For more than half a century, Beijing Language and Culture University (BLCU), located at the heart of Beijing’s higher education hub, has always been a leading liberal arts university in China with 12,000 students from all over the world in undergraduate, graduate and language training programs.

BLCU is home to advanced research and teaching in languages, cultures, arts and social sciences. From teaching Chinese language to speakers of other languages to international politics and business, BLCU brings ideas and brilliant minds together, inspiring global communications and exchanges with real impact today and in the future.

As home to world’s largest Chinese language program for international students, BLCU has trained about 200,000 international students from 183 countries and regions since its founding in 1962. BLCU embraces its connections to the world and encourages partnerships in language teaching and culture promotion. With overseas education centres and academic partnerships spanning the globe, BLCU is shaping the future of the world.
ALUMNI ALL OVER THE WORLD
BLCU boasts eight disciplines including literature, economics, law, engineering, history, education, management and art. BLCU now has one post-doctoral research station, 16 Ph.D. programs, 33 master degree programs, and 30 undergraduate programs. Among these programs, there is one national key discipline and ten Beijing key disciplines.
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

4 years, for both Chinese and international students

- English
- French
- German
- Italian
- Portuguese
- Spanish
- Russian
- Arabic
- Turkish
- Japanese
- Korean
- Translation (Korean-English/ English-Korean)

International Politics
Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language
Chinese Language and Literature
Journalism
International Affairs and International Relations
Human Resource Management
Accountancy
International Economics and Trade
Computer Science and Technology
Information Management and Information System
Digital Media Technology
Musicology (International education and communication of music)
Chinese Painting
Calligraphy
Special Education (speech and audition science)

Chinese Language
- Chinese Language
- Business Chinese
- Chinese/English Bilingual Studies
- Korean-Chinese Translation

Main Courses:
- Chinese Language Skills
  - Comprehensive Chinese
  - Chinese Listening
  - Chinese Speaking
  - Chinese Reading
  - Chinese Writing
  - Chinese Pronunciation and Dictation
  - Reading and Writing Chinese Characters
  - Basic Journalistic Chinese
  - Audio-Visual Chinese News

Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages
- Advanced Comprehensive Chinese
- Seminar Topics in Chinese Culture
- Modern Chinese Vocabulary
- Modern Chinese Grammar
- Chinese Language Teaching: Theory and Practice
- Chinese Cultural Experience
- Modern Chinese Rhetoric
- Teaching Chinese Pronunciation and Characters
- Teaching Chinese Vocabulary and Grammar

Select Courses:
- Modern Mandarin Chinese Pronunciation
- Introduction to Modern Chinese Characters
- Chinese Words and Names
- Selected Chinese Folktales
- Business Chinese Reading
- Selected Reading of Economic Review
- Economic Laws: Principles and Practice
- Introduction to the Global Economy
- English Lectures on Chinese Culture
- Chinese Art History
- Topics on Modern China
- Pan Asian Students’ Typical Chinese Economic Problems
- Computer Applications
- Tai Chi Chuan (Traditional Chinese Movement)
- Calligraphy
- Language Practical

Chinese Studies
- Chinese History
- Chinese picture Geography
- Facts about Modern China
- Chinese Literature
- Chinese Philosophy
- History of Cultural Exchange between China and other Countries
- Selected Readings of Advocates of Confucianism
- Chinese Folk Culture
- Chinese Film Appreciation

Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages

Business Chinese
- Comprehensive Business Chinese
- Business Negotiation in Chinese
- Business Communication in Chinese
- Practice of International Trade
- Practical Business Writing in Chinese
- Chinese Foreign Trade
- Principles of Economics
- Contemporary Chinese Economy
- Economic Research

Bilingual Studies and Translation
- English-Chinese Translation
- Korean-Chinese Translation and Interpreting
- Korean-Chinese Simultaneous Interpretation
- Russian-Chinese Translation
- Advanced Comprehensive English
- English Listening and Speaking

Chinese Philology and Language Studies
- Chinese Philosophy
- Chinese Dialectology
- Chinese Etymology
- Chinese Semantics
- Chinese Syntax
- Modern Chinese Syntax
- Modern Chinese Grammar
- Modern Chinese Vocabulary
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Chinese Classical Textual Philology
- Chinese Literature in Pre-Qin and Han Dynasties
- Chinese Literature in Wei, Jin, and Six Dynasties
- Chinese Literature in Tang and Song Dynasties
- Chinese Literature in Yuan, Ming and Qing Dynasties
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- Studies of Chinese Ancient Civilization Dynamics

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Linguistics and Applied Linguistics
- Theoretical Linguistics
- Sociolinguistics and Language Use
- Second Language Acquisition Studies
- Language Teaching
- Teaching Chinese as a Foreign Language
- Linguistic Geography
- Language Information Processing Grammar
- Lexical Semantics
- Computer-assisted Language Learning

Languages and Literature of Chinese Minority
- Chinese Historical History
- History of Cultural Exchange between China and Other Countries
- Chinese Art History
- History of Chinese Civilization

GRADUATE PROGRAMS

2-3 years(Note: programs with * are 2 years programs.)

