the silk road again - The United Arab Emirates, Turkey and Israel to reveal the land flowing with Milk and Honey.

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150316/276503.shtml

Investment policies and developments in Chengdu:

Foreign Investment Grows in Chengdu www.gochengdu.cn

The megacities of Beijing, Shanghai and Guangzhou have always attracted the bulk of investments in China. But increasingly, foreign investors are looking elsewhere in the vast country for opportunities — the number of Singapore firms in Chengdu, for instance, grew from 299 in early 2013 to 384 by the end of 2014, a 28 percent increase.

President of Enveesoft Mr. Darrel Chua, has had over 20 years of experience in in-flight entertainment. About five years ago, he ventured to China to develop mobile and in-flight entertainment content. But rather than start his business in the mega-cities of Beijing, Shanghai or Guangzhou, he opted for the western Chinese city of Chengdu. Mr. Chua said: "Chengdu probably helps us save about 50 percent of labor costs, compared to Beijing and Shanghai." Mr Chua's firm is among a rising number of Singapore-linked companies drawn to Sichuan province, where Chengdu is located in. In June 2012, Singapore had a total of 454 projects in Sichuan, but this rose to 482 by the end-2013 — a six percent increase. As of 2014, total Singapore investments in Chengdu reached 650 million US\$. One of the most high-profile Singapore investments is the 1,000 hectare Singapore-Sichuan Hi-tech Innovation Park. It is the first large-scale Hi-Tech park jointly developed by Singapore and Sichuan. CEO of Singapore-Sichuan Hi-tech Innovation Park Mr. Cui Wei said: "For the first 30 years, China's reform and opening up was mostly in the coastal regions, but for the next 30 years, the western region will play a more important role."

Chengdu's GDP Reaches 246.23 Billion in First Quarter of 2015 Chengdu Economic Daily

According to information office of Chengdu Municipal Government, after preliminary calculation, for the first quarter of 2015, Chengdu's GDP is 246.23billion Yuan. Link: <u>http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-04/29/content_518738.htm</u>

Foreign Trade Value of Chengdu Reaches 73.4 Billion Yuan in the First Quarter of 2015 Chengdu Daily

According to the Sichuan Foreign trade statistics released in a press conference held by Chengdu Customs: In the first quarter of 2015, the imports dropped compared to the same period of last year, the exports kept the same level, while the profit of exports has risen. The total foreign trade value of Chengdu reaches 73.4 Billion Yuan in the first quarter, with total value of 51.3 billion Yuan in export and 22.12 billion Yuan in import.

The total foreign trade value of Sichuan reaches 97.46 billion Yuan, with export of 71.37 billion Yuan and import of 26.09 billion Yuan.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-04/16/content_2190840.htm

Chengdu Attractive to International Businesses China Daily

"Chengdu expects to welcome more foreign companies as it forms closer connections to the outside world and increases business opportunities," said Mayor Tang Liangzhi.

As a transportation hub of the new Asia-Europe Continental Bridge, Chengdu has a solid logistics industry, favorable policies and promising market prospects, all of which make the city the most attractive place in Southwest China for international businesses, Tang said.

According to the local statistics bureau, foreign investment in the city reached \$10 billion last year.

In December, Intel Corp announced it will invest 1.6 billion \$ over the next 15 years to upgrade its semiconductor plant in Chengdu and introduce its latest advanced testing technology.

In the same month, Tesla Motors, a California-based electric vehicle design and manufacturing corporation, opened its second-largest sales center in Chengdu.

"Chengdu has an advantage that many cities in China don't have," said Charles Cheung, managing director and executive director of Dell China. Founded in 2013, Dell's operation center in Chengdu has an area of 30,000 sq.m. "Chengdu is a city with a long history and a variety of talents. With its growing advantages, from the humanities to the natural environment, it has become a new economic power in China's western cities. As a key western city, Chengdu has always been the focus of Dell and the world, and we are fully confident in its future " said Cheung. Chengdu also plans to speed up the development of its cloud computing applications and industry in the country's 12th Five-Year Plan period (2011-15).

The plan is to have the value of the cloud computing industry reach 300 bl RMB within several years, making Chengdu one of the world's largest manufacturing bases of cloud services and end products. In 2013, Siemens' first oversea digital enterprise opened in Chengdu.

Marc Wucherer, president of Industry Sector Siemens North East Asia, said the importance of Chengdu in western China, backed by top-grade governmental support, human resources, logistics, traffic and infrastructure, provide a sound environment for Siemens to be based in Chengdu. "Currently, the logistics channel in Chengdu covers sea, air, trucks and railway transportation."

Among that, Chengdu-Europe Express Rail that began operation in 2013 offers the most convenient and stable channel linking China and Europe with the shortest travel time.

The express rail is expected to open return service in the first half of this year," Tang said. Chengdu Shuangliu International Airport is the largest in China's central and western regions, with 80 international routes linking the city to locations including London, Amsterdam, Frankfurt, San Francisco and Melbourne. The Chinese government recently approved the construction of a new airport in Chengdu, which will make it the third city on the Chinese mainland to have a second airport, after Beijing and Shanghai.

The new airport is expected to go into use during China's 13th Five-Year Plan (2016-20), handling 40 million passengers a year by 2025 and 80 million to 90 million passengers a year after full completion.

"The city will continue to upgrade its logistics system, improve customs clearance efficiency and raise the standards of service, making it the regional logistics center of western China and a global logistics hub to Europe and Asia. Our ultimate goal is to build Chengdu into a cargo hub connecting the world," Tang said.

