### Research on Cultivating High Quality Development of Learning City Construction with the Great Founding Spirit of the Party

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#### **ABSTRACT**

With the aim of building a new paradigm that nurtures the high-quality development of learning cities with the great founding spirit of the Party, addressing the challenges of high-quality development in the learning city construction, this paper analyzes the value implications, and proposes practical paths and prospects of cultivating high-quality development in the construction of a learning city with the great founding spirit of the Party starting from the practical background and current situation.

**Keywords:** The great founding spirit of the Party, Construction of a learning city, High quality development.

## 1. INTRODUCTION: PRACTICAL BACKGROUND

General Secretary Xi Jinping made a brilliant summary of the great founding spirit of the Party for the first time at the congress celebrating the 100th anniversary of the founding of the CPC, including the principles of "upholding truth and ideals, staying true to the Party's original aspiration and founding mission, fighting bravely without fear of sacrifice, and remaining loyal to the Party and faithful to the people". Faced with unprecedented changes in a century, the great founding spirit of the Party proposed by General Secretary Xi Jinping has become a magnificent force leading over 1.4 billion Chinese people to forge ahead in the new journey of the rejuvenation of the Chinese nation. The report of the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China regards "promoting the great founding spirit of the Party" as one of the themes of this conference, which further highlights the historical value of "promoting the great founding spirit of the Party". The report of the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China also clearly proposes to "build a learning society and a learning country with lifelong learning for all". The high-quality development of learning city construction is an important cornerstone for moving towards a learning country. The construction of learning city is nurtured by the great founding spirit of the Party, which has strong spiritual appeal, theoretical education, and practical guidance. This study is proposed based on the above background.

#### 2. STATUS QUO ANALYSIS

At present, research on the high-quality development of learning city construction both domestically and internationally mainly focuses on the following aspects:

#### 2.1 Policy Research on High-quality Development of Learning City Construction

Since the 18th National Congress of the Communist Party of China, General Secretary Xi Jinping has devoted a lot of attention to building a learning-oriented political party and a learning country. "China's Education Modernization 2035" proposes to build a learning country as the overall goal of achieving education modernization, and the construction of a learning country needs to be based on the establishment of learning cities. Learning cities are an important cornerstone for moving towards a learning country and an important

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component of the global action to implement the "2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development". In 2020, the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China and the State Council continued to emphasize the task of "improving the lifelong learning system and building a learning society" in the "Proposal of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China on Formulating the 14th Five Year Plan for National Economic and Social Development and the Long Range Objectives for 2035", and the learning city construction entered the overall development layout of the national strategy.

#### 2.2 Practical Research on High-quality Development of Learning City Construction

The first is about the great founding spirit of the Party leading practical progress. After General Secretary Xi Jinping first brilliantly summarized the scientific connotation of the important proposition "the great founding spirit of the Party" at the congress celebrating the 100th anniversary of the founding of the CPC, "the great founding spirit of the Party" has become a frequent word in the important literature of the party. It is a new proposition of the new era to cultivate high-quality development of learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party and promote the vivid practice of high-quality development of learning city construction in the new era. The great founding spirit of the Party is a theoretical light that illuminates the path of national rejuvenation and development. With its broad and profound connotations, it has become a precious ideological weapon and spiritual wealth of the Chinese nation in the new era, and inspired the internal driving force for the high-quality development of learning city construction with the profound humanistic connotation of the great founding spirit of the Party.

The second is about the progress of practical learning city construction. In 1968, American scholar Robert Hutchins (2017) proposed the concept of "learning city (society)". Subsequently, the learning city construction (society) became an important concept and action strategy for global urban development. Nearly a hundred cities in China have also initiated the learning city construction. Guo Huinan (2020) analyzed the goal shift and new attention of international learning city construction based on the text analysis of the four times learning city declaration; Hua Fangying (2019) proposed to promote innovation in the social

governance system and strengthen the learning city construction; Ding Hongling (2021) believed that the entity of lifelong education is an active source of stimulating the vitality of a learning city society.

In summary, scholars have different opinions and opinions on "the great founding spirit of the Party" and "learning city construction". However, when searching on China National Knowledge Infrastructure with the keywords "the great founding spirit of the Party" and "learning city construction", it was found that there is little research, indicating that there is still considerable room for deepening this study. In view of this, this study will take the great spirit of building the Party as the direction to cultivate the high-quality development of learning city construction, draw on the strengths of others, comprehensively grasp macro and micro levels, and conduct in-depth exploration of high-quality development education in learning city construction.

#### 3. ACTUAL CHALLENGES

The learning city construction is a complex system engineering that faces many practical challenges. The actual challenges of cultivating high-quality development in the learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party are as follows:

#### 3.1 Insufficient Capital Investment

The learning city construction requires a large amount of capital investment, including infrastructure construction, talent cultivation, education and training, etc. Insufficient funding is one of the practical challenges faced by the learning city construction.

