

Prof. Zeyi Cao



Curriculum Vitae

Am 13. März 1933 geboren in Chengdu, Sichuan,
People's Republic of China
Verheiratet, 2 Kinder

Ausbildung/Weiterbildung

1964 – 1968	Master Degree Department of Ob. & Gyn. Beijing Medical University
1968 – 1979	Attending physician. Acting head, Dept. of Ob. & Gyn, West China University (WCUMS), Cheng Du
1970 – 1972	Head. Medical team of Tumor screening and treatment, Yin Tin county
1979 – 1982	Attending physician. Women's Hospital of Basel University, Basel
Jan. 18, 1982	Swiss Dr. med. degree, Basel University, Switzerland

Feb. – Okt. 1982	Visiting Scholar, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, Department of Gynecology, New York, U.S.A., University of Texas Cancer System, MD Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, Department of Gynecology, Houston, Texas, U.S.A., King George V Memorial Hospital, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital. Department of Ob. & Gyn, Sydney, Australia, Jackson Memorial Hospital, University of Miami, Department of Ob. & Gyn, Division Gynecologic Oncology. Miami, Florida, U.S.A.
Dez. 1982 – März 1984	Prof. of Ob. & Gyn, Head of Ob. & Gyn. Department, WCUMS
Apr. 1984 – Dez. 1988	President of West China University of Medical Sciences
Dez. 1988 – Okt. 1990	Vice Minister of Health People's Republic of China
Juni 1991 – März 1994	Vice President & Secretary General Chinese Medical Association (CMA)
März 1994 – April 1999	Executive Vice President, CMA
April 1999 – April 2005	Vice President, CMA
Mai 1991 – Nov. 2004	President of Chinese Society of Ob. & Gyn.
Mai 1991 – Sept. 2000	Chief Editor of Chinese Journal of Ob. & Gyn.

Derzeitige Stellung

seit August 2003 Vice Dean of School of Medicine,
Tsinghua University

seit August 2003 Director of Ob. & Gynecol. Ce

seit August 2004 President of Chinese Society of Ob.
& Gyn.

President of China International Exchange & Promotive
Association for Medical & Health care

Senior Editor, International Journal of Gynecological
Cancer

Chief Editor, International Journal of Gynecological
Cancer (Chinese edition)

Chief Editor, International Journal of Obstetric and
Gynecology (Chinese edition)

Professor of West China University of Medical Sciences,
Peking University, Peking Union Medical College

Honorary Chairman of Ob. & Gyn Department of Beijing
Medical University, First Hospital

Honorary Visiting Professor of Hong Kong Chinese
University and Hong Kong University

Adjacent Professor of M.D. Anderson Tumor Hospital &
Institute

Visiting Professor of Harvard Medical School

Mitglied in Wissenschaftlichen Gesellschaften

Chinese Medical Association 1957

Chinese Society of Obstetrics and Gynecology 1957

Swiss Society of Ob. & Gyn. 1982

Chinese Association of Science & Technology 1984

World Society of Pelvic Surgeons, Toronto, Canada 1989

International Gynecological Cancer Society 1989

International Federation of Obstetrics and Gynecology
1999

Chinese Society of Gynecologic Oncology 2004

Auszeichnungen

Second prize. Chengdu Society of Science and
Technology for excellent paper: Endometrial Cancer
for young women. September 1992

Third prize. Health Ministry Science Technology for
books: Hormonal receptors and their clinical application.
October 1996

Third prize. Health Ministry Science Technology.
Study of retroperitoneal lymphatic chemotherapy. 1999

Second prize. Beijing Science and Technology for book:
Gynecologic Oncology 2000

Second prize. National excellent Science and Technology
for book: Chinese Obstetrics and Gynecology. 2001

Second prize. Sichuan Science and Technology.
Basic research and clinical approach for cervical cancer.
2004

Questions

1. Where do you want to live?
In Switzerland
2. Which mistakes can you excuse?
If I made a wrong diagnosis and treatment for a patient
3. Which qualities of a person do you estimate the highest?
Industry, hard working and honesty
4. Your favourite occupation?
To be a Medical Doctor
5. Your greatest vice?
Easy to believe a person
6. Your strength?
Persistence
7. Who or what would you have liked to be?
A good doctor
8. What quality of your friends do you estimate the highest?
Help each other by heart, faithfulness and honesty
9. Who was your most important teacher and why?
Prof Otto Käser because he was one of the best gynecologist in the world and he was very serious teaching me and so kind, concerned about me in all aspects
10. Which part of your work brings you most satisfaction?
Clinical and laboratory work
11. What can you laugh about?
Somebody just talking but can do nothing
12. What was the greatest progress so far in gynecology?
Identification of HPV as the etiology of cervical cancer
13. Which event has influenced your work the most?
My two years in Basel at the women hospital with Prof. O. Käser
14. What was the greatest error in the field of Ob/Gyn?
That abortion and cesarean section operation have become so common and easy to do
15. Which important problem in obstetrics and gynecology do you think should be solved in the future?
Early detection of gynecologic cancers especially ovarian cancer
16. Which medical textbook is especially advisable?
O. Käser: 4. Auflage. Atlas der gynäkologischen Operationen
17. If you could, what would you change in the Chinese health care system?
I would like to change the health care system into General Practice and General Hospital 50 % to 50 %
18. Is there a decision in your medical life that you would make differently today?
I established the Chinese Society of Gynecologic Oncology separate from the Chinese Society of Obstetrics and Gynecology
19. Which goal or ambition could you not realize so far?
I would like to build a top level and highest international standard Obstetrics & Gynecology hospital in my hometown Chengdu, Sichuan, China
20. What advice would you give to a young colleague?
Love your professional work, study and work hard then you will be a great doctor of obstetrics and gynecology

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21. Which natural gift would you like to have?
The mother's smile to cure the cancer patient
 22. Whom or what do you admire the most?
A good surgeon and a violinist
 23. Your current state of mind?
Do my best for and develop further Obstetrics and Gynecology centers in the near future
 24. Your motto
Insist to change the impossible into the possible
 25. What keeps you going?
My goals and confidence
 26. Which of your achievement makes you especially proud?
I made big change of my West China University of Medical Science when I was president, I improved Chinese Medical Association a lot when I was vice president, I improved and lead to go to the international stage the Chinese Society of Obstetrics & Gynecology and Gynecologic Oncology when I was, the president of both societies. Lastly I trained and educated thousands young doctors now they are heads, directors in many big hospitals and Ob. & Gyn. departments all over China
 27. As a child you wanted to be like ...?
Engineer, medical doctor
 28. How can you best relax?
Listen to classical music and watch Walt Disney films
 29. What do you not like?
I don't like to eat cheese
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