Tang said the national strategies to develop the Silk Road Economic Belt, the Yangtze River Economic Belt and Tianfu New Area offer Chengdu a historic opportunity to achieve industrial transformation and upgrading.

At the beginning of this year, Tang sent an invitation to entrepreneurs around the world, inviting them to share the city's opportunities and develop win-win cooperation. "We will provide entrepreneurs with greater development space, a better business environment and a more dynamic innovation atmosphere," he said.

Tang attaches vital importance to innovation and entrepreneurship as he believes that under China's "new normal" era of development, the economic growth pattern should change from being driven by production factors and investment to become innovation-driven, and innovation and entrepreneurship will be major driving forces to transform and upgrade the economic structure.

The city has the largest number of universities and colleges in western China, producing at least 150,000 graduates and 100,000 technicians every year. Most of those choose to stay in Chengdu.

By the end of last year, Chengdu had 1.5 million professional and technical personnel, more than 30,000 technological enterprises, and 84 innovation and entrepreneurship sites, covering 2.8 million square meters in total. The city officially launched the "Entrepreneurial Tianfu" program early in February. This aims to encourage university students, scientific and technological talent, and top overseas talent to start businesses, and venture capital and top entrepreneurs to invest in Chengdu, to boost the development of the innovation and intelligence industries.

According to the program plan, Chengdu will establish an entrepreneurship support system by 2020, with 200,000 scientific and technological entrepreneurs.

It aims to become an internationally renowned city of entrepreneurship and a "dream-realizing city" by 2025.

"Chengdu warmly welcomes scientific and technological innovation enterprises and talents," Tang said.

"At the same time, we have given our commitment to creating a better investment environment, building the city into a world-class supply chain ecosystem, as well as making the electronic information industry a key development direction."

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/media-reports-on-chengdu/chengdu-attractive-to-international-businesses-a1318.html#sthash.dPblL9c3.dpuf</u>

Million Yuan-Subsidies for Imported International Advanced Technology Chengdu Economic Daily

Chengdu Municipal Government introduced policies to accelerate economic transformation and industry upgrading, to promote steady economic development

Encouraging the transformation and upgrading of enterprises based on the existing policy, the Chengdu Municipal Government will give financial subsidies to enterprises for importing international advanced technology and equipment. According to existing policy, it will grant subsidy equals to 5% of the amount invested in main equipment, the whole sum of the subsidy will not be granted more than 1 million Yuan.

This Pushing forward the industry upgrading in 7 fields, including: to accelerate the development of service industry, to improve the quality of agricultural development, to promote the integration of traditional industries and the Internet development, to encourage bigger and stronger enterprises, to promote cooperation between firms, to support enterprises to exploit the international market.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-04/27/content_518300.htm

Southwest Hall of China copyright protection center opening Chengdu Economic Daily

According to the information office of Chengdu, the signing ceremony of Chengdu High-tech district and copyright protection center of China was held in Chengdu on April 15th, Southwest Hall of China copyright protection center will be set up in Chengdu in high-tech district.

Thus, Chengdu becomes the first affiliated business transaction center of China copyright protection center throughout the country except Beijing.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-04/16/content_516657.htm

Chengdu- Most Attractive City to Talents in China

Chengdu Daily (Original source: Guangming Daily)

Zhaopin.com recently issued the "2015 spring Chinese Employers Demand and Talents supply report". Chengdu is listed as the most attractive city for Talents in China, second to Chengdu is Xian, Shenyang is the third. Shenzheng ranks No. 4, Beijing ranks No.8, Shanghai and Guangzhou respectively ranks No. 12 and No.14.

According to experts' analysis, bigger living pressure, deteriorated environment and restricting government policies in consuming real estate and automobile has provoked more youth to leave "Beijing, shanghai, Guangzhou and shenzhen", and chose to live cities like Chengdu, Xian, Dalian, Suzhou, Nazhou, which have more potential.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-04/29/content_2195831.htm

Chengdu Reaps Bumper Harvest in Investment Campaign www.gochengdu.cn

The Investment Promotion Seminar & Signing Ceremony of Cooperation Projects of the 2015 Well-known Chinese and Foreign Enterprises' Visit to Sichuan were staged in Chengdu on April 24.

The signing ceremony concluded with the signing of agreements and contracts for 39 major projects, involving 111.05 billion RMB (approx. 17.91 billion US\$). During the two-day event, Sichuan obtained deals totaling RMB601.56 billion (approx.US\$97 billion), including the agreements and contracts on 842 large projects, each valued at over 30 million RMB (approx. 4.84 million US\$).

Chengdu topped cities in Sichuan with its signed deals on 110 projects involving a total investment of RMB97.94 billion (approx.US\$15.72 billion) during the event, according to statistics from Chengdu Municipal Investment Promotion Commission.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/business/chengdu-reaps-bumper-harvest-in-investment-</u> campaign-a1487.html#sthash.bEN14RHr.dpuf

The level of internationalization of Chengdu in 2014: 70.8%

Chengdu Daily

The "2014 report of Chengdu's internationalization level" was recently released. According to statistic and analysis, the internationalization level of Chengdu has reached 70.8%, increased 2.4 points compared with 2013.

According to the calculation results, Economic strength, international influence, open cooperation environment and city quality degrees are higher than the previous year, respectively, 78%, 63.8%, 68.2%, and 73.3%.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-04/20/content_2192454.htm

Wanda Increases Investment in Chengdu

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On April 3, Dalian Wanda Group and Chengdu government signed a huge deal on a 5-year investment project worth 102 billion RMB (approx. 16.44 billion US\$) involving a series of service-oriented projects on culture, tourism, health-care, e-commerce and so on.

