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Professor Lu Aiping received his first degree in Chinese Medicine from the Jiangxi University of Traditional Chinese Medicine, and obtained his Master's and PhD degrees from the China Academy of Traditional Chinese Medicine (now called the China Academy of Chinese Medical Sciences). In 1987 he joined the China Academy of Chinese Medical Sciences and was the Academy's Director of Institute of Basic Theory. From 2002 to 2006, he served as General Director of the National Pharmaceutical Engineering Centre for Solid Preparations (one of four centres in China in the field of traditional Chinese medicine). He has been invited to serve as Visiting Scholar at a number of institutions including Lund University in Sweden, Ohio State University in the United States, Hong Kong Polytechnic University and Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.

An outstanding researcher, Professor Lu's research interests concentrate on the clinical evaluation with RCT (randomised controlled trial) focusing on RA (rheumatoid arthritis) with Chinese medicine diagnosis, the standardisation of Chinese medicine diagnosis, the association of Chinese medicine with the outcome of disease treatment, and the research and development of new drugs. He has carried out several major research projects funded by the National Natural Science Foundation of China and the Ministry of Science and Technology of the PRC. He has published more than 270 articles and obtained more than 40 patents. Professor Lu is regarded as a leading figure in the standardisation of Chinese medicine diagnosis. Not only has he earned an international reputation for his work, his distinguished achievements have been widely recognised through the numerous awards and prizes he has received over the years.

呂愛平教授在江西中醫學院取得中醫藥學士學位，並在中國中醫研究院（現稱中國中醫科學院）取得碩士和博士學位。呂教授於一九八七年起加入中國中醫科學院擔任研究工作，曾任該院基礎理論研究所所長。二零零二至二零零六年期間，他在國家四大中醫藥工程研究中心之一的中藥固體制劑國家工程研究中心擔任領導。呂教授曾獲邀擔任多間大學的訪問學人，包括瑞典隆德大學、美國俄亥俄州立大學、香港理工大學和香港科技大學。

呂教授一直致力研究中醫藥治療自身免疫性疾病如類風濕性關節炎、中醫診治標準化、中醫與疾病治療果效和新藥研發等，並主持多項重要的課題研究，如國家自然科學基金項目、國家十一五支撐計劃項目等等。他曾發表超過二百七十篇研究論文，並擁有四十多項專利權。呂教授被視為中醫藥診治標準化領域之重要代表之一，正因其工作及研究業績斐然，呂教授多年來獲獎無數，曾獲頒中國衛生部有突出貢獻中青年專家、中國中醫科學院十五期間突出貢獻科技人員、江西省科技進步獎等獎項，更在二零零九年和二零零零年分別獲得北京科技進步獎三等獎及中華中醫藥學會科技進步獎二等獎等等。