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Zeng-Yu Wang received his Ph.D (1990) from Beijing Agricultural University. He completed a five-year postdoctoral appointment at Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich, Switzerland, in 1995, and then moved to Australia and served as a research scientist for three years at Agriculture Victoria, Melbourne. Zeng-Yu joined the Noble Foundation in March 1998

and rose through the ranks from Assistant Professor to Full Professor. He was promoted to Senior Vice President and Director of the Forage Improvement Division of the Noble Foundation in 2014.

His lab focuses on translational research for the improvement of forage grasses and legumes. The research areas include development of genetic transformation and genome editing methods, functional genomics, manipulation of plant growth and development, and improvement of abiotic stress tolerance.

