

## Seminar for Local Government Leaders from Developing Countries

Name	Seminar for Local Government Leaders from Developing Countries		
Organizer	JiangXi College Of Foreign Studies		
Time	2023-06-07 -- 2023-06-27	Language for Learning	English
Invited Countries	Developing Countries		
Number of Participants	25		
Requirements for the Participants	Age	Under 45 for officials at or under director's level; under 50 for officials at director general's level.	
	Health	In good health with health certificate issued by the local public hospitals; without diseases with which entry to China is disallowed by China's laws and regulations; without severe chronic diseases such as serious high blood pressure, cardiovascular/cerebrovascular diseases and diabetes; without metal diseases or epidemic diseases that are likely to cause serious threat to public health; not in the process of recovering after a major operation or in the process of acute diseases; not seriously disabled or pregnant.	
	Language	Capable of listening, speaking, reading and writing in English during the training	
	others	Family members or friends shall not follow	
Host City	Nanchang City, Jiangxi Province	Local Temperature	Summer: temperature 24°C-31°C
Cities to visit	Shanghai City, Fuzhou City, Jingdezhen City, Fuzhou City	Local Temperature	25°C-31°C, 25°C-32°C, 25°C-30°C, 25°C-31°C
Notes	<p>1. Please prepare valid passport and visa in advance.</p> <p>2. If you are unable to depart under special circumstances or your flight delays when transfer, please timely inform project contact of the latest flight status so that we can arrange for pick-up.</p> <p>3. Changing international air ticket is not allowed in principle, if you indeed need, please contact Economic and Commercial Office to apply for changing ticket. The costs and responsibilities arisen from unauthorized changing will be borne by you.</p> <p>4. Please confirm whether you need to have luggage checked for transfer; when you arrive in Nanchang, please take all luggage and wait at domestic arrival exit. Our staff will hold a pickup sign indicating "Jiangxi College of Foreign Studies" to pick you up. If you wait for more than 15 minutes, you may call our contact.</p> <p>5. If you lose your checked luggage, please register with the airline. Before the registration, please call the contact first to confirm the luggage delivery address.</p> <p>6. Please pay attention to the temperature of the host city, and carry appropriate clothes; please prepare comfortable shoes for visit; formal wear or national dress is required for important activities of the seminar.</p> <p>7. Please take along small quantity of commonly used drugs.</p>		

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About the Organizer	<p>Jiangxi College of Foreign Studies is the only higher vocational college dominated by training foreign language and foreign economic and trade application-oriented talents in Jiangxi Province, it is a co-developed college of the People's Government of Jiangxi Province and the Ministry of Commerce of China and one of the first batches of MOFCOM Training Bases for International Business Officials. The college is a national high-quality higher vocational college, and one of the first batches of Demonstrative Higher Vocational Colleges in Jiangxi Province. It was awarded the title of one of Top 50 Vocational Colleges of International Influence of China for two consecutive years.</p> <p>The college now has more than 15,000 students, and sets up 47 majors, involving 11 languages including English, French, Arabic, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, etc. Meanwhile, it has a fully equipped hotel integrating training, teaching, conference and leisure, with strong reception capacity.</p> <p>The college has been the organizer of foreign aid training projects since 2010, covering over 10 fields such as public administration, energy and minerals, trade and economy, manufacturing industry, party and government, business services, water conservancy and environmental management, culture and sports, transportation and logistics, and financial industry. And these projects involve technical training courses and seminars at ministerial and director's level. By the end of December 2022, the college had successfully organized 230 foreign aid training projects, including 30 projects organized online, and had trained 6,023 international business officials from 134 countries and regions. Abundant experience in foreign aid training has laid a solid foundation for the college to continue to undertake national tasks for foreign aid training.</p> <p>In recent years, the college has successively organized many seminars like "Seminar for Local Government Leaders from French-speaking Countries", "Seminar for Local Government Leaders from Russian-speaking Countries", "2019 Seminar for Local Government Leaders from English-speaking Countries", "2019 Seminar for Local Government Leaders from Russian-speaking Countries", etc., having achieved well received training effect.</p>	
Seminar Content	<p>This seminar will be conducted in a combination of lectures, discussions and visits to relevant government sectors, and we will combine theory with practice to share with participants China's experience on local governments administration.</p> <p>1. Lectures</p> <p>(1) National Conditions of China: introduce the current development, development concepts and development initiatives of China;</p> <p>(2) China's Reform and Opening-up: introduce the history, development results and enlightenment of China's reform and opening-up;</p> <p>(3) Institutional Restructuring of Chinese Government: introduce the eight times of institutional restructuring of Chinese Government since the reform and opening-up and the existing problems and achievements during the reform;</p> <p>(4) Promote the modernization of the national governance system and governance capacity: introduce the realization path, driving force, key factors, etc. to promote the modernization of the national governance system and governance capacity;</p>	

