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Paradise Can be Made: The Story of an Entrepreneur in China

Bio of Bajin Zhang

Zhang Bajin started work in the Xinzheng cigarette factory as a cigarette roller as his first job, as he moved ahead he entered college and then graduate school got a master's degree in Gas geology. Zhang then worked in the Hunan international trade company but later quit his job and started a personal business, and built the first SINO-foreign joint ventures advertising company "Golden Future", which became the biggest CD-Rom producing company in China. During the years, the company produced the electronic version of magazine HongQi(Red Flag), which is the official magazine of the China Communism Party, the largest magazine in the world (18 million one issue at highest) and assisted on translation and typesetting of the Chinese version of Encyclopedia, which is the biggest producing case of full-color books in China. In 1999~2000, the company was forced to be closed by government because of "illegal behavior related"; Zhang became nationally wanted, and all his personal property was frozen. He was put in jail for three months before released as innocent. Zhang received the first state criminal compensation from Hunan Province.

Currently, Zhang founded and runs the Beijing Fudaguanghua Investment Consulting Ltd. It is mainly engaged in merger、reorganization and assets disposition of China state-owned enterprises. Zhang has rich knowledge and operational experience on the reform and development of state-owned enterprises and the current circumstances of China.

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