



**Austrian-Chinese Center for Biomarker Discovery**  
**A joint center of Peking University, University of Innsbruck, and Medical University of Innsbruck**

Eurasia-Pacific Uninet medicine and health projects

During a working conference in April 2005, Eurasia-Pacific Uninet and Peking University Health Science Center (PUHSC) agreed on the establishment of a joint-center for Biomarker Discovery at PUHSC. (Biomarkers are measurable substances of organisms - e.g. proteins, enzymes, hormones- which indicate illnesses in the hemogram.)

In June 2005, Prof. Bonn, Head of the Institute of Analytical Chemistry and Radiochemistry, University of Innsbruck, Prof. Ke Yang, Vice President of PUHSC and Prof. Winklehner agreed on a collaboration that includes the following issues:

- Teaching Programs
- Scientific Projects
- Scholarships and Guest Professorships

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