International Politics
- International Studies
- China’s Diplomatic and Foreign Relations
- Contemporary International Relations
- Studies on Russian and Central Asian Affairs
- Studies on International Organizations
- International Economics and Trade (taught in English)

Chinese Philology and Language Studies
- Chinese Philosophy
- Chinese Dialectology
- Chinese Etymology
- Chinese Semantics
- Chinese Syntax
- Modern Chinese Syntax
- Modern Chinese Grammar
- Modern Chinese Vocabulary
- Chinese Language Teaching: Theory and Practice
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*Language Policy and Language Planning
- No divisional direction

Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages

Note: The aforementioned courses are offered to students of all programs and majors.

*Teaching Chinese to Speakers of Other Languages

2023-2024
GRADUATE PROGRAMS

2-3 years (Note: programs with * are 2 years programs.)

PHD PROGRAMS

3 years

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

2 years
NON-DEGREE TRAINING PROGRAMS

01 Short-term Regular Chinese Language Training Programs
one semester or less

| Level (Beginner) | Comprehensive    | Listening    | Practical Chinese |
| Level (Elementary) | Comprehensive    | Listening    | Practical Chinese |
| Level (Pre-intermediate) | Comprehensive    | Listening    | Practical Chinese |
| Level (Intermediate) | Comprehensive    | Listening    | Practical Chinese |
| Level (Advanced) | Comprehensive    | Listening    | Practical Chinese |

Note: Group application only

Language and Cultural Studies

one or two years

02 Short-term Intensive Chinese Language Training Programs
one semester or less

| Level (Beginner) | Comprehensive    | Speaking    | Listening    | Reading    |
| Level (Elementary) | Comprehensive    | Speaking    | Listening    | Reading    |
| Level (Pre-intermediate) | Comprehensive    | Speaking    | Listening    | Reading    |
| Level (Intermediate) | Comprehensive    | Speaking    | Listening    | Reading    |

03 Regular Chinese Language Program
one or two years

04 Preparatory Education
one year

05 Advanced Research Program
one or two years

06 Short-term Program for Chinese Language and Cultural Studies
group application only

Programs

- Business Chinese – Comprehensive Course/Extensive Reading
- Preparatory Mathematics

- Specialized Chinese – Comprehensive/Listening and Speaking/Reading and Writing

- Elementary Chinese: Learning and Practice
- Elementary Chinese: Intensive Practice
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Other Countries, Chinese Calligraphy, Chinese Painting, Chinese Martial Art.

- Chinese Reading, Introduction to Classical Chinese, Contemporary Literature and Facts about Modern China are available for Level E/F students.
- Allusions in Historical Stories, Chinese Film Appreciation, and HSK Test Preparation and Practice are available for Level D students; Advanced Business Chinese Reading, Business Writing, Business Chinese Idioms, Advanced Business Chinese Textbooks are available for Level C/D students.

Candidates can choose subjects offered in the Masters and PhD programs and conduct specialized researches.

Based on the needs of learners and duration of studies, the following courses can be arranged in a customized curriculum. Courses include: Chinese Language, Chinese History, Chinese Philosophy, History of Chinese Literature, Chinese Theatre Arts, Chinese Folk Customs, Chinese Contemporary Literature, Travel to China, Survey of Chinese Society, Classical Musicology, Chinese Garden Architecture, Cultural Exchange between China and Other Countries, Chinese Calligraphy, Chinese Painting, Chinese Martial Art.
ELIGIBILITY

1. College Certificate Program
   Applicant should be a senior high school graduate or with equivalent schooling in the age bracket of 18-50.

2. B.A. Program
   Applicant should be a senior high school graduate or with equivalent schooling in the age bracket of 18-50. HSK 5 is required for programs designed for both international students and Chinese students.

3. M.A. Program
   Applicant should be under 40 years old and have acquired a Bachelor’s degree or evidence of its equivalent. HSK Level 5 certificate is required.

4. Ph.D. Program
   Applicant should be under 45 years old, and have a Master’s degree or equivalent. HSK Level 6 certificate is required.

5. Advanced Visiting Scholar Program
   The applicant should be under 50 years old and have a Master’s degree or equivalent, with the goal of pursuing further research in a specialized subject.

6. Refresher Program (1 or 2 years)
   The applicant should have finished at least two years of university education or equivalent schooling and be in the age bracket of 18-50.

