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National Chinese Language

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MAKING CONNECTIONS BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS

With the growing interest in fostering students' global competence, Chinese language and culture programs are expanding quickly across the U.S., and indeed the world. To ensure success, educators are seeking to build high-quality programs and strengthen teacher development. Join leaders from across K-16 education to share best practices, build partnerships, and advance the field of Chinese language education.

Highlights

Innovative Vision: Hear perspectives from U.S. and international leaders on education, policy and business.

Program Quality: Learn how to build and sustain effective Chinese programs — curriculum, instruction, materials, assessment, funding, use of technology and more.

K-16 Forums: Discuss key issues ranging from teacher preparation and certification to program articulation.

Partnerships: Make connections with U.S. and Chinese schools, colleges, and universities, as well as business and community organizations.

Cultural Enrichment: Enjoy performances of Chinese arts and learn about Chinese culture.

School Visits (optional): Visit classes in the Chicago Public Schools, home of the largest Chinese program in the U.S.



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