

Montgomery Focus– Series of 2016 Fall CCC Events

A Lecture on *A Tour to Sichuan*

On Oct.26, 2016, Confucius Institute at Troy University Montgomery campus hosts the 4th lecture of the 2016 Fall Chinese Culture Club events— *A Tour to Sichuan, China*. Lecturer Kai Zeng briefly introduces the geographic location, famous scenic spots, world heritage, traditional culture and arts appreciation, folk customs and the cuisines of Sichuan Province. She highlights the Sichuan Giant Panda Base, traditional face-changing art show of Sichuan Opera, the marriage customs of the minority Mosuo People and the capital city Chengdu— one of the most important cities of Sichuan. The detailed texts, pictures and video materials make the audience feel to be on the spot by themselves. They feel like to be in Sichuan and personally experience Sichuan’s unique customs and practices, delicious food, classic charm and its modern fashion style.

Then the teachers of CIT and the audience imitate the panda toy and draw naive panda images by using their own imagination. The lecture ends with the joy of appreciating each other’s sketching of baby pandas.

With this lecture the audience further understands Sichuan— China’s most populous province, which possesses various natural landscapes. The rich historical relics and colorful folk customs, just like a splendid feast, attract people to personally go to Sichuan to enjoy it.

