

# CHINESE LANGUAGE TEACHER DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

## 30 NOVEMBER 2019

### VENUE

Lecture Theatre A,  
University of Manchester,  
University Place,  
Oxford Road,  
Manchester, M13 9PL

### TIME

10.00 am – 4.00 pm  
(Registration from 9.30 am)

## WORKSHOP

### TEACHING CHINESE THROUGH CREATIVE AND INNOVATIVE APPROACHES

This free one day workshop is for native and non-native Chinese Teachers who are working in Primary, Secondary, University or adult learning environments.

During the course of the day our professional trainers will introduce and demonstrate a range of practical teaching activities and strategies and in addition each will facilitate an open forum for sharing ideas, exercises and approaches for teaching Chinese.

## REGISTRATION

Please register for this FREE event no later than 22<sup>nd</sup> November using the following link:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/79126323965>



## AIM

To demonstrate using Discover China how Mandarin can be taught effectively through creative and innovative approaches whilst being communicative and learner friendly.

## OBJECTIVES

- To identify challenges to teaching and learning Mandarin
- To suggest effective teaching techniques and strategies on how to be more communicative and learner-friendly
- Introduce Discover China and the methodology which underpins it
- To demonstrate how Discover China works in practice
- To illustrate how to adapt and mould material to fit the needs of the learner
- To create a platform for Mandarin teachers to share resources, ideas and experience

### AN OVERVIEW OF THE DAY'S WORKSHOP

9.30 am - 9.55 am	Registration	
10.00 am	Welcome	
10.15 am	<b>Session 1</b>	
	Textbook Adaptation <i>Practice &amp; discussion</i>	Ms. Lik Suen
11.45 am	Refreshments	
12.00 am	<b>Session 2</b>	
	Teaching Strategies: What does a Student Centred Approach really mean? <i>Practice &amp; discussion</i>	Dr. Zhu Zhu
13.30 pm	Lunch	
14.15 pm	<b>Session 3</b>	
	Strategies to make learning visual in Chinese language class <i>Practice &amp; Discussion</i>	Dr. Duo Luan
15.45 pm	Questions and Answers	
16.00 pm	Finish	

N.B.: More information about each session will follow shortly.

## INTRODUCING OUR TEACHERS!

### **Dr. Zhu Zhu, University of Leeds**

Dr Zhu Zhu is Chinese Language Programme Coordinator at the University of Leeds, overseeing Chinese language degree modules at School of Languages, Cultures and Societies. Before joining Leeds, Zhu worked in the University of Edinburgh in 2007-2017, directing Chinese language provision across the university. Zhu has extensive experience in training Chinese language teachers as well as in teaching language classes at ab initio to advanced levels. She is also an active researcher in the fields of Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language, Second Language Acquisition and Translation Studies.

朱珠博士，2007至2017年就职于爱丁堡大学现代语言学院，任东亚系中文教学主任。2017年7月加入利兹大学语言文化与社会学院，任中文教学主管。朱珠博士在教授各级别汉语课程和汉语教师培训方面经验丰富，并且在中文教学、第二语言习得、翻译研究等领域积极从事研究工作。

### **Dr. Duo Luan, University of Edinburgh**

Dr Duo Luan is a senior teaching fellow and Chinese language programme director in Asian Studies. She has taught Chinese language in UK Higher Education for more than 14 years and has strong sector recognition for her innovate approach to Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language (TCFL) pedagogy at conferences across the UK and Europe.

栾多博士（英国高等教育学院研究员）威尔士大学电影数字传媒研究博士，现任英国爱丁堡大学文学语言文化院，亚洲系中文教学主任；苏格兰孔子学院中文教学主任；研究生导师。剑桥大学考试委员会高级考官。

### **Ms. Lik Suen, S.O.A.S. University**

Ms. Lik Suen graduated from Beijing Language (and Culture) University, major in TCAFL. She is now the principal Lecturer in Chinese at SOAS, University of London, and the executive director of the London Confucius Institute, SOAS. She is an examiner of PSC Chinese pronunciation test (China). She has experience in teaching Chinese in China, Hong Kong, US and UK from beginner to Master's level. Her research interests are Chinese phonology and syntax, Chinese dialects, language testing and Chinese teaching and learning at schools.

宣力，毕业于北京语言大学对外汉语教学专业，现任教于伦敦大学亚非学院中文系，并兼任伦敦孔子学院英方执行院长。有多年在中国，香港，美国及英国从事汉语教学的经验。国家级普通话水平测试员，英国某考试局中文科高级考官。曾参与欧洲范围内的汉语教学框架的研究。主要研究兴趣为汉语语音，汉语语法，方言研究，语言测试及中小学汉语教学。