Meiting Chen

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Education

Doctor of Philosophy; McGill University, Montreal, QC

Educational Psychology, Learning Sciences (Advisor: N. Hall)

Master of Education; McGill University, Montreal, QC

General Educational Psychology with project (Supervisor: Dr. M. L. Hoover)

Master of Literature; Nankai University, Tianjin, China

Comparative Literature and World Literature (Supervisor: Dr. X. F. Wang)

Bachelor of Literature; Nankai University, Tianjin, China

Chinese Language and Literature

Exchange Program; National Taiwan Normal University, Taipei, Taiwan

Chinese Language and Literature (Course credits applied to Bachelor of Literature)

Work Experience

Research

Member of Achievement, Motivation and Emotion (AME) Research Group 2021 – present

Dr. Nathan C. Hall, Dept. of Educational and Counselling Psychology, McGill University

*Conduct research, establish protocols and coding criteria

*Analyze data, make posters and write manuscripts

Member of Social-Cultural and Online Learning (SCOL) Research Group

2018 - 2021

Dr. Michael L. Hoover, Dept. of Educational and Counselling Psychology, McGill University

*Coordinate research investigating students' social learning in higher education

*Analyze data, disseminate information, and write scholarly reports

Research Assistant; Comparative Literature Research Group

2016 - 2018

Dr. Xufeng Wang, Dept. of Literature, Nankai University

*Worked on the research of English/Chinese comparative literature

*Managed projects and organized conferences and workshops

Teaching, Internships and Others

Consulting Editor 2021 – present

Little Crab Educational Press, Victoria BC, Canada

*Part-time

*Coordinated in editing a series of bilingual handwriting practice and vocabulary development workbooks for beginning learners of Mandarin and/or English

*Provided professional consultation on second language acquisition strategies to improve both the accuracy and practicability of the workbooks

English as second language Tutor

2019 - 2021

Institut SA, Montreal, QC

- *Part-time, two years
- *Instructed college students in strategies on English Exit Exam
- *Created lesson plans, provided writing models and format guide, and corrected compositions

Mandarin as second language Tutor

2019 - 2021

McGill College, Montreal, QC

- *Part-time, two years
- *Taught students of various ages and levels Mandarin as second language
- *Developed teaching plans and cooperative lessons, designed tests, and graded assignments

Mandarin Tutor 2019

McGill International Student Network, McGill University, Montreal, QC

- *Part-time, four months
- *Taught McGill students Mandarin as second language
- *Developed teaching plans, designed classroom activities and provided level assessments

Teaching Assistant 2019

Westmount Park Elementary School, Montreal, QC

- *Internship, four months
- *Assisted grade four teachers to develop teaching plans and classroom activities
- *Dealt with students with special needs (mainly ASD & ADHD)

English as second language Tutor

2018 - 2019

Story Trove Tutorial School, Tianjin, China

- *Part-time, one and a half years (nine months' remote lessons)
 - *Compiled teaching materials as well as developed class plans for toddlers and young teenagers
 - *Communicated with parents on kids' second language learning strategies

Chinese as second language Tutor

2017 - 2018

Go East Language Center, Shanghai, China

- *Full-time, one year
- *Taught students (of Fudan University) and business-men communicative Mandarin, developed teaching plans, designed tests, and graded assignments
- *Coordinated in building an evaluation system to assess students' level of language when they are preparing for HSK test

Mandarin and Chinese culture tutor

2017

Global Village Program, Dankook University, Incheon, Korea

- *Full-time, one month
- *Taught Chinese language and culture to Korean university Students (with English)
- *Designed the curriculum to target individual needs leveraging teaching aids, strategies and thematic units

English as second language tutor

2016 - 2017

High School English Teaching Group, New Oriental Tutorial School, Tianjin, China

- *Part-time, one and a half years
- *Instructed students with reading and writing skills; participated in developing teaching plans for the Chinese college entrance examination
 - *Encouraged and monitored a positive home-school relationship with students

Private Mandarin tutor of English Artist Nassrin Afnan

2016

Prince Kung's Palace Museum (PKPM), Tianjin, China

*Part-time, seven months

- *Tutored Nassrin Chinese culture and vocabulary in art
- * Assisted in translating her text of speeches at the museums and galleries

Lesson Designer & activity Organizer

2015 - 2016

Meiji Youwo Tutorial school, Tianjin, China

- *Part-time, five months
- *Designed plans and classroom activities of lessons taught by English native speakers for young teenagers
- *Hosted cultural activities (Halloween, Christmas etc.) to provide immersive language learning environments