- (5) Participation in Political Affairs by Young Women in China: introduce the participation in political affairs by young women in China and the training mode of young female leaders;
- (6) “Internet+” Strategy and Innovation in Chinese Government Management: base on “internet+” to introduce the opportunities of government innovation, Chinese Government’s innovation strategy and innovation practice, and look ahead China’s “digital government”;
- (7) Training and Leadership Development: introduce DNA training (Dream, Nalp and Action training), leadership quality model, including the core work of outstanding leadership, establishment of leading authority, harmony of interests, cultural construction, etc.;
- (8) The local governance and government quality of modern China: introduce the situation of the local governments’ governance in China as well as the restructure of government ;
- (9) The System of National People’s Congress and Political Consultation in China: introduce the System of National People’s Congress and Political Consultation in China, and expound how does the System of National People’s Congress and Political Consultation give full play to its advantages to promote nation building in the new era;
- (10) The National People's Congress System and Nation-building in China: introduce the system of the People's Congress and the functions of the people's congress in China, and expound how the system of the People's Congress gives full play to its advantages to promote nation building in the new era;
- (11) Local Government’s Economic Performance Management: introduce the connotation, historical development and characteristics of government economic performance management, performance management policies of China’s local governments, like Shenzhen, Nanchang, Hangzhou, existing problems and achievements in Chinese Government’s performance management;
- (12) China’s Urban and Rural Public Utilities Management: introduce the development of urban and rural public utilities in China before and after the reform and opening-up, the development and current situation of China’s medical and health services, as well as the development and current situation of China’s educational undertaking.
2. About the lecturers
- (1) Han Yi: Nanchang University, Professor
- (2) Li Feng: China Foreign Affairs University, Associate Professor
- (3) Gan Jiahui: Jiangxi Normal University, Associate Professor
- (4) Wan Yina: Jiangxi University of Finance and Economics, Associate Professor
- (5) Yang Baozhen: Associate Senior Translator, Former Consul of China to France
- (6) Luo Liang: Nanchang University, Associate Professor
- (7) Guo Chaohui: Nanchang University, Professor
- (8) Hu Xinjian: Jiangxi Normal University, Associate Professor;
- (9) Pan Xinling: Standing Committee of Jiangxi Provincial People's Congress, Deputy Director
- (10) Zhang Xifeng: Jiangxi University of Finance and Economics, Professor
- (11) Jiang Guoping: Nanchang University, Professor
3. Symposium
- (1) The participants will introduce their countries and discuss and exchange views on the status quo of the local government in their countries;
- (2) The participants will discuss and exchange views on how to enhance the decision-making ability of the local government leaders;
- (3) The participants will make presentation about what they learn from the seminar.
4. Visit
- (1) Pay a visit to relevant units in Jiangxi Province to learn about the construction of the local government;.
- (2) Pay a visit to relevant units in Shanghai City, and Fuzhou City of Fujian Province.
6. Materials required
- (1) A self-introduction about your work ;
- (2) Institution setting and administrative situation of your unit.