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EDUCATION

- M.A. **Carnegie Mellon University**, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 2017.9 ~ 2018.5
Applied Second Language Acquisition
- B.E. **Nankai University**, Tianjin, China 2011.9 ~ 2015.5
Computer Science
The Evaluation of MCL Clustering Analysis Used for Chinese Character Recognition
Kai Wang

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Chinese Part-time Instructor**, University of Pittsburgh 2018.8 ~ Present
- Teaching recitation classes for Chinese Level 1
 - Conducting oral tests and oral performances
- SAT/TOEFL Instructor**, Wholeren Education Inc. 2018.7 ~ Present
- Designing course materials for international students
 - Teaching SAT and TOEFL courses
- ESL Assisting Instructor (practicum)**, Chatham University 2017.12 ~ 2018.5
- Teaching segments in the course *Academic Communication* and *Advanced Grammar*
 - Designing online vocabulary activities and discussion questions
- English Teacher**, ePLUS for K-12, Beijing Foreign Studies University 2016.5 ~ 2017.6
- Teaching elementary and intermediate English

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Research Assistant** for Professor Sue-mei Wu 2018.5 ~ 2018.8
Modern Languages, Dietrich College, Carnegie Mellon University
Developing Cultural Videos for the OLI Chinese Online, CMU

Research Assistant for Intelligent Chinese Character Recognition project with Professor Kai Wang
Department of Computer Science, Nankai University
Collected Chinese character images and compute gradients. 2014.5 ~ 2015.6

PROJECTS

ARIS Game for ESL Learners in Pittsburgh 2018.1 ~ 2018.4
Professor: Sébastain Dubreil

Instructional App with LiveCode – Flashcards 2018.1 ~ 2018.4
Professor: Sébastain Dubreil

Language Anxiety of Chinese International Students during Their Studies in English Speaking Countries 2017.10 ~ 2017.12
Professor: Seth Wiener

L2 Vocabulary Acquisition: On the Role of Requesting for Assistance in Collaborative Tasks 2017.9 ~ 2017.12
Professor: Rémi Adam van Compernelle

Technology Usage among Trained EFL Teachers 2017.9 ~ 2017.12
Professor: Naoko Taguchi

GRADUATE COURSES

Second Language Acquisition: Theories and Research 2017 Fall
Teaching Methodologies for the Foreign Language Classroom
Teaching Modern Languages and Cultures I
Linguistic Data Analysis using R
Interaction and L2 Development

Teaching Modern Languages and Cultures II 2018 Spring
Issues in TESOL
Language Acquisition and Technology
Sociocultural Theory and L2 Development
Chinese Foreign Language Teaching
Elementary Spanish I

SERVICE

Volunteer and symposium attendee in CLTA-WPA 2018.10
Carnegie Mellon University & 2017.10
Leader of Undergraduate Student Union 2011.9 ~ 2013.7
Nankai University

AWARDS

Department of Modern Language Graduate Scholarship Carnegie Mellon University	2017.9 ~ 2018.5
Scholarship for Outstanding Performance Nankai University	2013.9 ~ 2014.1
Outstanding Student Leader Undergraduate Student Union, Nankai University	2011.9 ~ 2013.7

LANGUAGES

Chinese: native
English: fluent
Spanish, French: study experience

COMPUTER SKILLS

HTML, CSS, JavaScript, R, LiveCode, ARIS, C++, SQL, Database management, PHP, Final Cut Pro, iMovie, etc.