

President and SECS Dean make successful trip to China

President Pescovitz, Dean Chamra and two Mechanical Engineering professors met with leaders from Chinese universities and several students while strengthening partnerships with OU.



President Pescovitz speaking during meetings at Beijing Information Science and Tec
Barber from Mechanical Engineering, SECS Dean Louay Chamra, Professor Lianxiang



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Oakland University President Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, Dean of OU's School of Engineering and Computer Science Louay Chamra, Mechanical Engineering Professor Gary Barber Mechanical Engineering Professor Lianxiang Yang recently completed a very successful business trip to China.

The OU delegation was able to strengthen ties with partner universities, the Beijing Information Science and Technology University (BISTU) and Changchun University of Technology (CCUT).



The groups discussed ways to enhance existing program partnerships and looked for ways to expand our relationships on future collaborations.

The university leaders met, and the OU team was able to meet with former and prospective students during the visit.

SECS Professor Lianxiang Yang said that about 20-30 students per year currently come to Oakland as a result of the partnership with CCUT. He said about 10-15 students per year come to Oakland from BISTU.

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