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Biography

Professor Xiulan Zhang obtained her PhD degree in social welfare from the University of California at Berkeley. She is the Founding Dean of the School of Social Development and Public Policy at Beijing Normal University.

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