50 years of friendship

A message from Shinshu University president Masaaki Takahashi and vice president Hirou Yamane highlights the significance of the 50th anniversary of the normalization of Japan-China diplomatic relations.

In 1971, the government of Japan and China signed the Joint Declaration on the normalization of diplomatic relations. This event marked a historic milestone in the development of Sino-Japanese relations. Following this declaration, Japan and China have developed a close relationship in the fields of culture, politics, and economics. The establishment of this relationship has led to a positive impact on the stability and prosperity of the region.

In his message, Takahashi expresses his appreciation for the educational activities prompted by the visit of the late Chinese prime minister Zhou Enlai to Japan in 1972. This visit helped to establish a foundation for deeper understanding and cooperation between the two nations.

Furthermore, Takahashi mentions the importance of fostering a new generation of experts in the Sino-Japanese field. This is essential for ensuring the continuation of the historical bond and for the further development of Sino-Japanese relations.

In conclusion, the message underscores the significance of the 50th anniversary of the normalization of Japan-China diplomatic relations and highlights the importance of keeping this historical bond alive for future generations.

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