

# Yanlian Zhang

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## Curriculum Vitae

### Academic Credentials

- M.A. Courses in Modern and Contemporary Chinese Literature, Hebei Normal University, China, 2002-2004
- M.A. Degree in Foreign Linguistics and Applied Linguistics, Jilin University, China, 1999-2002
- B.A. Degree in English Education, Hebei Normal University, China, 1988-1992
- Certificate of teaching foreigners Chinese (2016;2021)
- Teaching Certificate from EUC Nord, Denmark (August, 2014-- October, 2014)
- Certificate in Intensive Training Program in Advanced English and American Education, University of Missouri, USA. (September, 2003—December,2003)
- Certificate in “Putonghua” (Mandarin), Level 1 (2003)

### Work Experience

#### Teaching:

- Presently teaching 2nd year and 3rd year Chinese majors (*Cinese per gli Italiani*) in the Department of Languages, Literature and Cultures, the University of Bologna, Italy(2016—2023)
- Taught A-level English and Chinese at EUC Nord—Business and Technical College of Northern Denmark from August to October 2014
- Taught English-majors at Hebei Normal University of Science & Technology(2002—2016); the subjects taught include intensive reading, listening, translation, Chinese culture, European culture, British and American literature
- Taught the English-Chinese translation course to undergraduates at Jilin University (1999-2002)
- Taught undergraduates college English in Hebei Vocational & Technical Teachers College (1992-1998)

## Administrative Duties:

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- Dean of Department of Arts & Humanities, Hebei Normal University of Science & Technology(2008–2016)
- Vice-dean of Foreign Languages Department, Hebei Normal University of Science & Technology(2004–2008)
- Director of English-major section of Foreign Languages Department of Hebei Normal University of Science & Technology (2003–2004)

## Journal Work:

- Worked as the English Editor of the Journal of Hebei Normal University of Science & Technology (2002–2007)
- Worked as the English Editor of Journal of Hebei Vocational & Technical Teachers College (1996–1998)

## Publications:

5 English textbooks for Chinese college students, 1 translation book for poetry; 17 papers as the 1st author; and another 16 papers as the 2nd or 3rd author in both Chinese and English. A few books and papers are listed below:

- Translator of the poet Li Cheng'en' collection of short poems-- *Light*, Blurb, U.S., February, 2023
- Associate editor, *An Introduction to Sociolinguistics*, China Agricultural Science and Technology Press, Beijing, China, June, 2010
- Compiled jointly (1<sup>st</sup> author) *Pure Oral English*, National Defense Industry Press, Beijing, China, April, 2008
- Compiled jointly (2<sup>nd</sup> author) *English for Computer Science and Technology*, Foreign Language Teaching and Research Press, Beijing, China, January, 2002.
- Empirical Research on English-major Students' Bi-Cultural Ability Training Model, *Master*, 2010(2), 1<sup>st</sup> author
- The Tragic Fate of the Heroines in Bartheleme's *Snow White* and Liu Zhenwei's *A Chinese Odyssey*, Movie Review, 2007(24), 1<sup>st</sup> author
- Design and Study of Shadow net-based Bi-Cultural Communication Mode, *Teaching English in China*, 2007(5), 1<sup>st</sup> author

- Pre-Service Teacher Epistemic Beliefs and Culture, *Academic Exchange<sup>3</sup> Quarterly*, December, 2005, USA, 3<sup>rd</sup> author

## Awards

- Certificate of Merit for supervising the 2nd-prize winners of Chinese Bridge competition in Italy and San Marino (2022; 2017)
- Excellent Teacher award by Hanban (2017)
- “Teaching backbone” award by Hebei Normal University of Science & Technology (2015; 2013; 2012; 2010)
- “Excellent Teaching” award at Hebei Normal University of Science & Technology (2012; 2010; 2005)
- “Excellent Teacher” award by Qinhuangdao municipal government (2004)
- “New Teaching Star” award at Hebei Vocational & Technical Teachers College (1997)