• Cultural Tourism Project

The 55 billion RMB (approx. 8.9 billion US\$) project will be the first mega-scale project on cultural tourism in Sichuan Province, which is scheduled to be put into operation in Dujiangyan City in northwestern Chengdu by the end of 2018.

• International Medical Center

The Wanda Group plans to invest RMB10 billion (approx. US\$1.62 billion) in Tianfu New Area to build a world-class medical center cooperating with the world's most famous medical institutions.

• E-commerce Technology Service Center

To meet the needs of the developing E-commerce, the Wanda Group will invest 3 billion RMB (approx. 485 million US\$) in Shuangliu County in southern Chengdu to build a large technology service center, which will provide technology service for the city's e-commerce companies, such as data storage and processing.

City Complexes

The Wanda Group will invest a total of 34 billion RMB (approx. 5.5 billion US\$) to launch several large city complexes in Chengdu's Qingyang District, Xindu District, Shuangliu County and Xinjin County.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/business/latest-events/wanda-increases-investment-in-chengdu-a1408.html#sthash.2OPn5iSq.dpuf</u>

Nestle's Chengdu Factory to be Put into Operation

www.gochengdu.cn

The Nestle-Yinlu food-producing base in Chengdu is scheduled to start operation in June.

The food-producing base of Nestle-Yinlu is scheduled to start operation in June, an official from Xinjin County told Gochengdu.cn. The base is located at Xinjin County's industrial park and covers an area of over 35 hectares. With a total investment of 1.68 billion RMB (271 million US\$), the project is one of the biggest investment projects at the industrial park.

"The annual output of the base is expected to reach 900 thousand tons when it goes into full operation," said a related official from the base, "Products from the base will cover the southwestern provinces of Sichuan, Guizhou, Yunnan and Chongqing Municipality, and the annual revenue of the base will reach 5 billion RMB (807.68 million US\$)."

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/whats-news/nestle-s-chengdu-factory-to-be-put-into-operation-a1379.html#sthash.wuglemkP.dpuf</u>

TSP Tops China's Service Outsourcing Parks

www.gochengdu.cn

The Chengdu Tianfu Software Park (TSP) holds the first place in the rankings of China's Top 10 Service Outsourcing Parks, surpassing its counterparts in Shanghai, Beijing and Xi'an, announced organizers of Devott Global IT & Sourcing Leadership Summit, which was held March 21-23 in Hefei City in Anhui Province in eastern China.

The summit was sponsored by Devott Research Institute and www.chnsourcing.com.cn, and the rankings are the result of a 4-month assessment based on online polls and the judging of a jury of

industrial experts. Indexes of the assessment included those on overall competitiveness, industrial competitiveness, environment, policy making, service efficiency and investment potential etc, covering a wide range of sub-level indicators such as the size, infrastructure, IPR and brand value.

Officials of TSP, which is located in Chengdu Hi-tech Industrial Development Zone (CDHT), said the strong support and a series of attractive policies by Chengdu government and the administration of CDHT had proved to be the powerful force for the remarkable development of the software park in recent years. 21 of the 100 leading outsourcing companies in the world have so far settled in Chengdu, mainly at TSP. Global outsourcing giants IBM, Accenture and Wipro have established RD centers in the city.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/whats-news/tsp-tops-china-s-service-outsourcing-parks-a1363.html#sthash.RIT21oYP.dpuf</u>

METTLER TOLEDO - (China) Chengdu Plant Put into Operation

Chengdu Economic Daily

The Chengdu plant of the world's biggest manufacturer and marketer of precision instruments METTLER TOLEDO was put into operation, the ceremony was held in the East District of Xindu Industrial District.

It is reported that METTLER TOLEDO – Chengdu project will improve its operation center and R & D laboratory in the future, and this plant will be built as the great western operational headquarters and center.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-03/18/content_512811.htm

2000 Small and Medium-sized Enterprises in Western China to Discuss Development and Transformation in Chengdu

Chengdu Economic Daily

According to Chengdu Small and medium-sized enterprise association, "2015 Development Forum of small and medium-sized enterprises in Western China" was held this April in Chengdu. 2000 enterprises representatives from Sichuan, Yunnan, Guizhou, and Chongqing will gather in Chengdu to discuss their development and transformation road.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-03/18/content_512814.htm

3M Increased Investment in Chengdu, the Western China Technology Center Set Up in Chengdu

West China City News

After setting up its Western China headquarters in Chengdu, 3M increased its investment in Chengdu again. On 10th March, this world fortune 500 company set up its western China technology center in Chengdu; this is its fifth technology center in China.

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150311/275762.shtml

Statistical communique of the Third National Economic Census of Chengdu Chengdu Daily

Chengdu conducted the third national economic census.

The economic census covers all legal entities, establishments and self-employed units in the secondary and tertiary industries within the territory of Chengdu. The reference time for the census is December 31, 2013, and the data collected cover the whole year of 2013. Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-03/06/content_2176213.htm

The Foundation Stone Laying Ceremony of Chengdu Chiwan International Oil and Gas Project Held

Sichuan daily

The foundation stone laying ceremony of Chengdu Chiwan international oil and gas project was held in the east district of Chengdu Xindu industrial District. The national international energy tycoons have accelerated their pace of occupying the market of developing the shale gas in Sichuan.

The project covers an area of about 1,000 acres, will invest 3.6 billion RMB to build R&D energy-equipment, application of new energy, high-tech business incubators, important industrial base for equipment manufacturing and technical services.

