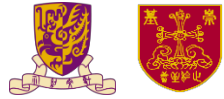


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MISSION AND GOAL

In the 21st century the enhanced understanding of China and its culture has become an increasingly significant pursuit for academics and key opinion leaders. Through its summer program, SDCF aims to further worldwide awareness and knowledge of Chinese culture and civilization and to enhance the role of Greater China as a major platform for the global promotion of Sinology.

The program is mainly intended (but not exclusively) as a stepping stone for scholars in other disciplines to start conducting research in Chinese Studies or, more broadly, integrate aspects of Chinese culture within their teaching and research. Those already within the field will also benefit greatly from the program, as it can provide them with the opportunity to deepen their knowledge of specific aspects of their broad field of study (e.g. Chinese thought and philosophy, Sino-foreign contacts in pre-modern times, Silk Road heritage, etc.)

To mark the completion of our first five years, SDCF will be publishing a compendium book of selected works by scholar-participants of our past Summer Programs as well as by our distinguished lecturers and advisers. The compendium is expected to be launched in July 2022, when we also plan to launch an online Winter Program. In addition, we are planning a pilot project in 2022/2023 for Hong Kong youth, who will be taught by some of our outstanding scholar-alumni.

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INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

Established in 2013 by Dr. Elizabeth Woo Li, **Sinological Development Charitable Foundation Limited (SDCF)** is a non-profit organization registered in Hong Kong. Our main aim is to help scholars around the world to further understand Chinese culture by offering relevant programs that will encourage them to integrate Chinese Studies into their own teaching and research.

Our **Greater China Summer Workshop Program in Chinese Studies** aims at introducing Chinese studies to international scholars and key opinion leaders (KOL) who are in other disciplines. **All instructions are conducted in English and a minimum standard is required for active participation.**

WAYS OF PARTICIPATION

SCHOLAR MEMBERSHIP

Scholar members are expected to attend all lectures and interactive group workshops. Active Participants are also expected to engage with the lectures, textbooks, pre-readings and an intensive scholarly group project. The application form can be found on our website at www.sinological.org or at www.tinyurl.com/scholarmembershipform

VIEWER MEMBERSHIP

With a Viewer Membership, you will be able to access the program reading materials with which you are strongly recommended to engage in, but not required to familiarize. Viewers can attend lectures and participate by submitting questions during the Q&A session at lectures (with the chat function). Viewers will not be able to attend the Group Workshop sessions. The Viewer Membership form can be found on our website or at www.tinyurl.com/viewermembershipform

VIEWER

Viewers do not have to sign up and can access each lecture via the link to the call which will be posted on SDCF's social media pages prior to each lecture. Viewers will not be able to engage in the group workshops and access the program reading materials but are able to participate in calls by submitting questions during the Q&A session at lectures (with the chat function).

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PRESS RELEASE

Sinological Development Charitable Foundation (SDCF) is pleased to announce that the application is open for participants to its 2022 Hybrid Online & Physical Attendee Summer Chinese Studies Program, which will be conducted from July 15th to August 13th, 2022 at no cost to scholars or viewers. In making the announcement, Dr Elizabeth Woo Li, founder and Chair of SDCF, says:

“Chinese studies have never been more vital to our understanding of the world and all East Asian cultures.”

“Our Programs in the first four years (2016-2019) had been operated as a “physical” event, with participants attending lectures and workshops in Hong Kong and other Greater China locations, as well as cultural and history-related activities in such locations as Dunhuang and Macau.

Given the outbreak of the Covid-19 pandemic, which had imposed health and travel constraints on everyone, the SDCF team conducted our 5th and 6th Summer Programs in an online “virtual” format. This year, we will attempt a hybrid online and offline version with physical participation subject to the quarantine requirements imposed by the relevant government(s) at the commencement of our 7th Summer Program.

Conditional offers to attend in person in Hong Kong will be granted to applicants with outstanding scholastic and KOL status. As in past years, we have lined up a number of world-renowned lecturers, each with their specialised focus on different aspects of Chinese philosophy and culture. Our lecturers will be supported by our program academic and management team, who will assist in making the lectures and other program content to be as exciting and enriching as possible.

Judging from the indications of interest that we have received so far, we look forward to working with participants from all corners of the world – the Americas, West and East Europe, Africa as well as from Asia.”

2022 SUMMER PROGRAM SCHEDULE

15th July – 13th August 2022

Fri, Jul 15	Welcome and Program/Academic Orientation
Jul 16	Introduction: An Overview of Chinese Civilization
Jul 17	Group Workshop
Jul 18	The Book of Change: Core Foundation of Chinese Civilization
Jul 19	Group Workshop
Jul 20	The Confucian Four Books: <i>The Analects</i>
Jul 21	Group Workshop
Fri, Jul 22	The Confucian Four Books: <i>Mencius</i>
Jul 23	Group Workshop
Jul 24	The Confucian Four Books: <i>The Great Learning, The Doctrine of the Mean</i>
Jul 25	Group Workshop
Jul 26	Non-Orthodox Confucianism: <i>Xunzi</i>
Jul 27	Group Workshop
Jul 28	Daoist Philosophy I: Laozi
Fri, Jul 29	Group Workshop
Jul 30	Daoist Philosophy II: Zhuangzi
Jul 31	Group Workshop
Aug 1	Other Classical Philosophical Schools I & II: <i>Mohism and Logicians</i>
Aug 2	Group Workshop
Aug 3	Other Classical Philosophical Schools III & IV: <i>Legalism and The Military School</i>
Aug 4	Group Workshop
Fri, Aug 5	Chinese Buddhism I
Aug 6	Group Workshop
Aug 7	Chinese Buddhism II
Aug 8	Group Workshop
Aug 9	Chinese Buddhism III
Aug 10	Group Workshop
Aug 11	Daoist Practice (Qi Gong)
Fri, Aug 12	Project Presentation & Assessment
Aug 13	Award Ceremony & Feedback Session Closing of Program

Note: Cultural activities for physical participation to be advised.