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KEY DATES

25 Nov - Chinese e-commerce workshop (Advanced) 4 Jan - 2023 Summer Intensive starts

2023 TERM DATES

Summer Intensive: 4 Jan - 1Feb Term 1: 30 Jan - 6 Apr Term 2: 24 Apr - 4 Jul Term 3: 17 Jul - 22 Sep Term 4: 2 Oct - 12 Dec

MONTHLY EXPRESSIONS

1. 世界杯 shìjiè bēi - World Cup

e.g. 2022年世界杯是第二十二 届世界杯足球赛。The 2022 World Cup is the twentysecond Soccer World Cup.

2. 足球 zúqiú - soccer

e.g. 球迷们一边看足球比赛, 一边七嘴八舌地议论着。 Soccer fans chatted while watching soccer games.

3. 卡塔尔 Kǎtǎ'ěr - Qatar

e.g. 今年的世界杯比赛在卡塔 尔举行。This year's World Cup is held in Qatar.



2023 SUMMER INTENSIVE OPEN FOR ENROLMENTS

The enrolment of Summer Intensive course in 2023 is now open. Early bird discount is available! For more details, please click <u>here</u>. For course enquiries, trial lessons or a pre-enrollment proficiency assessment, please contact Ms Linlin Lu at <u>lilu@unimelb.edu.au</u> or call 9035 8204.

MARKETING THROUGH CHINESE E-COMMERCE PLATFORMS WORKSHOP

These workshops are designed to assist business people/local small businesses in better engaging with their Chinese partners, clients, and network as well as getting hands-on experience utilising several Chinese social media & e-commerce platforms. Group registrations and industry-tailored workshops are available. For registration of introductory sessions, please contact Ada Wang at ada.wang@unimelb.edu.au for more information. For the advanced session on 25 November, click here.

2022 VICTORIAN CHINESE LANGUAGE TEACHERS' CONFERENCE OPEN FOR REGISTRATION

The 2022 Victorian Chinese Language Teachers' Conference will be held on 9-10 December at the University of Melbourne. The theme of the conference is Chinese Language & Pedagogy — Perspectives on Chinese Teaching & Learning Abroad. At this conference, well-known experts and scholars from the United States, Britain, Canada, Australia and other western countries engaged in Chinese education, teaching and research will analyze the above topics and put forward their unique opinions. Click <u>here</u> for registration.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST | 2023 YEAR OF THE RABBIT CULTURAL WORKSHOPS

The Confucius Institute has proudly launched its Chinese New Year workshop series to celebrate the Year of the Rabbit. The workshops are designed to give attendees a taste of Chinese cultural traditions such as Dragon & Lion dance, shadow-puppet show, rabbit-themed handcrafting, dumpling making, traditional costume fitting, etc. Group booking only. Places are limited. Please contact Luna Tai at <u>luna.tai@unimelb.edu.au</u> for more information or expression of interest.