The first phase of the project plans to introduce a number of international energy giant tycoons, including: construction of Baker Hughes R&D and manufacturing base, the manufacturing and logistics base of US GE Group, manufacturing base of Schlumberger, manufacturing and logistics base of Halliburton Company and manufacturing and logistics base of Weatherford.

Investors Shenzhen Chiwan Petroleum Supply Base Co.,Ltd is dedicated to providing logistics services for petroleum and natural gas exploration, exploitation and production operators in South China Sea

LINK: http://epaper.scdaily.cn/shtml/scrb/20150302/93082.shtml

SCU, Chengdu Team up for Science Park Initiative China Daily

Sichuan University will invest 400 million Yuan (64.4 million \$) to build a science park to attract scientists and researchers from world-famous institutions.

"They will conduct research and development, and turn the fruit of that work into products," said Xie Heping, president of Sichuan University.

The park's construction will be part of an initiative to turn Chengdu into a science city, transferring projects and selling the discoveries to different parts of the world, he said.

Xie, a member of the Chinese Academy of Engineering, was named Man of the Year of 2014 in science by China Science News, sciencenet.cn, Medical Science and Science News as his research group had proposed directly harnessing chemical energy produced by mineralizing carbon dioxide into electricity.

The 119-year-old Sichuan University emphasizes the importance of scientific innovation. According to university official Zhang Yun, it has offered 1,380 theoretical courses on innovation and entrepreneurship for students.

"World-famous scholars and business executives present courses on what it takes to be an executive or how to establish and operate businesses," Zhang said.

The university, together with the Chengdu municipal government, has set up a 100 million Yuan fund to encourage innovation and entrepreneurship. It has participated in the 500 ml RMB Wanda Entrepreneur Fund.

In September 2013, Wanda Group, in Dalian, Liaoning province, launched a 10 year plan that, from 2013 to 2022, it will help 1,000 graduates to start businesses, putting at their service a 500 million Yuan fund and at least 500 Wanda Plaza shops.

Last year, it started a project giving 50 million Yuan to 100 new university graduates to give them the chance to start their own business in one of the 50 Wanda mall retail outlets throughout China.

The initial candidate selection took place in 2013 at Peking University, Tsinghua University, Fudan University, Tongji University, Zhejiang University, Wuhan University, Sichuan University, Xi'an Jiaotong University, Dalian University of Technology and Zhongshan University.

Sichuan University has planned the construction of office space for students to experiment with the starting businesses on its Wangjiang, Huaxi and Jiang'an campuses.

"For example, it built 1,800 sq.m of office space on the Huaxi campus, providing offices, a legal consultation room and a meeting room for seminars on how to start a business. Now 24 teams of student entrepreneurs are using the space," Zhang said.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/media-reports-on-chengdu/scu-chengdu-team-up-for-science-park-initiative-a1404.html#sthash.fHyyu8T0.dpuf</u>

Municipal Party Secretary met with the president of Tsinghua University More academic research of Tsinghua University to transfer in Chengdu Chengdu Daily

Party secretary Huang Xinchu met with President Qiu Yong of Tsinghua University in Beijing yesterday. On behalf of the Chengdu municipal Party committee and municipal government, Huang Xinchu thanked Tsinghua University for long time support for Chengdu Economic and social development.

Last August, Sichuan provincial government and Tsinghua University signed a strategic cooperation agreement, opened the all-round, multi fields, deep cooperation between two sides. They reached consensus on building the west Innovation Institute.

In March this year, the two sides signed "2015 memorandum of strategic cooperation between Sichuan - Tsinghua University ". It specifies that both sides will accelerate the cooperation in industry and academic research, education and exchange of cadres.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-04/17/content_2191571.htm

Amphibious Aircraft Launched Off Line in Chengdu -One of the Three Aircrafts Independently Developed in China

Chengdu Daily

According to the Chengdu Aircraft Industrial (Group) Co., Ltd, the first AG600 Nose of big Amphibious Aircraft Launched off Line in Chengdu.

It is the world's largest amphibious aircraft in the process of research and it is also the first large civil aircraft with special purpose development by China. The aircraft can execute multi tasks, including put out fire, search and rescue. At the first half of 2016 the aircraft will carry out the first flight test.

http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150318/276898.shtml

South-West China – Israel:

Party Secretary of Mianyang Met With Israeli Ambassador to China Matan Vilnai Mianyang daily/Mianyang Evening News

A delegation headed by Israeli Ambassador to China Matan Vilnai visited Mianyang, to discuss the cooperation in the exchanged in the field of innovation and technology.

Party Secretary Mr. Luo Qiang Met with Israeli Ambassador to China Matan Vilnai, two sides exchanged views on deepening the cooperation between each other.

Consul general of Israeli consulate in Chengdu Mr. Amir Lati attended the meeting.

Mianyang Is On the Right Track of Science and Technology Innovation Interview with Israeli Ambassador to China Matan Vilnai

Israeli Ambassador to China Mr. Matan Vilnai accepted the joint-interview by *Mianyang Daily*, *Mianyang Evening News* and Mianyang TV. He said that the visit to Mianyang is a productive one, during the visit in Mianyang, he gets to know more about this city. Mianyang is on the right track of Science and Technology Innovation. The ambassador expressed.

Link: http://e.myrb.net/shtml/myrb/20150402/index.shtml

Link: http://mywb.myrb.net/mywb/html/2015-04/02/node_53.htm

Yunnan Party Secretary Met with VIP Guest from Israel Yunnan daily

Party secretary Li Jiheng met with president and CEO of Israel Chemicals. Party secretary expressed the congratulation on the agreement signed between Israel Chemicals and Yuntianhua Group. He said the cooperation between them will push forward the industry transformation of Yunnan economic development.

