Course Syllabus

1. Program of Study Bachelor of Arts

Bachelor of Science

Bachelor of Business Administration

Bachelor of Nursing Science

Faculty / Institute/College Mahidol University International College

2. Course Code ICLC 313 Course Title Intermediate Chinese III

3. Number of Credits 4 (4-0) (Lecture/Lab)

4. Prerequisite (s) ICLC 3125. Type of Course Required

6. Trimester / Academic Year Trimester III / Every year

7. Course Description

Consolidation of the acquisitions of ICLC 311 and 312 and further mastering of advanced grammar and specialized vocabulary in order to allow the students to fully reach a standard intermediate level of proficiency.

8. Course Objective (s)

At the end of the course, the students will master the following skills.

Language skills

How to...

- Read and understand Chinese idioms and expressions;
 - 助人为乐.
 - 言行不一.
 - 好人难当.
 - 吃力不讨好.
- Read and interpret Chinese proverbs;
 - 逆水行舟,不进则退.
 - 读万卷书, 行千里路.
- Indicate unexpected situations with a tone exclamation;
- Warn a person;
- Take a note;
- Write a memo;
- Read and interpret a poem;
- Write an essay by using 200 Chinese characters.

Grammar

- Adverbs: "渐渐, 难道, 偏, 不禁, 再三, 总之, 不由得, 反而";
- Phrases: 拿...来说, 别看, 心一横, 好不+ adjective, verb +下来;
- Conjuctions: 免得,即使...也还...,

不是…而是,不仅…而且;

• Auxiliary verbs (2): "可+verb,可+verb的, verb+起来".

Culture

- The Mid-Autumn festival;
- Summer activities for students in China;
- Recent developments in Chinese families.

9. Course Outline

| Week | Topic | | Incharator |
|-------|----------------------------|------|-----------------------------|
| | Lecture | Hour | Instructor |
| 1 | Presentation of the course | 4 | Assigned section instructor |
| | Unit 71 | | |
| 2 | Unit 71 | 4 | " |
| 3 | Quiz 1 | 4 | " |
| | Unit 72 | | |
| 4 | Unit 72 | 4 | u . |
| 5 | Unit 73 | 4 | u u |
| 6 | Quiz 2 | 4 | " |
| | Unit 73 | | |
| 7 | Unit 74 | 4 | " |
| 8 | Unit 74 | 4 | " |
| 9 | Quiz 3 | 4 | " |
| | Unit 75 | | |
| 10 | Unit 75 | 4 | " |
| 11 | Review for final exam | 4 | " |
| Total | | 44 | |

N.B. The coordinator reserves the right to change topics when appropriate.

10. Teaching Method (s)

Lecture, exercise, teamwork and activities.

11. Teaching Media

Textbook: Hanyu Jiaocheng Volume 3 (Book 1).

Additional teaching materials: handouts, transparencies, cassette tapes and

VCR.

12. Measurement and evaluation of student achievement

MUIC standard grading criteria: 90% and above will have grade A.

13. Course evaluation

1. 3 Quizzes 50% 2. Final exam 50%

14. Reference (s)

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Xiandai Hanying Cidian (a Modern Chinese-English Dictionary), Foreign Language Teaching and Research Press, 2001. Fu Yuping, Cheng Wen and Jin Jiwen, *HSK Yufa jianglian: HSK Grammar practice (beginner, intermediate level)*, Beijing Language University Press, 2003.

15. Instructor (s)

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16. Course Coordinator

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