

# SHANHUI CHEN

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## OBJECTIVE

Instructor in Chinese language and Chinese culture

## LICENSE

World Languages (age 0-21) - Chinese (Mandarin)

## EDUCATION

<b>UW-Milwaukee, WI</b>	01/2010-12/2011
Certification in teaching Chinese language for K12 student teaching requirement)	
<b>Alverno College</b> Milwaukee WI	02/2008-08/2009
Master of Arts in Education (focusing on curriculum and instruction)	
<b>Shan Xi Normal University</b> , Shan Xi Province, China,	08/1996-07/1999
Bachelor in English (focusing on ESL Education, endorsed by Alverno College)	
<b>Hefei Institute of Education</b> An Hui Province, China,	08/1984-07/1986
English as a second language (Associate degree)	

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<b>Woodstock School District 200</b>	-present
AP Mandarin Chinese teacher	
<b>Milwaukee Academy of Chinese Language School:</b>	02/ 2010- 06/2011
Mandarin Chinese teacher	
<b>Alverno College</b> , Milwaukee, WI	09/2008 -08/2009
Academic assistant for Chinese language instruction for undergraduates	
<b>Shorewood High School &amp; Nicolet High School</b> , Milwaukee, WI	09/2007-06/2008
Mandarin teacher initiating Chinese language programs (internship)	
<b>Cricket Academy &amp; Milwaukee Modern Chinese School</b> (weekend heritage schools)	09/2006-06/2008
Chinese Language Teacher for both heritage and non-heritage students	
<b>Yili Teachers College</b> , Yili Xinjiang China	01/2004-01/2005
ESL instructor for undergraduates in multiple levels	
Facilitated Conversational English learning activities	
<b>#2 High School</b> , Kuitun, Xinjiang, China	08/1992-12/2004
ESL teacher for junior and senior students	
Curriculum Director of Foreign Language Department	
Teacher trainer in foreign language pedagogy, curriculum reform, integration of technology in lesson planning and classroom instruction	

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

<b>Southern Wisconsin Interpreting and Translation (SWIT)</b> , Milwaukee, WI	07/2007-Present
Interpreter for healthcare service providers	
<b>Beijing Jia Xi Culture and Development Co. Ltd.</b> , Beijing, China,	01/2005-1/2007
Corporate administrator and media communications	
Translator between Chinese and English language (telecommuting)	
<b>Russian Traditional Ice Cream Factory</b>	01/1997-01/2001
Business partner facilitating product development and strategic marketing	

## **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS/STRENGTHS**

- Chinese history, culture and literature.
- History, educational theories, latest information, trends, research and national/state standards in bilingual/second language acquisition and education in K-16
- Curriculum/assessment design and development; creating student-centered learning activities
- Using current technology in language instruction
- Chinese calligraphy, folk music and folk dancing, arts crafts, Chinese cuisine

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING** (attended in the US)

**TPRS Workshop -Teaching Proficiency by Reading and Story-telling**( 2 days), Feb 12, 2011 Milwaukee

**WAFLT Fall Conference: ACTFL Proficiency Guideline Training**(5 hours), 2010, Nov 4-6, Appleton WI

**CEAS Workshop for K-16 Chinese Language Instructors** (7 hours): Oct. 18, 2008, UW-Madison

**Wisconsin Critical Language Fellows** (14-month Wisconsin DPI program): July 2007- Dec 2009, 14 months training in teaching Chinese as a second language

**WAFLT Conference 2007: *Multiple Languages, Multiple Levels, Multiple Tasks, Multiple Assessments***  
Nov. 1-3, 2007, Appleton, WI

**ACTFL Workshop** (8 hours): ***Familiarization & Implications for Chinese*** Feb 8, 2008 UW-Milwaukee

**CEAS Workshop** (7 hours) : ***Challenges and Changes in K-16 Chinese Language Instruction***, UW-Madison  
Oct 6<sup>th</sup>, 2007.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

***Education in China***, co-presented at the Wisconsin Council for the Social Sciences and International Education Council conference, Madison WI, March 19-20, 2007

***Chinese Language and Culture***, in cooperation with Milwaukee Academy of Chinese Language School at the Southeast Wisconsin District Superintendent Institute conference, June 26, 2007

## **AWARDS**

- 1) April 2011: prepared students to attend the Wisconsin Statewide Chinese Speech Contest and won 1st and 3rd place in Middle School Non-heritage category
- 2) August 2000: Preparing students for the National English Speech Competitions (winning first and second prizes), China
- 3) Oct. 2000: Essay "Contextualized ESL Instruction" won First Place Award at the Provincial Thesis Competition, China
- 4) Oct 2000: Presentation entitled " Task-Based ESL Instruction" won the First Place Award at the municipal Expert in Foreign Language Instruction contest, China
- 5) Oct. 2001: Essay "Integrating Communicative Interaction into the Classroom" won the First Place Award at the Municipal Thesis Contest, China
- 6) August 2002, succeeded in training and giving model presentations to English teachers of the school district on new textbook reform involving new teaching methodology; topics included: The "Task-Based Language Teaching Method," China

## **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

College Board

Chinese Language Teacher Association (CLTA)

Friends of International Education, Inc. (FIE)

Wisconsin Association of Foreign Language Teachers (WAFLT)

Wisconsin Association of Chinese Language Teachers (WACLT)

Midwest Chinese Teachers Alliance (MCTA)