Link: http://yndaily.yunnan.cn/html/2015-03/26/content_950069.htm?div=-1

Vast Complementary Space in Cooperation between Israel and Yunnan Yunnan Daily

The Israeli Consul General Mr. Amir Lati conducted his first official visit to Yunnan after the Israeli consulate set up in Chengdu in last Nov.

The consul general received the interview with Yunnan daily and talked about the cooperation between Israel and Yunnan in the fields of trade, innovation, culture and tourism.

During this official visit, Mr. Amir Lati has discussed with foreign affairs department of Yunnan and commerce department of Yunnan about the cooperative opportunities between each other and will organize seminar with agriculture department of Yunnan.

Link: http://yndaily.yunnan.cn/html/2015-03/25/content_949691.htm?div=-1

Interview with Mr. Amir Lati CG of Israeli Consulate in Chengdu

Sichuan enterprises could use Haifa as the springboard to invest and cooperate with Israel West China Metropolis Daily

The series report of "one belt one road" by West China Metropolis Daily has attracted more and more attention. CG of Israeli Consulate in Chengdu Mr Amir Lati visited West China Metropolis Daily and provided ten ways to help journalists who will visit Israel this month. Also he suggested that Sichuan enterprises could use the friend city Haifa as the springboard to establish the cooperation with Israel and develop their business in other cities.

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150320/277243.shtml

Start-up and entrepreneurship:

High-tech Zone Introduced 10 Entrepreneurship Policies Chengdu daily

A press conference held by high-tech zone issued the "leading project scheme of 'start-up Tianfu' of High-tech District". It aims to build Chengdu as the news international start-up center. Every year the high-tech district will invest RMB 1 billion to support startups and innovation industry.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-03/03/content_2174894.htm

Lei Jun and Li Ruxiong jointly invest in start-up café of Chengdu Chengdu Economic Daily

The first start-up café opened in Red flag Avenue of Pixian County. The café was invested by the CEO of Xiaomi and Liruxiong with the initial investment of 20million Yuan. Based on this café, Pixian County will build up a start-up street.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-04/14/content_516295.htm

Rhodes Scholar: Chengdu is the Best Choice for Startup www.gochengdu.cn

Twenty two Rhodes scholars from New Zealand, the UK, the US, South Africa and other countries and regions had a meeting with hundreds of listeners aspiring to start up their business at a lecture called Entrepreneurial Tianfu \cdot Jing Rong Hui – Interactive Communication at Thinkzone in Chengdu Hi-tech Industrial Development Zone.

The meeting lasted almost for 4 hours with lively talks and discussions on career designs, startup concepts and experiences.

"All the attending Rhodes scholars have startup experiences," said Samuel Galler, leader of the delegation, "We are glad to share our experiences with young people in Chengdu, and we can also learn from each other." Samuel Galler is a student in the University of Oxford, majoring East Asian studies and studying the Chinese language. He visited China several times and worked as a volunteer at schools in Wenchuan County in 2010.

Rhodes Trust announced on March 30 that scholarships will be available for students from the Chinese mainland. The Rhodes scholarship is an international postgraduate award for selected foreign students to study at the University of Oxford. Established by Cecil Rhodes in 1902, it was the first large-scale program of international scholarships.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/whats-news/rhodes-scholar-chengdu-is-the-best-choice-for-startup-a1368.html#sthash.x61ub8Um.dpuf</u>

Agriculture industry and Agritech Coverage:

West China Metropolis Daily published a series of 3 articles about Agritech by chief journalist Li Fengchun in the special edition page. Chief journalist Li Fengchun was invited to Agritech by the Israeli consulate of Chengdu. Here is a short review of each article.

Journalist Mesmerized by the Charm of Israeli Agriculture Technology- agricultural technology farms in southern land of Israel and a "Dujiangyan dam" hidden in the Soft Drip Irrigation Tube.

Introduction: Without a naturally fertile land, and only relying on science and technology, Israel has earned many good reputations: "let the desert blossom", "milk and honey land", "European's winter kitchen", "the country of innovation". On April 30th, together with correspondents from Russia, Germany, Columbia, Vietnam and other countries, journalist from West China Metropolis Daily visited the southern land of Israel. Once it was the barren land, now it is the legendary paradise of Israeli Agriculture. The world's top drip irrigation system manufacturers, milk suppliers, and most prominent Israeli farms are located here. Reporters were mesmerized by the charm of Israeli agricultural science and technology.

Content: 1) A micro "dujiangyan dam" hidden in the magic valve of drip irrigation tube (visit to NETAFIM). 2) Happiest cows on earth (visit to AFIMILK)

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150504/284045.shtml

Israel Research about Food Storage and communication with Sichuan Enterprises.

Interview with Minister of Agriculture Mr. Yair Shamir

West China Metropolis Daily

Introduction: The first President of Israel, Professor Chaim Weizmann said: "give us a bowl of water and seeds, and our nation will survive" Why did Weizmann have such confidence and

assertiveness? There may be just one answer: the highly developed, world leading agriculture of Israel. This is an "innovative country", the greenhouse; drip irrigation system; waste water management and modern cultivation technology are the most well-known technologies of Israeli agriculture, which attract all countries to learn from Israel, including China. From April 28th - 30th, the 19th international agricultural exhibition & conference will be held in Tel Aviv, Israel. As the only media from West of China, West China Metropolis Daisy was invited to attend the exhibition and under the organization of Israeli government, will visit many unique and innovative agricultural technology companies.

Content: 1) Explore new technology of food storage to prevent great loss due to transportation;2) Close Cooperative relationship between governments, research institutes and farmer organizations is to transfer the research into commercial use instead of producing more essays.

