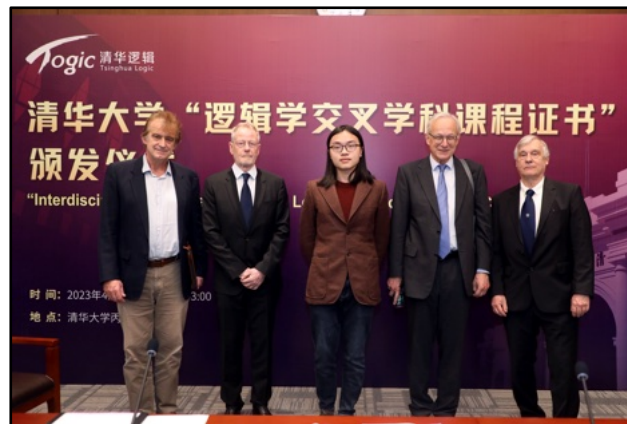


Luo Shengmen

Like all of us, I am deeply shocked by the sad news coming from Amsterdam in the last few weeks about our student Luo Shengmen.

I first met Shengmen in my Tsinghua logic class in 2023. Rereading the course paper he wrote back then on game semantics for natural language I am reminded of his bright intellect, his quick grasp of new ideas, and pleasant personality. We celebrated his achievements at the honor's certificate ceremony of our Logic Center, and I still have a characteristic picture of him with the JinYueLin professors, which is in a file that comes with this video from Stanford.



Shengmen combined these qualities with creative musical talents of a high order. His several contributions to the 10th anniversary celebration of our Logic Center made the event memorable and unique for all of us. The group picture that I am looking at right now shows him right in the middle, just as he deserved to be:



I am saddened by this great loss to our community, and still shocked by the news that was so hard to believe. But most of all, being a parent myself, my thoughts go out to Shengmen's family.