## Spring 2016 **Online** Chinese Course

## FL100A.950 Conversational Chinese for Beginners



- ✤ An online course for students with little or no previous background in Chinese.
- Focus on daily conversation and topics needed when one first visits a Chinesespeaking community.
- \* Focus on listening, speaking, and grammar of Mandarin Chinese
- This course fulfills the CoLA Foreign Language requirement, when taken with 100B. It also fulfills the requirement for a minor in East Asian Civilization.

Do you want to speak Chinese for business or travel needs but are intimidated by Chinese characters? FL100A Conversational Chinese for Beginners is the right course for you. Using the Romanization system for the pronunciation of Chinese characters, this online course focuses on the development of basic skills in listening, speaking, and grammar of Mandarin. The lessons are designed for those who want to learn to communicate in day-to-day Chinese. China is the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest economy in the world, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> most widely spoken language after English. Learn Chinese today to improve your job prospects in the government and many businesses.

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