3) Yair Shamir has been the "guide" for Chinese enterprises since he visited China in 1987 and has always happily given advice to Chinese agriculture companies.

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150429/283402.shtml

Import Israeli Drip Irrigation System, Western Panzhihua Will Build Demonstration Farm. Interview with deputy director-general of Sichuan Agricultural Department West China Metropolis Daily

Introduction: In the 50s of last century, the primary founder and the first Prime Minister of Israel David Ben-Gurion said:" let the flowers blossom in the desert". It seems it's an unrealistic hope; however Israel used their talents and tube to realize the dream at last. The accurate drip irrigation technology has brought about the suitable living environment and crops, vegetable and fruits being planted on the land.

Under the invitation of Consulate General of Israel in Chengdu, Sichuan Agriculture Department organized a group of famous Sichuan agricultural enterprises to attend the exhibition. As one of important strategic projects of the "one belt one road" Sichuan agricultural industry, Sichuan will import the latest drip irrigation system and build a demonstration farm in western Panzhihua.

Content: 1) similar climate conditions between Western Panzhihua and Israel, Panzhihua will import drip irrigation system to build demonstration farm. 2) Organizing Sichuan enterprises to go out of Sichuan

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150430/283629.shtml

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National-Level Agricultural Science and Technology Park Set Up in Neijiang Sichuan daily

In mid-February, ministry of science and Technology officially issued a formal document to certify that: Neijiang agricultural science and Technology Park is a state-level agricultural science and technology park. This is the first state-level high technology brand Neijiang has ever got.

The park is comprised of four parks, including the Zizhong provincial-level agricultural science and Technology Park, central city provincial-level agricultural science and Technology Park, Dongxing District, the provincial-level agricultural science and Technology Park and Weiyuan County Food Industrial Park.

Link: http://epaper.scdaily.cn/shtml/scrb/20150302/93118.shtml

Academia:

Granted the accreditation of EQUIS, Southwest University of Finance and Economics also offers the course of "entrepreneurship"

Chengdu Economic Daily

According to Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, School of Business Administration (SBA) of Southwestern University of Finance and Economics (SWUFE) receives the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) accreditation for a three-year term from European Foundation for Management Development (EFMD). The accreditation confirms that SBA is the first business school in west China to be awarded this internationally recognized symbol of excellence.

In addition, the school will add a course of "entrepreneurship" in the business management major from this fall semester.

This is the first course of "entrepreneurship" provided at the High education Institute in Sichuan. The direction of training will be based on the local community and the teaching emphasis will be aimed at development of small and medium-size enterprises.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-0 3/19/content_512983.htm

Medical industry:

Asia's largest private medical group settled in Chengdu Chengdu Daily

The biggest private medical group of Asia - Parkway Health will settle in Chengdu East Station. According to the cooperation agreement, the Parkway health will invest more than 1.4 billion Yuan to build an international-level high-end comprehensive hospital with area of about 50,000 square meters in Chengdu East Railway Station area.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-04/15/content_2190454.htm

GE Released Its New Product in Chengdu Chengdu Daily

Innovation center of GE in Chengdu held a special new product launching ceremony yesterday morning. GE chose Chengdu to release its latest medical equipment IDR. This digital x-ray image system will help Grassroots medical institutions upload X-ray images to icloud diagnose platform and make use of the source to help with diagnosis.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-

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Vehicle Industry:

Communist Party Journal *China Comment* Published Report on Chengdu's Auto Industry Chengdu, a 100billion Automobile City

Chengdu Daily

In ten years, the annual output of cars is rising from 50,000 to 0.9million, the auto industry of Chengdu started from nothing to 100billion industry. It grows from "a city of auto brand" to "3rd city of private cars" to"4th city of Luxurious cars". The Longquanyi district of Chengdu has become the important base of China's automobile industry.

Southwest base of FAW Volkswagen Company is mainly responsible for manufacturing Jetta and Sagitar. One car goes off production-line every one minute.

Link:<u>http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-03/05/content_2175882.htm</u>

Prado 2.7L "made in Chengdu "launched offline

Chengdu Daily

Yesterday morning, Vehicle type Prado 2.7L "made in Chengdu" launched offline, the ceremony was held in in the Chengdu factory of Sichuan FAW Car Co. Ltd. Toyota y.

According to the municipal commission of economy and information technology, the auto output is expected to reach 1 million.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-03/31/content_2185237.htm

2.7L Prado to Roll off Production Line in Chengdu

www.gochengdu.cn

Sichuan Faw Toyota Motor Co., Ltd. (SFTM) announced it will be the first factory in China capable of manufacturing the model of 2.7-liter Prado by the end of this month.

This is the result of the expansion of SFTM, which began in October 2013 and involved an investment of RMB1 billion (US\$160 million). The factory, located in Chengdu Economic & Technological Development Zone in eastern Chengdu, will increase to its production the capacity to make 20,000 the 2.7-liter Prado. "The home-made Prado will have the high quality up to its global standard," said relevant officials of the factory.

SFTM is the Toyota's first joint venture project for vehicle production in China, and its production is backed up by Toyota's technology and standardized quality system.

- See more at: http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/business/2-7l-prado-to-roll-off-production-line-in-chengdu-a1338.html#sthash.YiKrB2MW.dpuf

Finance:

Deutsche Bank, Mizuho Bank Settle in Chengdu www.gochengdu.cn

Two global banking companies, the Germany-based Deutsche Bank and Japan-based Mizuho Bank, have settled in Jinjiang District of Chengdu.

