

## Associated Colleges in China Presents:



### **ACC-CLASS Chinese Language Teachers Institute for Nonnative Speakers**

This is a two-week Chinese language program which offers development workshops for pre-service and in-service K-16 nonnative Chinese language teachers. The program takes place on Hamilton College's campus during the summer. The program's overarching goal is to provide professional development opportunities in language and pedagogy.

By the end of the program, participants will improve their Chinese language proficiency, design and deliver standards-based thematic units. They will develop skills needed to properly align curriculum, instruction and assessment; and integrate culture, content, and technology into their teaching practices.

Additionally, participants will gain the skills needed to carry out instruction in the target language; use task-based teaching templates to create meaningful lessons and activities for students; and assess students' performance ability in an integrative way.

### **ACC Chinese Language Summer Immersion Youth Program**

The Chinese Summer Immersion Program for Central New York Students is designed as a one-week residential camp program. The program aims to provide a rewarding summer immersion experience for 16 highly motivated students.

#### Program Goals

- Provide students a language immersion experience on the Hamilton College campus
- Improve students' linguistic proficiency and cultural competency through an outcome-based curriculum, task-based instruction, authentic cultural experience, and individualized one-on-one online tutoring and peer interaction
- Develop the interactive distance learning technology to expose students to authentic Chinese language, people, and culture through participatory online learning tools

