

## **CNMC and Kunming University of Science & Technology Signing an Enterprise-University Full Cooperation Framework Agreement**



(A scene of the signing ceremony: signing representatives on the front row: Mr. Xinguo Yang (left) and Mr. Yulin He (right); middle at the back row: Mr. Jialin Sun)

On 18<sup>th</sup> November, 2012, CNMC and Kunming University of Science and Technology (KUST) signed an enterprise-university full cooperation framework agreement in Zambia.

KUST is a multidisciplinary university focusing on engineering and combining engineering with science. It

boasts a powerful teaching and scientific research faculty, especially in fields such as nonferrous metal metallurgical resources utilization and new materials. Now, it has six national engineering centers and laboratories, six post doctoral scientific research mobile stations, and 1,176 staff members holding various senior professional and technical posts. According to the full cooperation framework agreement, the two sides will follow the guidelines of “making independent innovation, achieving key breakthrough, supporting development, and leading future trend,” and the principle of sticking to the in-depth cooperation, mutual supplement, resources sharing, reciprocal operation, and joint development. By jointly establishing the “African Copper Resources Development and Utilization Engineering Technical Research Center,” they will work together to tackle scientific and technological problems and build a team of innovative talents. The cooperation will give full play to the university’s scientific talent resources and the enterprise’s innovation resources, achieving cooperative “going-out” and a win-win result.

Yulin He, secretary of CPC Committee for KUST, and Jialin Sun, deputy CEO of the holding company CNMC,

attended the signing ceremony and gave a speech separately. Xinguo Yang, executive director and deputy CEO of CNMC, and Yulin He, secretary of CPC Committee for KUST, signed the agreement on behalf of the two sides. Also present at the signing ceremony were Kaishou Xie, executive director in Zambia and deputy CEO of CNMC, representatives of relevant enterprises, and some other managerial staff members of KUST and CNMC.