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Latest report as of this April shows that the district hosts 118 Fortune Global 500 companies, according to the district government.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/business/deutsche-bank-mizuho-bank-settle-in-chengdu-a1439.html#sthash.mWrsO8IN.dpuf</u>

Transportation:

Sichuan Railway Investment Group Invest 50 billion Yuan in Renshou County -In the near future half an hour from the new airport in Renshou to Chengdu

West China Metropolis Daily

Sichuan Railway Investment Group signed a strategic cooperation agreement with Renshou County yesterday, with an investment of 50 billion Yuan in cooperation in the fields of traffic and industrial park construction.

Renshou County will invest near 10 billion yuan to build the expressway and railway from the new airport in Renshou, thus in the future it will only take half an hour from Chengdu to Renshou airport.

Link: http://www.wccdaily.com.cn/shtml/hxdsb/20150421/281722.shtml

Chengdu-Euro Fast Train to Launch Return Trains since 24th April Chengdu Economic Daily

Since 26th April 2013, the first Chengdu-Europe train set out from Chengdu to Poland. Two years later, there's another great announcement from Chengdu-Europe Fast Train. Since 24th April, the first return train from Poland to Chengdu will be launched.

The goods from Europe will come directly from Poland to Chengdu; it will take only 12 days for the whole travel.

Link: http://e.chengdu.cn/html/2015-04/20/content_517178.htm

CSR Builds Chengdu Rail Transit Industrial Park

www.gochengdu.cn

The groundbreaking ceremony for the establishment of CSR Chengdu Rail Transit Industrial Park was held on February 28 in Xindu District in northern Chengdu.

China South Locomotive & Rolling Stock Cooperation Limited (CSR), a leading rail transportation equipment manufacturer in China, plans to make the industrial park CSR's production and maintenance base in southwestern China of rail transportation equipment, key systems and components.

The industrial park, with a total investment of RMB5.07 bl (US\$817.71 ml), occupies an area of about 100 hectares. It's estimated that the park will generate annual revenues of RMB15 bl (US\$2.42 bl) in full operation.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/whats-news/csr-builds-chengdu-rail-transit-industrial-park-a1294.html#sthash.Q4KLjxK5.dpuf</u>

Chengdu – Osaka Direct Flight Launched Chengdu Daily

Airbus A320 plane carrying 180 passengers launched the first direct flight from Chengdu to Osaka, Japan.

This is the first direct international flight from Chengdu to Osaka, Japan; it is the second direct flight from Chengdu to Japan. The launch of the flight shortens temporal distance between the center city in western china and the second biggest city in japan to 4 hours.

Sichuan Launched the 2015 Important Logistics Project Application Fully Support Domestic and Foreign Airlines Open New International Direct Flights in Chengdu Chengdu Daily

According to the Sichuan provincial port and logistics office, the 2015 Important Logistics Project Application has begun, the deadline is 20th March.

The important project application should apply to the development principle and direction of Sichuan. The promotion plan for important Sichuan logistics project has clearly specified that Sichuan fully supports domestic and foreign airlines open new international direct flights in Chengdu.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-03/16/content_2180122.htm

Chengdu-Moscow Direct Flight to Open in May

www.gochengdu.cn

Sichuan Airlines Co., Ltd. said on March 12 that the direct air service between Chengdu and Moscow will be launched on May 2.

The direct flight is the first between Russia Federation and western China. After the direct flight is put into service, Chengdu will have 4 international air routes linking Europe.

An official from Sichuan Airlines said that the company has signed cooperation deals with China Youth Travel Service to operate chartered flights to Moscow, which provide individual travelers who have booked the tickets from airlines and ticket agents for non-stop flights between Chengdu and Moscow.

The Airbus A330 will fly the route, which will be three times a week, and one-way flying time is about 8 hours.

Chengdu has so far opened over 80 international air routes.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/whats-news/chengdu-moscow-direct-flight-to-open-in-may-a1329.html#sthash.MHhAr9Qn.dpuf</u>

Tourism:

Chengdu Hotel Industry seeing more foreign investment

The hotel industry is seeing more foreign investments. Five years ago, there were about six fivestar international hotels in Chengdu. Now, there are 10. Experts say connectivity is crucial to the further growth of the industry.

"In my opinion, it is important that the government is willing to open up the international market. For example, if you don't have more international direct flights coming into Chengdu, then it will hinder the progress of the city," noted Mr. Francis Kan, General Manager at Millennium Hotel. "You can open up many other hotels, but the pie is only that small. If you open up more international flights, the pie gets bigger, so everyone gets a better share," he added.

Earlier this year, authorities approved a new 11.2 billion US\$ airport for the city. When ready in 2025, Chengdu will become the third major Chinese city — after Beijing and Shanghai — to boast a second airport. By then, Chengdu will already be home to more Singapore investments.

Chengdu is one of three locations in Western China being considered for a third government-togovernment project between Singapore and China, the other two cities being Xi'an and Chongqing. While not much has been revealed publicly about the project, it is known that it will revolve around the theme of connectivity and modern services.

The project plan is expected to be completed by the end of 2015.

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Chicago Tourism Bureau Set Up office in Chengdu Chengdu Daily

The Chengdu office of Chicago Tourism Bureau was officially opened. This is the fourth office Chicago Bureau set up in China following Beijing, Shanghai, and Guangzhou. Bureau president and CEO of Chicago Tourism said, the establishment of Chengdu Office will provide tourists from Chengdu and southwestern China a richer and timely travel services. Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-04/03/content_2186936.htm

Exhibitions:

Big Data to Upgrade Food & Drinks Fair Service <u>www.gochengdu.cn</u>

Big Data service will be introduced for the first time at the country's largest trading event, said the organizing committee of the 92nd China Food and Drinks Fair (CFDF).

