Research and Analysis on the Modernization of Governance in Local Universities under the Background of Powerful Nation of Education

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Abstract: At present, the construction of a powerful nation of education has entered a critical period, and the modernization of university governance is a key factor to boost the quality of education. This paper will conduct literature analysis on the current research on the modernization of university governance by domestic and foreign scholars, and provide a research perspective for the research on the modernization of local university governance.

Keywords: Powerful Nation of Education; Local Universities; Governance Modernization

1. Introduction

As an important part of education modernization, the modernization of university governance is the inherent demand of Chinese universities in the new era to build a high-quality education system, realize connotative development and enhance comprehensive competitiveness.

2. The Modernization of University Governance

First, the connotation definition of "the modernization of university governance". At present, the academic community mainly elaborates from the three aspects of governance concept, governance system and governance emphasizing the people-oriented governance concept, the governance pattern of common governance and the governance goal of good governance. On this basis, some scholars emphasize the governance system based on "system management" and the governance value orientation based on "efficiency management", emphasizing that the governance structure, system system, system execution and effect are the key factors affecting the level of governance modernization. Second, the dilemma and optimization path of "the modernization of university governance". Many studies are based on the definition of the above connotation, analyze the dilemma from the dimensions of governance facilities, platform, subject, concept mechanism, and put forward optimization path. But the path will also differ with the different research perspectives. For example, the research based on the information perspective of digital transformation, artificial intelligence empowerment and other factors emphasizes the importance of new infrastructure construction, big data integrated intelligent platform construction, information management personnel team and other factors; the research based on the leading perspective of party building emphasizes the leadership of the Party Committee; the research based on the subject perspective of local industry characteristics of universities explores the problems of regional governance resources and communication mechanism; Based on the perspective of the reform of the governance structure of colleges and universities, the research focuses on the principle of power distribution, power operation mechanism and system guarantee; based on the perspective of the construction of the rule of law, the research emphasizes the legal dimension of the rule of law; based on the perspective of cooperative governance, the research focuses on the emphasis on de-administration and shaping the mechanism of multi-subject cooperation governance.

3. Research on the Modernization of University Governance

Foreign scholars have also carried out many beneficial studies on the modernization of university governance. First, the concept of university governance, many studies are mainly based on the concepts of university autonomy and joint governance. Second, the governance model of universities, based on different research perspectives, the governance model is

different, but the general consensus is that these governance models are inseparable from the triangle coordination analysis framework of state power, academic authority and market power proposed by Burton Clark. Third, the research on the internal governance capacity of universities has experienced the structuralism stage of designing and reforming the governance structure of the board of directors, the teacher conference and the humanism stage of attaching importance to the leadership, the degree of trust, the cultural tradition and other non-structural factors that affect the governance behavior.

On the whole, although there are differences in the research on the modernization of university governance at domestic and abroad, scholars emphasize that the improvement of university governance capacity cannot be separated from the core elements of university governance, such as the concept, system and mechanism, and reach a basic consensus on the concept and goal level, emphasizing the humanistic concept and the goal of good governance, but there are still many discussions on the construction of the system and the upgrading path. At the same time, the current studies mostly focus on macro analysis, and there is less micro analysis of local universities, which to some extent covers the differences in the modernization of university governance in different regions; this leads to the separation of the unity of universality and particularity in the research results. Moreover, the current research lacks the analysis of the key subject factor of university governors and their leadership, which plays an important role in the governance of universities, especially in the mode of "human governance in universities".

4. Modernization of Governance in Local Universities

Local universities refer to those subordinate to provinces, autonomous regions and municipalities directly under the Central Government, most of which rely on local finance to provide funds, and are allocated by local administrative departments. They account for nearly 95% of China's universities, and are the main part of China's higher education system. With the goal of serving regional economic and social development, they focus on training high-quality talents for the local area, which has a strong regional character. The orientation of local universities, their characteristics in education, their development potential, and the

degree of serving the society will have a certain impact on the regional economy, and will also have an impact on the promotion of education power and the construction of a modern socialist power.

The research on the modernization of governance in local universities, while adhering to the universality, highlights the regional particularity, and to a certain extent, improves and enriches the theoretical system of higher education. It can provide policy suggestions for a large number of universities to improve the internal governance system, improve the internal governance capacity, and strive for "double first-class" universities. At the same time, it can also provide necessary theoretical support and practical guidance for local universities to improve the level of governance modernization.

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