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## EXPERIENCE

**State Information Center, Beijing** *Sep.1998-Present*

Division Director

Participated in the drafting of China's 11th five-year plan of informatization, e-commerce, and e-government

Organized the editing of e-government annual report from 2002 to 2006

Responsible for more than five research projects on informatization strategy

Took part in the design of several e-gov projects

**National Planning Commission, Beijing** *June.1997-Sep.1998*

Division Staff

Participated in the drafting of China's Pricing Law

## EDUCATION

**Peking University, Beijing** *Sep.2005-2009*

Candidate for PhD in School of Government. Major: Government Administration

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge MA** *Sep.2001-June.2002*

Visiting Scholar in DUSP. Major: Planning Methodology

**Renmin University of China, Beijing,** *Sep.2000-June 2004*

Master of Arts in Economics (Finance). Major: Electronic Financial Monitoring

May 2004.

**Renmin University of China, Beijing** *Sep.1993-June 1997*

Bachelor of Arts in Economics. Major: Economics

May 1997.

## PUBLICATION

*Yu Shiyang, China E-Government Development Report, Social Science Study Press, 2006.*

## INTERESTS

*Tennis and Hiking*

The State Information Center (SIC) was founded in 1986 by the State Council of P.R. China. It is under the management of National Development & Reform Commission (NDRC) now. SIC has over 1600 branches and more than 13000 staffs from central to local government all over the country.

There are three main tasks of SIC. The first one is ICT application service for government organizations. The headquarters in Beijing participated in a series of e-government projects for ministries and commissions in past twenty years. The second task is to develop government information. There are more than fifty kinds of databases, such as GIS, economic database, and policy database. The third task is decision-making consulting for NDRC and the State Council on ICT application strategy and economic forecast.

The Institute of Informatization is a policy-support organization. Research on e-government is one of the most important tasks. In past four years, we took part in a series of e-government research projects and e-government system design. Recently, we focus our research on e-governance and e-government project management.

The Chinese government decided to develop e-gov since a very important policy was introduced in the mid of 2002. I began to focus my research on e-government right after I finished my one-year visiting scholar experience at MIT in 2002. I was appointed to be the vice director of e-gov research division later that year. Two years, the e-gov research division was combined into strategy research division, and I was promoted to be the director of this new division. In addition, I am a part-time PhD student in the School of Government of Peking University in Beijing. My dissertation will focus on the impact of IT for governance.

In past two years, I took part in the drafting of the 11th five-year plan of informatization for China (2006-2010), and the 11th five-year plan of e-government with officials from NDRC, Ministry of Information Technology, and the State Council. These two plans will be announced in next two or three months by the State Council. Many officials and specialists began to notice that we should know more about what were happening outside of China during the drafting of these documents. As SIC has the responsibility to introduce knowledge on ICT application and e-government to decision makers, we would like to set up a platform to cooperate with those who have great experience in e-government, so as to keep pace with the developed countries.

We plan to set up as least three projects to push forward our cooperation with the three famous centers on e-government in America. The first one is to translate books and reports on e-gov into Chinese and let them published in China. The second one is to set up research project mainly on e-governance and e-gov performance management. And the third one is that we want to hold a international forum in Beijing in April, 2007.