



## **Agenda programme board for Chinese Studies**

Date: Monday 5 February 2024

Time: 12.15-13.30

Place: seminar room 371, HF building

Invited: Shouhui Zhao, Guowen Shang, Jens Karlsson, Celina Kolltveit (student representative), Marit Skaatan (admin)

### **Agenda**

#### **1/24 Approval of agenda**

*Approved*

#### **2/24 Approval of previous minutes**

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#### **Discussion items:**

#### **3/24 Teaching in the previous and current semesters**

**KIN103 and KIN100:** Didn't receive any complaints

#### **KIN101**

Shouhui taught the first part of the course. 40 registered students, 1 withdrawal. It would be ideal to split the KIN101 course into two classes, but we do not have the budget or teaching resources.

Fagutvalget hosts events in collaboration with the Chinese exchange students and would like first-year students to come. Next upcoming event: Chinese New Year 21 February

#### **4/24 Chongqing Immersion programme: 5 ECTS for participating students**

The Chinese section wishes that the students receive 5 ECTS for participating in the immersion programme. Guowen will discuss this with the administrative head of studies (Deirdre).

#### **5/24 Internationalization semester in the Chinese programme structure**

The Chinese section wants the students to learn Chinese in China in the third year of the BA degree. Internationalization should entail Chinese courses for at least one semester – at least 30 ECTS. The programme board identified two different approaches:

Model 1: Århus University collaborates with the University of Oslo for an exchange agreement with Peking University. All the students go for a fixed programme.

Model 2: The approach used by UiB's Japanese programme. They integrate mandatory exchange studies into the programme structure.

#### **6/24 Offer a new MA course in advanced Chinese**

The MA programme currently includes no Chinese language courses. The programme board thus wants to include a new elective course. Marit recommends that the teachers meet with the department head and head of administration to discuss the current and future capacity, workload, and 'arbeidstidsregnskap' before proceeding with further planning.