#### 3.2 Insufficient Talent Cultivation

The construction of a learning city requires a large number of high-quality talents, including talents in various fields such as education, scientific research, and management. At present, the low quality of talent cultivation is one of the practical challenges faced by the learning city construction.

## 3.3 Incomplete Education and Training System

The construction of a learning city requires a comprehensive education and training system, including schools at all levels, training institutions, learning platforms, etc. At present, the incomplete education and training system is one of the practical challenges facing the learning city construction.

## 3.4 Lack of Learning Atmosphere in Society

The learning city construction requires the participation of the whole society. Currently, the lack of a strong social learning atmosphere is one of the practical challenges faced by the learning city construction.

Overall, many problems facing the learning city construction nurtured by the great founding spirit of the Party urgently need to be solved, so this research needs to be continuously explored.

#### 4. VALUE IMPLICATIONS

The value implications of cultivating highquality development in the learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party mainly include the following aspects:

#### 4.1 Adhering to Ideals and Beliefs

The learning city construction is a long-term task that requires persistent efforts. People must adhere to the ideals and beliefs, firmly follow the path of socialism with Chinese characteristics, in order to continuously create new prospects for the learning city construction.

## 4.2 Fulfilling the Original Aspiration and Mission

The learning city construction is aimed at improving the overall quality and development capacity of the city, and achieving sustainable development. It is a must to adhere to the principle of serving the people in the city and continuously meet their aspirations for a better life, in order to continuously create new prospects for the learning city construction.

#### 4.3 Being Not Afraid of Sacrifice

The learning city construction is a daunting task that requires arduous efforts. People must be brave enough to sacrifice personal interests and contribute their efforts to the construction of a learning city, in order to continuously create new situations in the learning city construction.

#### 4.4 Being Brave in Struggle

The learning city construction faces various difficulties and challenges. People must have the courage to struggle and overcome difficulties in order to continuously create new prospects for the learning city construction.

#### 4.5 Being Loyal to the Party

The learning city construction is a cause led by the Party. There is a necessity to resolutely uphold the leadership of the Party and implement the Party's policies and guidelines in order to continuously create new prospects for the learning city construction.

#### 4.6 Being Faithful to the People

The learning city construction is for the people. People must adhere to the principle of putting the people at the center and continuously meet their aspirations for a better life, in order to continuously create new prospects for the learning city construction.

People should be guided by the great founding spirit of the Party, adhere to their ideals and beliefs, fulfill their original aspirations and missions, be not afraid of sacrifice, fight bravely, be loyal to the Party, not disappoint the people, and continuously create new prospects for learning city construction.

#### 5. COUNTERMEASURES

In order to solve the problems of high-quality development in the learning city construction, the author proposes the following countermeasures:

#### 5.1 Cultivating the Ideology of Learning City Construction with the Great Founding Spirit of the Party

It is necessary to spread the voice of the Party, tell the story of the spiritual pedigree of the CPC, publicize and explain the great founding spirit of the Party, promote the great founding spirit of the Party into the mind and heart, and deeply learn and understand the spirit. It is also necessary to establish various norms and standards, such as incentive mechanisms and evaluation mechanisms, to nurture the construction of a learning city with the great founding spirit of the Party, implement precise policies, explore evaluation methods tailored to local conditions that are in line with practical characteristics, and promote

implementation of the national strategy for the learning city construction. There is a necessity to enhance political stance, strengthen deployment, supervision and guidance, and organizational leadership, build a high-quality development carrier for the learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party, and establish a sound mechanism for research.

#### 5.2 Cultivating the Affinity to the People of Learning City Construction with the Great Founding Spirit of the Party

It is a must to adhere to the principle of putting the people at the center, keep in mind the purpose of serving the people, actively carry out popular activities to promote the great founding spirit of the Party, promote the in-depth development of learning city construction, and continuously enhance the sense of gain, happiness, and security of the people. By studying classic cases and statistical data, it is aimed to explore the advantages and shortcomings of high-quality development in the learning city construction, form a comparative study, and further analyze the guiding and action forces.

#### 5.3 Cultivating the Practicalness of Learning City Construction with the Great Founding Spirit of the Party

Guided by the spirit of the great founding of the Communist Party, there is a must to carry out the practical activities of "doing practical things for the construction of a learning city" in a normalized manner, integrate it into urban cultural construction, and present a vivid history through touching party history programs, moving party history films, and enjoyable party history projects, showcasing people's burning original aspiration and praising the magnificent history of Communist Party members over the past century. From the perspective of national strategy, it will be of great significance to hold themed practical activities such as "The Great Founding Spirit of Party and the High Quality Development Co-prosperity and Coexistence of Learning City Construction" to explore and open up a new innovative model of empowering learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party.