7. Language Learners Program
   The applicant should be a senior high school graduate in the age bracket of 18-50.

8. Short Term Refresher Program
   The applicant should be a senior high school graduate in the age bracket of 18-60.

9. Teachers Training Program
   The applicant should have a B.A. degree, and be currently teaching or intending to teach Chinese as a second language.

For more information, please go to the official website of BLCU: http://admission.blcu.edu.cn.
BLCU has adopted a flexible credits system. Undergraduate students majoring in Chinese Language are allowed to choose a second degree (or major), e.g. International Economics and Trade, after two years of study. As long as they complete the required credits, they will earn double degrees or double majors.

BLCU has formed partnership with more than 321 universities and educational institutes of 58 countries, and has co-established joint programs with over 50 universities from around 20 countries including US, UK, France, Germany, Spain, Australia, Netherland, Japan and South Korea. This partnership makes it possible for the degree students to go to the third country to study relevant courses and earn transferable credits. BLCU organizes various Study Abroad programs during summer and winter holidays. These programs provide all the students with an opportunity to study in famous universities and colleges in US, UK, Italy, Japan, South Korea, Malaysia, and other countries, and experience their diversified cultures.

BLCU has co-founded 18 Confucius Institutes and a Confucius Classroom around the world, and established three overseas Chinese language centers in Japan, South Korea and Thailand respectively. These overseas institutions offer not only Chinese language courses to local students, but also various kinds of scholarships supporting the students to come to BLCU for further study.

Field trip is an important part of BLCU curriculum for international students, through which students can have a better understanding of China and its colorful and diversified cultures. Some of the most popular destinations are Gengma Autonomous County of Dai and Wa ethnic minorities in South China’s Yunnan province, National Museum of Chinese Writing, Chenjiagou, the birthplace of Tai-chi, LaoShe Teahouse, Geely Auto Company, Yuan Lengping Rice Research Institute and “Project Hope” primary schools in Sichuan province. Besides, BLCU has several language training and practicing programs with institutions in Beijing and other cities, such as Guild Hall of Hunan and Guangxi Province, and Language Museum in Anyang City.

Thanks to the close relationship with Embassies, MNCs, Confucius Institutes and other platforms, BLCU is able to offer its students, via its career center and on-line job information platform, a large number of internship opportunities in TV stations, publishing houses, exhibition companies, as well as primary and secondary schools. Those opportunities cover jobs in the area of language teaching, finance and banking, IT, media, translation, and tourism.
BLCU is located in Zhongguancun Science and Technology Park, covering an area of 38 hectares and boasting a quiet and comfortable garden-like environment.

The university is fully equipped with advanced teaching facilities. All the classrooms are air-conditioned and installed with infrared listening systems and multimedia devices. Language labs, sound labs, multi-functional classrooms and simultaneous interpretation classrooms are all available for students’ use.

Students’ dorms on-campus are clean and tidy, offering several types of single room and twin room to international students. The newly-constructed building complex has an auditorium which can hold up to 1,000 people. Students have access to a wide variety of diets on campus, such as Chinese, western, Japanese, Korean, Southeast Asian, and Muslim (halal) food.

There are a range of sport venues including a football field, basketball courts, volleyball courts and tennis courts. The sports center contains an indoor swimming pool, several badminton courts, ping-pong rooms, bowling rooms and a fitness center.

Health center, ICBC branch, post office, supermarkets, laundry stores can also be found on campus.

BLCU is at the hub of Wudaokou district. It is closely connected to other parts of the city by subway Line 13 and Line 15, and Bus 307, 311, 331, 375, 429, 508, 562, 86. A taxi ride from the University to Beijing Capital International Airport only takes about 50 minutes.
## ACCOMMODATION

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<td>Single room</td>
<td>145—150</td>
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<td>75—80</td>
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<td>Double room</td>
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<td>Standard Single Room</td>
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<td>Luxury Double Room</td>
<td>358-458 RMB/day</td>
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## ENROLLMENT PROCEDURE

1. **Submit Application Documents**
2. **Application Reviewed**
3. **Receive "Admission Notice" and "Visa Application Form for Study in China"**
4. **Go to Chinese Embassy for Visa**
5. **Book Accommodation**
6. **Register at BLCU**

There are **3** ways to apply for programs in BLCU:

1. Applying online [http://admission.blcu.edu.cn].
2. Visiting the international student admissions office to hand in the required materials in Office 101, South Wing of the Main Building.
3. E-mailing the application forms to the international student admissions office. See “contact us” for more information about our e-mails.

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Tel:0086-10-82303300/82303752
E-mail: zhusu1@blcu.edu.cn

**Conference Centre (Hotel-style rooms)**
Tel:0086-10-82303778,
E-mail: hyzx2002@blcu.edu.cn
**TUITION**
(COST OF TEXTBOOKS COVERED)

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<td>Study Tour in Beijing</td>
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**Training Programs for Teachers**

| 4-week Program                  | 3800 | Please check our official website |

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