## **孔子学院在老年活**动中心举行中国剪纸活动

当地时间 5 月 23 日,特洛伊大学孔子学院受蒙哥马利地区老年活动中心 (John Knox Manor)的邀请再次前往进行中国剪纸文化活动,老年中心共 25 人参加了此次活动。

**孔子学院方**丽博士首先介绍了中国剪纸的历史,主题和用途,还展示了以龙 图案组成的精美的中国剪纸作品"福"和十二生肖生剪纸作品。在孔院老师们的 指导下,老人们纷纷拿起剪子进行尝试,剪出了可爱的大熊猫。接着大家各自 发挥想象,剪出了自己喜欢的窗花作品。有几个老人都兴奋地说要把今天的剪 纸作品送给他们的小孙子。

活动结束的时候,大家以热烈的掌声对孔院老师们的辛勤劳动表达了诚挚 的谢意。



## **Confucius Institute at Troy University Brings Chinese Paper-cutting**

## to Local Senior Nursing Center

On May 23rd, the Confucius Institute at Troy University was invited by John Knox Manor, a senior nursing center in Montgomery, to share Chinese paper-cutting culture with the local senior citizens. A total of 25 people attended the event.

Dr. Li Fang, a visiting scholar of CITU, first introduced the history, themes and uses of Chinese paper cutting. She also showed the exquisite Chinese paper-cut works "Fu" made of Chinese dragons and the twelve Chinese Zodiac animal paper cutting works. With the guidance of the visiting scholars from CITU, the seniors picked up the scissors and tried to cut out the panda from the paper. After that, everyone got their own self-designed paper-cuts for decorating the windows. Some of them said that they wanted to give their paper-cuts to their grandchildren as presents.

At the end of the event, everyone expressed their sincere gratitude to the visiting scholars from CITU with a loud applause.