#### 5.4 Theory Innovation of Cultivating the Learning City Construction with the Great Founding Spirit of the Party

The great founding spirit of the Party empowers the high-quality development of learning cities, which should be based on the new development pattern. With the scientific, strategic, and comprehensive nature of the spirit, it is necessary to cultivate theoretical innovation in the high-quality development of learning city construction, innovate and develop the theory of learning city construction in the new era, and provide practical reference for promoting the transformation of the great founding spirit of the Party into the high-quality development of learning city construction.

## 5.5 Improving the Learning City Construction Efficiency with the Great Founding Spirit of the Party

The great founding spirit of the Party is the most vivid textbook. There will be a must to carry out a series of educational activities on the great founding spirit of the Party, integrating it into various education such as academic education, community education, elderly education, and vocational skills training, so that the great founding spirit of the Party can penetrate into every space of the learning city construction. It is also a must to let the education of the great founding spirit of the Party enter every individual, every family, and every community, to achieve the beautiful vision of constantly consolidating people's hearts, improving personality, developing human resources, cultivating talents, and benefiting the people, and to enhance the efficiency of learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party.

In summary, there is a necessity to focus on the National 14th Five-Year Plan for Construction, reshape the value of high-quality development in the construction of learning cities in the new era, form a strong spiritual driving force. Starting from improving political standing, there is also a necessity to continuously stimulate the great founding spirit of the Party and empower the vitality and vigor of high-quality development in the learning city construction, in order to promote the all-round development of the economy, politics, culture, ecology, and other aspects of the city.

#### 6. OUTLOOKS

The great founding spirit of the Party empowers the high-quality development of learning city construction, and has broad prospects for future development:

#### 6.1 Implementing the Latest Deployment of the 20th National Congress of the Communist Party of China

It is required to implement the relevant requirements of the central government's 14th Five-Year Plan and other documents, study and formulate innovative routes, methods, and models for integrating the great founding spirit of the Party with the high-quality development of learning cities, strictly improve the institutional system, strengthen guidance, content control, and legislative protection.

# 6.2 Promoting the High-quality Development of Learning City Construction into Institutional Construction

It is a must to ensure that all work is carried out in an orderly manner. There will be a must to explore the high-quality development model of cultivating learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party, and achieve the creative transformation and innovative development of the great founding spirit of the Party,

#### 6.3 Improving the Charm Index of Learning City Construction

It is necessary to continuously enhance the sense of gain, happiness, and security of citizens, so that human fireworks and humanistic spirit can be fully unleashed in the learning city construction. This will make the great founding spirit of the Party a new engine for promoting the development of a learning city, a highland of scientific and technological innovation, a new business card for the city, and a new model for governance. People must walk well on the road of rushing to the exam in the new era with a childlike sentiment, and provide decision-making references empowering the high-quality development of learning cities with the great founding spirit of the

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Party, practice the new development concept, appreciate the ideological power of the centenary Party, solve new problems in the learning city construction, shape the livable quality of the city with ecology, high quality, and humanization, integrate the great founding spirit of the Party into lifelong learning for all people, provide high-quality learning resources for all types of people, achieve organic links between the education chain, talent chain, industry chain, and innovation chain, and highlight the core characteristics of learning city construction that are "everyone, everywhere, always", "open, shared, inclusive, high-quality, fair, and balanced".

#### 7. CONCLUSION

This study is guided by the important speech of General Secretary Xi Jinping on July 1st. In accordance with the goals of learning city construction in the 14th Five-Year Plan, it will carry the expression of the cultural city of the times, combine it with the inheritance and innovation of the great founding spirit of the Party, integrate it with urban cultural construction and prosperous development, organically integrate intelligent learning with livable ecology, and focus on the specific application of the great founding spirit of the Party in practice, Realizing the high-quality development goal of cultivating a learning city with the great founding spirit of the Party

The first is to implement the important deployment of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of China on learning the spirit of the 20th National Congress, nurture the high-quality development of learning city construction with the great founding spirit of the Party, promote the construction of a learning society, and make "high-quality development of learning city construction" a "display" of the government's image.

The second is to use the great founding spirit of the Party to cultivate the theoretical research and practical exploration of high-quality development in the learning city construction. It is necessary to deeply cultivate the humanistic connotation of the great founding spirit of the Party, improve the level of party building, and based on the development trend of the new era, play the role of the great founding spirit of the Party as a "magic weapon". It is also necessary to use the great founding spirit of the Party to cultivate institutional innovation, theoretical innovation, and practical innovation of high-quality development in the learning city construction.

There is a must to give full play to the important political education and value orientation role of the great founding spirit of the Party, interpret the value implications and path choices, tell the story of high-quality development in learning city construction, and promote the resonance of the great founding spirit of the Party and the high-quality development of learning city construction on the road of progress.

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