

# Seminar on Practical Chinese for BRI Countries

## Project Description

Full Name	Seminar on Practical Chinese for BRI Countries		
Organizer	Beijing Chinese Language and Culture College		
Holding Time	November 6 – December 5, 2019	Language	English
Invited Participants	Government officials, Administrators, teachers and Chinese Language and culture learners from BRI countries.		
Planned Number of Participants	25		
About the Participants	Age	Under 50 years old for participants at director-general's level; under 45 years old for participants at or under division director's level.	
	Physical Health	In good health with health certificates or medical examination forms issued by local public hospitals; without diseases prohibited from entry by China's laws and regulations; without severe chronic diseases such as serious high blood pressure, cardiovascular and cerebrovascular diseases and diabetes; without mental illnesses or infectious diseases that may pose serious threats to public health; not during the postoperative recovery period after a major operation or during the outbreak period of acute diseases; without severe physical disability; non-pregnant.	
	Language Ability	Fluently in listening, speaking, reading and writing in English	
	Others	Participants who come to China for training are not allowed to bring spouses or relatives.	
Host City	Beijing City	Local Temperature	Winter: 1°C-10°C
Cities to Visit	Hangzhou City, Jiaxing City, Zhejiang Province; Suzhou City, Jiangsu Province; Shanghai City	Local Temperature	Hangzhou City, Zhejiang Province: 10°C-18°C Jiaxing City, Zhejiang Province: 10°C-17°C Suzhou City, Jiangsu Province: 10°C-18°C Shanghai City: 12°C-18°C
Notes	Low temperature, Please bring thick clothes.		
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<p>About the Organizer</p>	<p>Beijing Chinese Language and Culture College was founded in 1950. It is the only college in China which is specialized in teaching Chinese language and Chinese culture for overseas Chinese and international friends. The purpose of the foundation of the College is to provide a favorable learning environment for overseas Chinese and international students, and to provide service for cultural exchange and visits.</p> <p>The College has a team of dedicated teachers, who are familiar with the learning style of overseas Chinese and international students. So far, there are more than 200 thousands students, overseas Chinese teachers and government officials from 130 countries or regions who have studied and carried out academic exchanges and co-operations here. It is a college of overseas Chinese education base with good reputation.</p> <p>We have language labs, multimedia classrooms, a library, and reading rooms, offering a rich assortment of materials and a pleasant study environment. The apartment buildings are equipped with all the necessary facilities to make your stay here convenient and enjoyable. We have rich experiences in the management of the study and living of students, and in the organization of training and cultural exchange activities.</p> <p>From 2006 to 2019, Beijing Chinese Language and Culture College has successfully held 36 Chinese language programs sponsored by the Ministry of Commerce of P. R. C. The themes include Chinese language and culture, practical business Chinese, teaching methods for language teachers, translation and interpretation, etc. All seminars gained favorable comment from participants in different countries. Altogether, 1125 participants attended our seminars or training courses during the past years.</p>	
<p>Seminar/ Training Course Content</p>	<p>Commissioned by the Ministry of Commerce of P. R. C., <i>Seminar on Practical Chinese for BRI Countries</i> will be held by Beijing Chinese Language and Culture College from Nov 6<sup>th</sup> to Dec 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019. It is a 30-day training on Chinese language and culture.</p> <p>The main contents are organized in lectures, culture experiencing, meetings, investigations; The major contents include: 1. Language courses such as Chinese comprehensive, listening, speaking, reading, writing etc. 2. Lectures on China such as national conditions, culture, folk customs etc. 3. Experiencing Courses such as martial arts, Chinese painting, calligraphy, tea art etc.</p> <p>In addition, the program is in the form of teaching combining with practice. During the Seminar, investigations are arranged, both in Beijing and Southeast China. Thereby the participants will be able to perceive more about the charm of China's culture, to understand more about the current situation of China's social development.</p> <p>Through this training, participants will gain the ability of Chinese conversation, and basic Chinese reading and writing skills. They will have a better understanding of Chinese culture, society, folk customs and other aspects. It aims to help the BRI countries create the People-to-people bond and lay a good foundation for further cooperation in every field.</p>	