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## PERSONAL HIGHLIGHT

Strong communication skills: native in Mandarin Chinese and fluent in English;

Good at presenting ideas and cross cultural interpretations;

Patient, independent, organized, self-motivated, responsible and detail-minded;

Experienced in assisting organizers to hold academic meetings/social events;

High evaluation grade for each semester (top 3) since teaching Chinese in 2007.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **SEP 2007 – AUG 2014, LECTURER, TSINGHUA UNIVERSITY, BEIJING, CHINA**

Teach foreign students (both elementary and advanced level of Chinese) Mandarin Chinese (pronunciation, meaning of words, grammar, etc.);

Working as Dean assistant and translator for building long-term and short-term academic partnership between Tsinghua's language program and universities abroad;

In charge of Tsinghua IMBA Chinese language program, teaching business Chinese while assist in arranging academic and social events related to Chinese language;

Teaching supervisor of TEAN program (The Education Abroad Network) with Tsinghua since year 2011. in charge of arranging academic and social events related to Chinese language and building/maintaining a long relationship between Tsinghua and American Universities in this program (UCLA, UGANDA, Baylor University, etc.).

### **JUN 2007 – SEP 2007, ASSISTANT EDITOR, HIGHER EDUCATION PRESS, BEIJING, CHINA**

Edit articles and books (teaching Chinese as a second language related);

Write and translate business documents/invitations related to business between Higher Education Press and other foreign publications;

Assist in presenting and introducing books of Higher Education Press in Beijing International Book Exhibition;

Handle incoming calls and email enquiries;

Assist in contacting authors and editors of other publication press for cooperation.



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## EDUCATION

Columbia University, New York -Certificate Program of TCSOL, Sep 2014-Present;

SOAS, London -Mphi, Major in Linguistics, Sep 2006-Jun 2007;

Tsinghua University, Beijing -Master, Major in Linguistics, Sep 2004-Jun 2006;

Beijing Institute of Technology, Beijing -Bachelor, Major in English, Sep 2000-Jun 2004.

## OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

Fashion Institute of Technology, New York -Certificate Program of Fashion Promotion, Jul 2013-Aug 2013;

School of Arts and Design, Tsinghua University, Beijing -Certificate program of Fashion and Arts.

## OTHER SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Assistant and translator on behalf of School of Arts and Design, Tsinghua University for the year 2013 International Fashion show trip to Milan and Paris;

Model of Tsinghua's 2013 clothes design show;

Translator of Mimi Tang (CEO, Gucci Group Asia Pacific) for her 2 day lecture in Tsinghua, 2012;

Columnist of "Learning Chinese" Magazine (BLCU) since year 2010;

Provide 10 online English learning courses for Shanghai civil workers (<http://www.shgb.gov.cn>)

## PUBLICATIONS:

Book: Reading Comprehension for HSK 5 (Beijing Language and Culture University Press, Jan 2013);

Articles: 2 articles/month for two columns of "Learning Chinese" Magazine since 2010