CONFUCIUS INSTITUTE AT TROY UNIVERSITY
Chinese Language Teacher Program 2013

Confucius Institute at TROY University is pleased to announce its 2013 CONFUCIUS INSTITUTE at TROY University (CIT) Chinese Language Teacher Program!

Dates: July 7-July 21, 2013

Location: TROY University, Troy, Alabama

Cost: $100.00 application deposit (refundable upon registration). Please make the check payable to TROY University-Confucius Institute Foundation Teacher Program.

Application Deadline: May 15, 2013

Program Description

In this fourth year of the program, the goal of TROY-CONFUCIUS INSTITUTE Teacher Program (Chinese) is to develop a cadre of teachers of Mandarin with the dispositions, knowledge, and skills needed to create and support a new generation of highly effective World Language educators. The program will invite 10-15 participants, including Chinese language teachers, Chinese instructional supervisors, methods instructors, and potential Chinese teachers as well. The participants will engage in a professional development program covering Second Language Acquisition (SLA) practice and theory, language and culture instructional methods and assessments, curriculum design, language assessment, Chinese language structure and the selection of learning resources. Integral to this program will be the development of a professional learning community that will support the participants as they return to their schools or take on the responsibility and challenges of the Chinese language teaching. This training program is designed to solve the problem of a shortage of qualified and professionally trained Chinese language teachers in Alabama and surrounding areas. The participants, either beginning or experienced Chinese language teachers, will benefit from the program in the teaching of the Chinese language regarding classroom management, selection and evaluation of teaching resources, and related research. The courses offered in the program are residential for all participants, who will receive a certificate, materials, and resources upon completion of the program. Successful participants will also receive three college credits from TROY University.

One of the program’s benefits is that there is no cost, except a refundable $100.00 application deposit upon registration. All participants are residential in Troy.

Who Can Participate?

Participants must hold an undergraduate degree and must be teaching in, or are seeking to teach in, a K-12 Mandarin Chinese program in the state of Alabama and surrounding areas.
Ready to Sign Up?

For complete details and registration materials, please visit http://trojan.troy.edu/confucius/startalk/index.html

Contact Information

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Send application form with the check to:

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Registration form below.
Registration Form:

To register, please download and complete the application form and return with the payment to TROY University-Confucius Institute Foundation Teacher Program by May 15, 2013.

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☐ I live outside of the Troy area and am interested in lodging on campus

Tell us about yourself. Please check appropriate boxes:

Your professional role: ☐ Teacher ☐ Administrator ☐ Curriculum Specialist ☐ Program Coordinator ☐
Other:__________

Language(s) you teach: ☐ Mandarin ☐ Not applicable ☐
Other:__________

Level(s) you teach: ☐ Elementary ☐ Middle ☐ High School ☐ Postsecondary ☐
Other__________

Number of years teaching:________________

T-SHIRT SIZE ☐ Small ☐ Medium ☐ Large ☐ Extra Large

NOTE: TROY-Local Chinese Language Teacher Program is geared specifically for English-proficient post-baccalaureates with native to near-native proficiency in Mandarin Chinese who are teaching in, or are seeking to teach in, a Mandarin Chinese program in the US.

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