

## USING IPADS TO TEACH CHINESE

### PROGRAM SCHEDULE

FRIDAY 6 SEPTEMBER 2013, 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM

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In this workshop, teachers will learn a number of ways to use iPad in their lessons. In the morning session, three apps that are especially useful for increasing students' spoken Chinese, *Google Drive*, *Toontastic* and *Explain Everything*, will be presented. Teachers will explore these, working in groups to create speaking activities for their own students. Time permitting, additional story-telling apps, such as *ShowMe* and *CrazyTalk*, will also be introduced.

In the afternoon session, the focus will be on using the iPad to facilitate social learning. Teachers will first practice using the app and blog, *WordPress*, to engage in real-time conversations with other teachers. They will then explore ways to integrate social learning into writing and cultural learning activities in class. For example, teachers will practise how to combine *Comic Life* and *WordPress* in designing writing activities that will motivate students to write in Chinese and share their writings with others. Finally, a virtual badge collection game will be conducted, showing the benefits of using iPad games in Chinese learning.

在这个ICT 课程, 老师们将会了解如何在中文教学中有效利用iPad. 在课程上半部分, Jeremy Chen将阐述如何使用三个iPad应用软件, *Google Drive*, *Toontastic* 和 *Explain Everything*, 来激励学生说中文. 老师们将共同探讨并小组练习使用这些软件来设计针对他们自己学生的课堂口语活动. 在熟练掌握这三个软件的前提下, Jeremy还会介绍一些其它叙事类中文软件的使用, 比如说*ShowMe* 和 *CrazyTalk*. 课程下半部分的重点是使用iPad促进社会化学习. 老师们将首先练习使用*WordPress*与其他教师进行实时对话. 然后他们将探讨如何将社会学习理论融合到写作和文化教学中去. 比如说, 老师们将练习使用 *Comic Life*和*WordPress*设计写作活动以鼓励学生用中文写作并在网络上发表他们的作文. 最后, Jeremy将通过一个网络徽章游戏展示在中文教学中使用游戏的益处.

#### PRESENTER

##### JEREMY CHEN

Jeremy (Ching-Rui) Chen has an Engineering and IT background and is currently teaching Chinese, ICT and Maths at Alkira Secondary College. His expertise is in utilizing ICT applications to improve the outcome and effectiveness of Chinese Language Teaching and Learning. He's presented in ICT in Education Victoria 2012 and 2013 State Conference, and in 2013 MLTAV ICT webinars. Jeremy's blog for this workshop is [www.myteacher.id.au](http://www.myteacher.id.au) and his twitter @jeremy886.

#### LOCATION, FEES AND REGISTRATION

**LOCATION:** Melbourne Graduate School of Education, Room 214, 234 Queensberry Street, Carlton (Map Ref: U-17). Visit the Parkville campus map at:

[www.pcs.unimelb.edu.au/maps\\_and\\_locations/docs/Map\\_2012\\_rev29.pdf](http://www.pcs.unimelb.edu.au/maps_and_locations/docs/Map_2012_rev29.pdf)

**PARKING:** University Square Parking available (\$3.50/hr and a maximum of \$14.00/day). Metered parking is available in the surrounding streets.

**TRAM:** Closest tram stops are located at Elizabeth/Queensberry and Swanston/Queensberry. 234 is the north side of Queensberry Street between Leicester and Bouverie Streets.

**TO REGISTER:** Please complete the registration form on the next page and return to:

Chinese Teacher Training Centre  
Melbourne Graduate School of Education  
Level 8, 100 Leicester St  
The University of Melbourne VIC 3010

**COST:** \$120

**ENQUIRIES:** Please email [education-cttc-info@unimelb.edu.au](mailto:education-cttc-info@unimelb.edu.au) or phone (03) 8344 8534.

## Registration Form

### PERSONAL DETAILS

Please complete and tick boxes as appropriate.

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### FEES AND REGISTRATION

Registration fees include the cost of materials and are GST inclusive. Fees are due prior to the commencement of the session.

Full Day (2 sessions in total) \$120

### PAYMENT

Please select your payment method

☐ Cheque enclosed or following shortly (made payable to the University of Melbourne)

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