## Launch of NTU Alumni Association (Jilin)

Jilin province in China has at least 370 NTU alumni residing there, and the new NTU Alumni Association (Jilin) will serve as a valuable contact point for them. Launched on 4 July 2008 by NTU President Dr Su Guaning, the event was also witnessed by Mr Anthony Teo, Secretary to the University; Mr Soon Min Yam, Director, AAO; Assoc Prof Wu Wei, Associate Dean, College of Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences; and Associate Prof Tan Kok Hui, Executive Director(Chinese Programmes), Nanyang Business School.

Mr Huo Yan, an alumnus of MPA/2006, who helms the NTU Alumni Association (Jilin), paid tribute to NTU at the launch. He said: "We have gained so much from NTU. I recall the efforts of our professors, the friendships forged and the profound Nantah spirit. I urge all NTU alumni in Jilin to render their support of the new association and renew ties with their alma mater."

## 吉林校友将南大精神带回家

南洋理工大学吉林校友会于 2008 年 7 月 4 日在吉林省长春市隆重举行成立仪式,从此在吉林省的 370 多名校友有了一个共同的家。

南大校长徐冠林博士、南大秘书长张顺才先生、南大文学院副院长吴伟副教授、南大南洋商学院中国项目处主任陈国辉副教授及南大校友事务处孙敏炎主任等嘉宾出席了成立仪式。

南大吉林校友会会长是 2006 年公共管理硕士班(MPA)校友霍岩先生,他在讲话中发表了恳切的讲话:"我们在南大求学的日子里,云南园的美丽景色、老师们的谆谆教诲、可贵的同窗之情和师生情谊,以及令人肃然起敬的南大精神,给我们留下了永生的回忆。"他呼吁吉林校友们鼎力支持校友会,积极参加各种联谊活动,使校友与母校的纽带日日常青。