





# **2019 Victorian Chinese Language Teachers' Conference**

Discussion and Implementation of  
New VCE Chinese Study Designs

6 - 7 December 2019

University of Melbourne

## **2019年维多利亚汉语教师大会**

VCE新教学大纲研讨与实施

2019年12月6-7日

墨尔本大学

HOSTED BY

THE CHINESE LANGUAGE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA

主办:

维多利亚州中文教师协会



## Theme of the Training Course (Conference)

The focus of the 2019 state training course (conference) will be on the four newly revised VCE Chinese study designs---namely, VCE Chinese Second Language, VCE Chinese Second Language Advanced, VCE Chinese Language, Culture and Society as well as VCE Chinese First Language.

From the start of 2019, schools were already requested to start their implementation of the revised VCE Chinese Second Language and Chinese Second Language Advanced study designs. Due to some considerable changes in these study designs, many teachers of VCE Chinese found it challenging to set up detailed content of outcomes. There is a certain degree of anxiety about some dramatic changes of the format and content of both external oral and written exams.

In addition, teachers of VCE Chinese Language, Culture and Society are also in somewhat confusion about the content for each outcome and how to prepare their students for the end-of-year oral and written exams. With the publication of the new study design for Chinese First Language, teachers teaching this cohort are eager to have a better understanding of what they should teach from 2020 onwards.

The two-day training conference will invite some key members from VCAA's Languages Curriculum and Examination Units to further explicitly explain the new changes in these study designs. Experienced teachers of each VCE Chinese language cohort will be invited to lead discussions on how to prepare and teach each outcome of Units 1-4 of the four VCE Chinese languages.

The training conference aims to equip all the teachers of Chinese with an updated knowledge of the current development of VCE Chinese, help them to comprehend the requirements of each unit study, and upgrade their practical skills in designing learning outcomes. Each teacher of Chinese and VCE Chinese in particular must attend this training course if he/she intends to be involved in teaching one of the four VCE Chinese languages in 2020 onwards.



## How to register?

You need to register online and make payment separately to the **CLTAV** bank account listed below.

**STEP 1:** Register for the conference. Click [here](#). Or copy this URL:

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/2019-victorian-chinese-language-teachers-conference-tickets-72460079047>

*\*This is a paid event. Please ignore the word “free” in the registration, which is due to a system limitation.*

**STEP 2:** Print your registration ticket

**STEP 3:** Make your payment

### Registration fee options

Option A: \$ 260 (with conference dinner)

Option B: \$ 230 (**without** conference dinner)

Send the registration ticket together with your **payment** to:

CLTAV Treasurer, Mr Zhang Bo

PO Box 4339, Knox City Shopping Centre

Wantirna South, VIC 3152

Email: [zhang\\_jimi@hotmail.com](mailto:zhang_jimi@hotmail.com)

### Payment options

**CLTAV ABN: 56 630 931 870**

Cheque/Money order payable to CLTAV

OR

Electronic Funds Transfer \*\*\*

**(Send your receipt number to Zhang Bo)**

Victoria Teachers Mutual Bank Account Name: Chinese language BSB: 704 191 Account No: 87840
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\*\*\*Note: If you choose electronic funds transfer, please leave your  
FULL NAME and Payment amount as your Reference. For example: Ref:  
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## Conference Overview (Draft)

Date	Time	Activity
<b>December 6 Friday</b>	8:30-9:00	Registration
	9:00-9:30	Opening Ceremony
	9:30-11:00	Keynote speech by Maree Dellora, Manager of the Languages Curriculum, the Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority
	11:00-11:30	Group photo, morning tea, viewing of sponsor booths
	11:30-1:00	Presentation: Details of the Changes & Advice on the Implementation of the New Study Designs, by Jixing Xu and Wei Ha
	1:00-2:00	Lunch and viewing of sponsor booths
	2:00-3:30	Breakout Session 1: Units 1 & 2 Group 1: Second Language Group 2: Second Language Advanced Group 3: First Language Group 4: Chinese Language, Culture & Society
	3:30-4:00	Afternoon tea, viewing of sponsor booths
	4:00-5:00	Group Report & Open Discussion

Date	Time	Activity
<b>December 7 Saturday</b>	8:30-9:00	Registration
	9:00-11:00	Breakout Session 2: Units 3 & 4 Group 1: Second Language Group 2: Second Language Advanced Group 3: First Language Group 4: Chinese Language, Culture & Society
	11:00-11:30	Morning tea
	11:30-12:30	Group Report & Open Discussion
	12:30-1:30	Lunch and viewing of sponsor booths
	1:30-3:00	Breakout Session 3: External Oral & Written Exams Group 1: Second Language Group 2: Second Language Advanced Group 3: First Language Group 4: Chinese Language, Culture & Society
	3:00-4:00	Group Report & Open Discussion
	4:00-4:30	Closing Ceremony
	6:00-9:00	CLTAV Annual General Meeting & Conference Dinner

