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**EDUCATION**

**City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong SAR (CityU)** September 2014 - July 2015

*Master Degree - Linguistics*

Coursework: Language Universals and Linguistic Typology, Pedagogical Grammar, Contrastive Studies of Chinese and English Grammar, Phonetics and Phonology, Syntax and Morphology, Semantics and Discourse, etc.

**Tianjin Foreign Studies University, Tianjin, China (TFSU)** September 2010 - June 2014

*Bachelor Degree - English Translation and Interpretation*

Coursework:English Teaching Methodology, Interpretation (Chinese - English & English - Chinese, Consecutive & Simultaneous), Translation (C-E & E-C), Advanced English, Cross-cultural Communication, Public Speaking, Basic Computer Science, etc.

**EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

**Volunteer**

*International Putonghua Club,* CityU, Hong Kong SAR January 2015 - April 2015

* Organized group activities and individual counseling for non-native mandarin speakers

*Tianjin Cultural Center*, Tianjin, China May 2012 - November 2012

* Served as guide and helper in the citizens’ square of the city

*TFSU*, Tianjin, China September 2010 - August 2011

* Performed the role of receptionist in the first National Language Learning and Foreign Languages Teaching Seminar
* Served as backup team leader of the art performance section in the Tenth International Conference on Japanese Language Education

**CityU Choir, Member - CityU** September 2014 - July 2015

* Participated in the weekly practice for the annual performance of the choir

**Scientific Research of Phonetics, Group Leader - TFSU**  November 2012 - September 2013

* Assigned tasks for group members during research process, monitored their performance and provided support
* Compiled research report according to the findings
* Published the essay in a provincial journal
* Received the award of “A” degree in the university scientific research program

**Art Troupe, Choir Director - TFSU** September 2010 - July 2013

* Organized the weekly rehearsal and monitored the performance and behavior of all members
* Participated in the city’s art exhibition for university students

**Oral English Club, President** - **TFSU** September 2010 - July 2013

* Hosted the weekly English corner to improve participants’ oral English
* Judged in the English Talent Competition of the university

# SOCIAL EXPERIENCE

**Social Practice**

*TFSU,* Tianjin, China January 2013 - August 2013

* Translated a music theory book and lyrics of a chorus book

*Tianjin Cultural Center*, Tianjin, China August 2012 - September 2012

* Organized free English corner for encouraging the studying climate in the community

**Internship**

*Individual* January 2011 - March 2014

* Taught IELTS and elementary English to adults and university students; and math to high school students
* Served as tour guide of English for tourist groups

*Jinwan Media Press*, Tianjin, China July 2011 - August 2011

* Participated in the editing of the newspaper
* Sorted out the costumes for the outdoor shots of a particular edition

# HONOURS AND AWARDS

* Art Exhibition for University Students (Tianjin), May 2012 & 2013
* Excellent League Member, May 2012 & 2013
* National English Contest for College Students, April 2012
* Outstanding Student Scholarship, 2011, 2012 & 2013

# ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

* TEM 8; CET 6
* IELTS: Overall Band Score 7 (Listening 8.5 Reading 7 Writing 6.5 Speaking 6)

**ADDITIONAL ABILITIES**

* Fluent in Chinese and English, intermediate in Japanese and basic in Spanish
* Skilled in the use of basic computer programs, e.g. MS Office, Goldwave, etc.
* Input speed: Chinese,75kpm; English, 201kpm