

PROGRAM

9:00-9:15 a.m.

Welcome Remarks

Dr. Jennifer Bott, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, WMU

9:20-10:10 a.m.

Special Presentation:

The Present as Prologue: The Gloomy Outlook for US-China Relations

Dr. Avery Goldstein, David M. Knott Professor of Global Politics and International Relations, University of Pennsylvania

10:15-11:45 a.m.

Panel I: Voice of the Arts: Chinese Poetry, Song, and Beijing Opera in America

Chair: Dr. Zu-yan Chen, Binghamton University, State University of New York

1. A Gull between Earth and Heaven: Imagery in Traditional Chinese Poetry
Dr. Zu-yan Chen, Binghamton University, SUNY
2. Teaching Chinese through Song: A Musical Approach
Prof. Hong Zhang, Binghamton University, SUNY
3. East Meets West: Introducing Beijing Opera in the U.S.
Dr. Xiaoning Wang, National Academy of Chinese Theater Arts, China

Noon-1 p.m.

Lunch Break

1-2 p.m.

Workshop: Food Consumption Changes Due to COVID-19: Lessons from China

Chair: Dr. Ann Veeck, Haworth College of Business, WMU

Dr. Jeffrey Xie, Haworth College of Business, WMU
Dr. Hong Zhu, Northeast Normal University, China
Dr. Marcel Zondag, Haworth College of Business, WMU
Dr. Russell Zwanka, Haworth College of Business, WMU

2-3 p.m.

Individual Presentation:

1. The Yan'an Way or the Shrew's Way: Gender and Rural Communist Feminism
Dr. Shu Yang, College of Arts and Sciences, WMU
2. The Language of Protest: A Small Study of the Signage Used in the 2019-2020 Hong Kong Protests
Dr. Marjorie K.M. Chan, Ohio State University

3-5 p.m.

Panel II: Different Elements of Teaching Chinese as a Second Language

Chair: Dr. Yi Wu, Beijing Language and Culture University, China

1. On Vocabulary Teaching of Chinese as a Second Language: Experience and Methods
Dr. Hua Li, Beijing Language and Culture University, China
2. Online Chinese Painting and Calligraphy Teaching Experience: Empirical Exploration on Methods and Strategies
Jialin Zhu, Beijing Language and Culture University, China
3. Output-oriented Classroom Activities Management
Fei Teng, Kalamazoo Central High School
4. My Top 2 Interactive Tools for High School Online Chinese Class
Yalin Tan, Kalamazoo Central High School
5. The Application of Movie Resources in Chinese Culture Teaching
Lianyu Yang, Beijing Language and Culture University, China
6. Motivation of Chinese Character and Its Application in Chinese Character Teaching
Zaibang Shi, Loy Norrix High School