Honors and Awards

Scholarships & Fellowships

McGill University Graduate Excellence Fellowship	2021 - 2023
Dept. of Educational and Counselling Psychology	CDN \$50,000
Pauline Smith Graduate Award	2021 - 2022
Dept. of Educational and Counselling Psychology	CDN \$13,734
McGill University Graduate Excellence Fellowship	2018 - 2019
Dept. of Educational and Counselling Psychology	CDN \$10,000
Nankai University Outstanding Student Cadre Award	2017
Dept. of Literature	<i>RMB ¥4,000</i>
Nankai University Excellent Graduate Award	2016
Dept. of Literature	<i>RMB ¥6,000</i>
China National Scholarship (nominated by Nankai University)	2014
Chinese National Ministry of Education	RMB ¥8,000
Nankai University Annual Undergraduate Excellence Fellowship *3	2012, 2013, 2015
Dept. of Literature	<i>RMB ¥14,000</i>

Studies & Travel

Nankai University Student Travel Award	2017
Office of International Affairs, "Global Village" Program	RMB ¥10,000

Manuscripts

Chen, M. T., & Hall, N. C. (in preparation). The SAS project: Motivation, Occupational Adjustment and Well-being in Post-secondary Faculty.

Conference Presentations

Chen, M. T., & Hall, N. C. (2022, April). *Motivation and Well-being in Post-secondary Faculty: An international and Immigration perspective*. Paper to be presented at the paper session of American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA.

Chen, M. T., & Hoover, M. L. (2021, April). *Collective Self-Esteem and Intercultural Engagement among Chinese and Canadian Students at Canadian Universities*. Paper presented virtually at the roundtable session of American Educational Research Association Annual Meeting.

Professional Development

Literature Review, Creating visuals for research Workshop

2021

Graphos, McGill University, Montreal, QC

*Writing workshop to develop graduate students' ability to conduct and present research appropriately

*Contents covered how to critically examine existing research literature and create visuals for manuscript preparation.

Methods and Statistics in Social Sciences Specialization Course

2020

Online learning on Coursera

- *Four months, Certificate of Completion
- *Course offered by University of Amsterdam and taught by Matthijs Rooduijn
- *Acquired knowledge of statistics application in general social science, qualitative and quantitative research design and the logic behind inferential statistics

French at Work Conversation Workshop

2019

French Language Centre, McGill University, Montreal, QC

*Two semesters participating in a series of French language workshop targeted at intermediate French learners

*Gained insights into the Francophone culture and applied practical conversations in the scenarios at work-place

Teaching English as Second Language (TESL) Workshop

2017

New Oriental Tutorial School, Tianjin, China

- *Four months, eight times, Certificate of Completion
- *Workshop focused on strategies and activities that fits Chinese teenagers to study English as second language
- *Involved in the simulated classroom activities, including creative writing, debating, fiction reading and oral presentations

Leadership and Service

Conference Submission Coordinator

2021 - 2022

EGSS Annual Conference, McGill University, Montreal, Canada

- *Attended conference committee meetings and participated in the ongoing visioning process
- *Recruited reviewers for submissions and created reviewer reports
- *Managed abstract submissions and conference applications

Representative of Literature Graduate Students' Society

2016 - 2018

Dept. of Literature, Nankai University, two years

Vice President of Postgraduate Student Union

2016 - 2017

Dept. of Literature, Nankai University, one year

Volunteer Experience

Conference receptionist and Amanuensis

2016 - 2018

Series of conferences of Dept. of Literature, Tianjin, China

*Participated in three graduate conferences, two undergraduate conferences and one professional training conference

*Hosted two of the conferences, and wrote reports on three of them

Contest Organizer and Amanuensis of report

2017

Chinese Traditional Culture Contest (Tianjin area contest), Tianjin, China

*Organized the contest as a field dispatcher

*Took charge of meals and accommodation of participants

Conference Receptionist

2016

CCTV "Chinese Poetry Conference", Tianjin, China

*Participated in a series of 4 conferences

*Acted as a hostess of the opening ceremony

*Involved in various tasks, including preparing meals and accommodations

Miscellaneous

Professional Affiliations:

* American Educational Research Association (AERA)

2020 - present

* Canadian Psychological Association (CPA)

2021 - present

Statistic Software: SPSS, ATLAS.ti, R

Other Software: Endnote, Zotero

Languages: Mandarin (native), English (advanced), French (intermediate)