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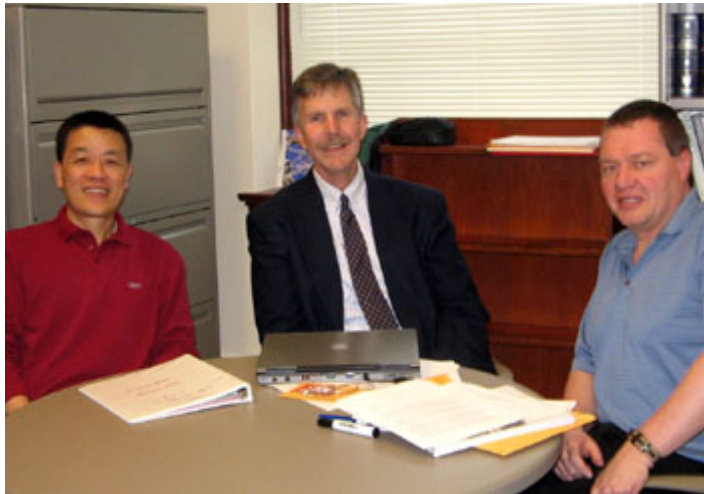
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LLC RECEIVES GRANT FOR CHINESE LANGUAGE CAMP



Camp administrators: UNH Chinese instructor Yige Wang and Profs Chris Reardon and Piero Garofalo.

From June 21-July 16, 2010 (Monday-Friday), the University of New Hampshire will offer Chinese Language Summer Camp, a four-week non-residential program sponsored by the Department of Literature, Languages, and Culture. Native-born Chinese teachers with experience teaching at the elementary and university levels will train 40 students in grades 4-12 who have little or no Chinese language preparation. Students will develop basic Mandarin Chinese language skills (listening, speaking, reading, and writing) with a focus on listening and reading. In addition to intensive language lessons, the \$400 tuition will finance meals, a pool pass, and daily cultural activities that will reinforce language learning and a greater appreciation of Chinese culture. Activities will include Chinese calligraphy, paper cutting, kite making and flying, Dragon dancing, martial arts, Chinese music

featuring instruments such as the *pipa* and *erhu*, ping-pong, Chinese cooking, and a field trip to a local site of Chinese culture. For more information, contact Professor Piero Garofalo (piero.garofalo@unh.edu), call 603.862.1690, or visit the UNH summer camp webpage at www.unh.edu/languages/startalk.

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