# International Symposium on Intercultural Communication and Chinese Language Teaching

**Organizer:** Modern Language Centre, King's College London  
**Date:** 28th June 2019  
**Venue:** King’s Building, Strand Campus, King’s College London

## Time | Programme
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9:00-9:30 | Registration & Coffee
9:30-9:45 | Welcome Speech  
Professor Constant Leung, School of Education, Communication and Society
9:45-10:00 | HKU Project Introduction  
Hongfen Zhou – King’s College London  
Lena Chan – The University of Hong Kong (Video)
10:00-10:40 | Keynote Speech  
Lianyi Song - SOAS University of London  
Language Plus: a report on two projects between SOAS and two Chinese institutions for Western students of Chinese
10:40-11:55 | Session A  
Wing-kin Lee - The University of Hong Kong  
Promoting the policy of “Bi-literacy and Tri-lingualism”: Cantonese curriculum in the University of Hong Kong  
Lijing Shi - London School of Economics  
Creativity, connectivity and critical thinking - reflecting on a four-year CFL telecollaboration project  
Hsiu-Chih Sheu - Nottingham Trend University  
Year abroad study in China - from the ‘lost bunny’ to the Karate Kid  
Zhe Yu Darling - Leeds University  
Using student-led tasks to enhance intercultural awareness
11:55-12:35 | Keynote Speech  
Jing Fang - Oxford University  
Thinking and wisdom in new Chinese words
12:35-1:00 | Workshop – Cypress Books, Sinolingua London Publisher  
Donation of Books  
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| 2:00-3:30 | Session B                | Fei Gao - Cambridge University  
Teaching and learning culture in the classroom  
Yan Wen Thornton - The University of Exeter  
Drama techniques to enhance speaking skills and motivation in the advanced Chinese classroom  
Duo Luan - Edinburgh University  
The use of space and time: an anatomy of Chinese thought in language teaching  
CLEP Y. YU - The University of Hong Kong  
Providing students with cultural/intercultural knowledge through teaching practical Chinese  
Catherine Hua Xiang - London School of Economics  
Designing and launching a year-long executive education program at LSE Confucius Institute for Business London – Chinese language and culture for business (CLCB) |
| 3:30-4:10 | Keynote Speech           | Wendy Che - Oxford University, Oxford Brook University  
Intercultural communication competence in Chinese language teaching and learning – a teacher's perspective |
| 4:10-4:25 | Workshop                 | Marco Polo Culture Exchange Program                                           |
| 4:25-4:55 | Tea Break                |                                                                              |
| 4:55-6:10 | Session C                | Liang Wang - Queen's University Belfast  
Promoting Chinese language and culture programmes at Queen's - an intercultural approach  
Xinying Zhang - Open University  
An exploratory Chinese-English e-Tandem pilot project  
Jing Chu – King's College London  
An attempt to integrate multimedia resources into the teaching of a non-credit bearing beginner’s Mandarin class  
Rong Guo – Imperial College London  
Exploring cultural differences in Chinese teaching to help students' learning easier |
| 6:10-6:20 | Closing Speech           | Catherine Brossard, Deputy Director, Modern Language Centre                  |
| 6:20-6:50 | Reception                |                                                                              |