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CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University's School of Adult and Continuing Education will offer two courses in Chinese conversation this month.

The basic class will look at the Chinese culture, past and present, from a wide variety of perspectives. In addition, very basic conversational Chinese language instruction will be presented with the course beginning Tuesday, January 24. An intermediary class will begin Wednesday, January 25.

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Ms. Wailu Zhang, a visiting lecturer at Eastern, will teach both classes. She is an instructor in Scientific English at Northwestern Polytechnical University, Xian, China. As a visiting lecturer, she will teach Chinese and pursue studies in the field of educational psychology. The textbooks she will use were developed by the Beijing Language Institute, specifically for foreigners learning Chinese.

There will be 10 sessions for each course in Coleman Hall, Room 202, from 7 to 9 p.m. The fee for each class will be \$15 and additional information can be obtained by calling 581-5114.