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Professor Lu Zhi has worked on the natural history and conservation strategies of endangered species such as the giant panda, the snow leopard, the Przewalski's gazelle and the ecosystem these flag species represent in China. In recent years, her interests expanded to understanding the complex interaction between ecosystems and socioeconomic systems, in order to explore practical and equitable solutions for co-existence. She is involved in conservation policy making at regional and national levels and in promoting China's positive influence in the world.