# Evaluation report for *Chinese Culture* course Raspopov Vladyslav (Ukraine)

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### 1. Teaching objective evaluation

Teaching objectives were clear and understandable. Main task of the course was to understand importance of Chinese culture in modern China. In order to understand modern Chinese culture, it is needed to start from history and old tradition, after slowly moving to the modern time. Professor Xie Ling clearly set objectives of the course and accomplished them using proper content and appropriate teaching approach.

### 2. The richness of teaching content

The teaching content of the course was covered completely. The main parts of course included history of china, importance of face philosophy and relationships, and different facts about Chinese business culture and social customs, were explained very well. Content was delivered by set of Ppts, videos and class discussions.

## 3. Appropriateness of teaching approach

From my point of view, the teacher's primary role is to coach and facilitate student learning and overall comprehension of material, and to measure student learning through both formal and informal forms of assessment, like student's presentation, term paper, and class participation. During the course, teacher used the student-centered classroom approach. Therefore, we had more freedom during our discussion and presentation. I am convinced that such teaching approach was appropriate for the Chinese Culture course and engaged us in more open and fair discussions.

# 4. Personal gains and development after taking the subject

The course had met all my expectations. I gained new knowledge about Chinese culture and now it is much easier for me to understand Chinese people's traditions and habits. In addition, it became easier for me to build friendship with Chinese people. Our project was aimed on creating a short business plan about opening business in China. My project was made about opening Ukrainian restaurant in Shanghai. Doing the project allowed me to deeper understand Chinese habits in food and dinning manners. Chinese Culture course covered all aspects of life in China for foreigners and some aspect of Chinese history. Moreover, I know much more about other cultures of my classmates, because important part of the course was presenting the culture of your own country. I shared

knowledge and traditions of my country and other students shared information about their countries. Overall, I am convinced that *Chinese Culture* course is an essential course for all foreigners who is coming to China and it provides important knowledge for living in China, doing business and understanding the culture.