

University of Virginia Star Talk Chinese Teacher Academy

Professional Goals

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As a Chinese professor, I have been familiar with ACTFL standards, and know the benefits of using target language and authentic materials to teach. However, I have not in real sense implemented the standards and practiced using target language and authentic materials in my teaching. My professional goals include:

- implement 5 Cs in curriculum
- use Chinese language 90% of time to teach each class
- seek appropriate authentic materials as many as my time allows and design activities for students to relate learning contents with Chinese communities
- keep student-centered activities at least 50% in each teaching class
- adopt IPA after finishing each unit to assess students' proficiency
- continue the active participation in local and national professional associations