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The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Chung Chi College



Peking University, Department of Philosophy



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China Academy of Translation

MISSION AND GOAL

The 21st century calls for an enhanced understanding of China. This topic has become one of the most significant for key opinion leaders and the academia. **Sinology**, as one of the divisions of Chinese Studies, **explores the basis of the traditional spirit of the Chinese nation**.

Established by Dr. Elizabeth WOO LI, the **Sinological Development Charitable Foundation (SDCF)** aims at promoting the studies of Chinese civilization across nations.

SDCF hopes to enhance the stature of Hong Kong as a major hub for the Greater China Region by focusing on creating a platform to exchange sinological ideas and as a cultural forum for sinologists around the globe. The support and development of more sinologists both as a profession and an area of scholarly interest is our main goal.

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> 2017 GREATER CHINA 2nd PROGRAM IN "CHINESE STUDIES"

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INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Sinological Development Charitable Foundation Limited is a non-profit organization registered in HK. Our main aim is to help scholars around the world to further understand Chinese culture, philosophy and history by offering relevant programs that will encourage them to integrate Chinese studies into their own teaching and research.

Our Summer Program in Chinese Studies aims at introducing Chinese studies to scholars and key opinion leaders from around the world who are in the disciplines other than Sinology. All instruction is conducted in English and a minimum standard is required for participation.

WAYS OF PARTICIPATION

SELF-PAID PARTICIPATION

- A daily tuition at Hong Kong, Taiwan or Beijing costs 100
 USD per location / per day
- Full participation costs 2 500 USD
- *Other expenses (room and board, travel etc.) are not included, and should be managed by participants themselves.

SPONSORED PARTICIPATION

SDCF will support a **limited number** of **sponsored** participants in the program. Sponsored participants are expected to integrate learning results into their teaching curriculum and research. Participants are expected to arrive in Hong Kong, at their own expense for the beginning of the program. All other **expenses** (tuition, room and board, travel etc.) **are covered by SDCF**.

A self-funding study tour may be available at the end of the program to further understand Buddhism in Tibet and China. For those interested, inquires can be made.

OUTCOME

Participants of all levels are expected to present their special projects working in groups at the end of the program. Selected papers will be submitted for 24th World Philosophical Congress in Beijing, in 2018.

HONG KONG

The Classics

The program will commence in Hong Kong, the city with the largest number of English speaking scholars in Chinese Studies. *The Book of Change* 《易經》, *The Four Books* 《四書》 and other important Pre-Qin modes of thought will be introduced.

The program will take place at Chung Chi College of The Chinese University of Hong Kong, a key partner to this program.

MACAU and TAIWAN Study Visits

Buddhism and Daoism will be introduced in Taiwan, where many authentic traditional customs, beliefs, and institutions have been preserved. Participants will be introduced to meditation and training methodologies of the Buddhist and Daoist discipline, to experience and practice in their respective sites.

Meanwhile, Macau is also an important part of Greater China, and its significance will be introduced.

BEIJING China Up-to Today and Into the Future

The last part of the program will be held at Peking University located in Beijing. Late imperial and contemporary intellectual history will be introduced. The responses to the challenges of Buddhism and various other religious influences as well as the process of meeting the West in contemporary China will be explored in her capital.

APPLICATION AND DETAILS

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2017 SUMMER PROGRAM SCHEDULE

July 17 – August 15	
July 17	Arrival
July 18	Opening Ceremony &
July 19	Introduction: An Overview of Chinese Civilization The Book of Change: The Foundation of Chinese Civilization
-	The Confucian Four Books: The Analects
July 20	Non-Orthodox Confucianism: The Xunzi
July 21	
July 22	The Confucian Four Books: The Mencius
July 23	The Confucian Four Books: <i>The Great Learning, The Doctrine of the Mean</i>
July 24	Visits
July 25	Other Classical Philosophical Schools: Mohism, Logicians
July 26	Other Classical Philosophical Schools: Legalism, Military School
July 27	Macau Day-Trip
July 28	Daoist Philosophy 1: The Daodejing of Laozi
July 29	Daoist Philosophy II: Zhuangzi
July 30	Confucianism in Post-Classical Period (Qin, Han and Tang Dynasties)
July 31	Neo-Confucianism I: The Cheng Brothers
Aug 1	Neo-Confucianism II: Zhu Xi
Aug 2	Neo-Confucianism III: Wang Yang-ming
Aug 3	Welcome Session for Taiwan Program
Aug 4	Sacred Buddhist Mountain "Dharma Drum" & Chinese Buddhism I: <i>Huayan</i>
Aug 5	Visiting "Museum of The World Religions"
Aug 6	Buddhist Rituals and Practice on Ling Jiou Mountain
Aug 7	Daoist Rituals and Practice
Aug 8	Fundamentals of Daoist Thought and Practice
Aug 9	Welcome Session for Beijing Program
Aug 10	Understanding Aspects of Chinese Classics as influence in Culture
Aug 11	Contemporary Confucianism I: Pre-1949 Development
Aug 12	Contemporary Confucianism II: Taiwan and Hong Kong
Aug 13	Contemporary Confucianism III: Recent Development in Mainland
Aug 14	Presentation of Participant's Projects
Aug 15	Closing Ceremony

For more program details,

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