

## Vice President Sun Jianguang Visited Japan and Germany on International Evaluation



From May 13 to 22, 2008, NSFC Vice President Prof. Sun Jianguang led a 6-member delegation on international evaluation to Japanese Society for Science Promotion (JSPS) and German Research Foundation (DFG). They conducted wide range and in-depth discussions with leaders and relevant staff in the two organizations on the background, organization, preparation, process and impact of international evaluation on science funding agencies. The delegation was warmly received by JSPS Executive Director Prof. Izawa, DFG Vice President Prof. Ferdi Schueth and Secretary General Dr. Dorothee Dzwonnek. During their visit in Japan, they also paid a visit to Tokyo University of Technology and held talks with its Vice President and visited the super computer center of the university. Other members of the delegation came from the Bureaus of Planning, Policy, Finance and International Cooperation.