



2015 Virginia STARTALK Chinese Teacher Academy



The Department of East Asian Languages, Literatures and Cultures at the University of Virginia is pleased to announce its eighth annual teacher residential program in partnership with Virginia STARTALK Chinese Student Academy in the Hometown of the third US president, Thomas Jefferson.

DATES: July 8– July 24, 2015

LOCATION: University of Virginia (Charlottesville, Virginia)

PROGRAM FEATURES

- Earn up to five graduate credits in teaching Chinese as a foreign language
- Integrate technology & culture to create a blended learning model
- Receive intensive training and practicum experience
- Apply research-endorsed best practices to teaching
- Compile a comprehensive teaching E-portfolio
- Enjoy historic and cultural heritage at Thomas Jefferson's hometown

SCHOLARSHIP & PROGRAM FEE

Each teacher participant will receive a \$4,250 scholarship to cover academic costs of the program. A \$300 scholarship for other program costs will be assessed for each teacher participant.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Go to <http://tinyurl.com/2015UVaSTARTALK> to complete the online application by the deadline April 10, 2015. Scholarships are awarded based on rolling admission. Act now! Spots are filled up very fast.

FURTHER INFORMATION: Visit <http://www.virginia.edu/startalk> to learn more about the instructors and read about the experience of participants from previous years.

QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS: Send us an email at uva-startalk@virginia.edu for further questions.

Participants may choose to earn either 3 or 5 credits. The program will cover the tuition for 3 credits for all participants. Those interested in receiving the additional 2 credits may choose to do so at their own expense. Note that your scholarship will be used to pay academic program expenses and cannot be cashed or used for any other purposes.