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Summary: Five representatives from Capital Normal University in Beijing, China were UMM guests. The school is one of UMM's international exchange partners.

(May 30, 2007)-“Thank you for taking care of our students. [UMM] is a good place to study,” said Capital Normal University (CNU) President Zhang Xue through an interpreter. Xue was part of a visiting delegation to the University of Minnesota, Morris May 30. Capital Normal in Beijing, China is one of UMM’s international exchange partners.

Led by President Zhang Xue, the visitors also included He Yushan, CNU director of administration, Pan Liang, director of public relations, Liu Xianglin, director of the coordination office, and Liu Xiaotian, dean of the College of International Education. Jennifer Wu Dunn from the University of Minnesota's China Center also accompanied the group.

“The visit provided an opportunity for our Chinese colleagues to see our beautiful campus and a chance for us to update them on the experiences of their students here,” said UMM Chancellor Jacqueline Johnson. “It also provided an opportunity for us to review the exchange agreement we have with Capital Normal.”

Nineteen students from China studied at UMM this past academic year. Capital Normal University was founded in 1954 and in its more than 50 years of existence has educated over 70,000 teachers.

Photo: President Zhang Xue and Chancellor Jacquie Johnson

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