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Professor Ching-Hua Lo is a distinguished professor at Department of Geosciences, National Taiwan University. He attended Princeton University for his postgraduate study and earned his Ph.D. in Geology and Geophysics in 1990. He joined the Department of Geosciences in 1990, served as department chair from 2002-2005, Dean of the College of Science from 2005-2011, and has been the Vice President of Academic Affairs of National Taiwan University since 2011. Professor Lo also serves as panel convener for the Earth Science Division at the National Science Council of Taiwan, guest editors and members of the editorial boards of several international journals and book series, and council members and presidents for numerous geosciences societies in Taiwan and in Asian Oceania region as well. Currently, he is the president of Chinese Geoscience Union in Taiwan. Professor Lo's research work has focused on isotope geochronology and its applications to tectonic processes in Asia. He has published more than 150 scientific papers, edited two special issues for the *Journal of Asian Earth Sciences*, one volume of Geodynamics Series for the American Geophysical Union and two volumes of the Advances in Geosciences for World Scientific. His contribution has been greatly recognized by his peers with many honors and awards, including the Best Paper Award from the Geological Society located in Taipei, the Outstanding Research Award and Distinguished Research Award from the National Science Council, the Academic Award and National Chair Professorship from the Ministry of Education, NTU Chair Professorships in Taiwan, and the Contribution award from the Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology, Vietnam. He has also been elected Fellow of Geological Society of America and Mineralogical Society of America.