CFDF will be held March 26-28 at Chengdu Century City New International Convention & Exhibition Center and parties from about 40 countries and regions will take part in the event.

Organizers of the event say that Big Data service, with applications of digital systems, sensors, social media, and mobile devices and so on, will greatly help participants in information collecting and processing during the event.

The main venue of the 92nd CFDF will cover 125,000 square meters, and about 20 relative programs, including forums, conferences and carnivals will be held during the 3-day event.

Link: <u>http://www.gochengdu.cn/news/whats-news/big-data-service-to-upgrade-food-drinks-fair-a1295.html#sthash.ZHNga3Hc.dpuf</u>

To Expand Trade Cooperation- "One Belt One Road" Trade Exchange Platform Western China (Sichuan) import exhibition and International Investment Conference to be Held in Oct

Chengdu Daily

Aim to expand the trade cooperation, the Western China (Sichuan) import exhibition and International Investment Conference is going to be held from $23^{rd} - 27^{th}$ Oct in Chengdu.

Yesterday the first promotion seminar is held in Millennium hotel in Beijing.

According to introduction, the exhibition co-organized by Ministry of Commerce, CCPIT, Sichuan Province Government, Chinese Chamber of International Commerce, Organizing Committee of Western China International Fair, Chinese Federation of overseas Chinese entrepreneurs.

Link: http://www.cdrb.com.cn/html/2015-03/27/content_2184268.htm

Upcoming Exhibitions & Expos:

Chengdu International Trade Fair for Automotive Parts and Aftermarket Services Date: 21-23.5.15

Location: Chengdu Century City New International Convention & Exhibition Center

Introduction: The second edition of CAPAS is expected to attract 700 domestic and international exhibitors, who will showcase their full range of automotive OE and aftermarket products and services. More than 15,000 professional visitors from around the world are expected to source in three exhibition halls covering 35,000 sq. meters of exhibition space.

Chongqing International Investment and Global Sourcing Fair Date: 28-31.5.15

Location: Chongqing International Expo Center, Yulai Ave, Chongqing

Description: The 18th CCISF will focus on promoting investment opportunities in countries along "One Belt and One Road" and in Asia-pacific countries, intensively display new products and new technology in advanced manufacturing industry, modern service industry, household consumption and other fields as well as hold various high level international investment and trade activities, a series of thematic activities, matchmaking and regional cooperation, etc.. By

then, there will be thousands of well-known enterprises at home and abroad gathering in Chongqing to seek common cooperation and development.

2015 World 3D Printing Technology Industry Conference & World 3D Printing Expo Date: 3-6.6.15

Location: Shangri-la Hotel Chengdu Theme: To usher in the era of 3d printing 3.0

The 3rd China-South Asia Expo /2015 the 23rd China (Kunming) Import & Export Commodities Fair

Date: 12-16.6.15

Location: Kunming International Convention & Exhibition Center, Yunnan

Exhibits: electromechanical pavilion, biological resources pavilion, investment promotion pavilion, ASEAN pavilion, South Asia pavilion, machine tool, vehicles, electric appliance, hardware, power station equipment, industrial automation equipment, instrument & apparatus, building & engineering machinery, food processing & packaging apparatus, bicycle, wood-working apparatus, plastic processing apparatus, textile machine, agricultural & horticultural machinery, printing machinery, advertising equipment, hotel cleaning equipment, solar energy & environmental protection equipment, etc.

China Sichuan Imported Commodity Fair

Date: 19-22.6.15

Location: Chengdu Century City New International Convention & Exhibition Center

Introduction: SICF aims at implementing the policy of encouraging import and promoting the foreign trade balance development. It is a professional platform for cooperation and exchange in international imported commodity, technology, equipment, trade and investment in western China.

The 3rd Mianyang International Hi-tech Expo Date: 22-25.9.15

Location: Mianyang, Sichuan

Theme: Military and Civilian Integration, Technological Innovation, Opening-up and Cooperation

Chengdu International Business & General Aviation Expo

Date: 21-22.10.15

Location: Shuangliu International Airport, Chengdu

Introduction: CDBGAE is an Exhibition and Conference dedicated to General & Business aviation that provides wide range of products and services – starting from ground services and ending with HR support and solutions.

The 74th China International Medical Instrument Expo Date: 21-25.10.15

Venue: Chongqing International Expo Center Exhibits: CMEF-Imaging area; CMEF-IVD area; CMEF-Informatizationarea; CMEF-Medical equipment software technology area

2015 Western China (Sichuan) Import Expo & International Investment Fair Date: 23-27.10.15

Location: Century City New International Convention & Exhibition Center

Theme: Expand trade cooperation and promote harmonious development

Introduction: WCIIF is the only exhibition in western China focusing on import. It is integrated with the government strategy of "Opening up the West" and "improving the structure of foreign trade" by setting up the platform for international business to explore the import market in western China. It mainly focuses on electromechanical equipment, consumer goods, advanced equipment, automobile parts.

The 3rd China (Sichuan) Agricultural Expo & Chengdu International Urban Modern Agricultural Expo

Date: 19-23.11.15

Location: Century City New International Convention & Exhibition Center

Theme: Agricultural modernization advance through reform and innovation

Description: It focuses on International and domestic modern agricultural sciences and technologies, fresh agricultural products, deep-processing agricultural products, agricultural production materials, leisure agriculture and rural tourism, new rural construction and whole agricultural industry upper and lower chain technologies and products.