**Curriculum Vitae**

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**Education**

* University of Southern California, Los Angeles CA. MA: Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures, emphasis in Chinese Literature. In progress. 2008- (expected August 2010).
* National Taiwan University, Taipei TW. International Chinese Language Program summer program. 2009.
* National Taiwan Normal University, Taipei TW. Mandarin Training Center. 2006-2008.
* Pasadena City College, Pasadena CA. Courses in Mandarin. 2005-2006.
* University of East Anglia, Norwich UK. Occidental College Study Abroad Program, Fall Semester 2003.
* Occidental College, Los Angeles CA. BA: Art History and Visual Arts, Minor: Asian Studies. 2001-2005.

**Teaching Experience**

University of Southern California

Teacher’s Assistant:

* Fall 2008, Fall 2009 “East Asian Humanities: The Great Tradition” (EALC 110). Professor George Hayden.
* Spring 2009, Spring 2010 “East Asian Ethical Thought” (EALC 130) Professor Bettine Birge.

**Awards and Recognition**

* Foreign Language and Area Studies fellowship, Summer 2009.
* 12-month Mandarin Enrichment Scholarship from Taiwan Ministry of Education, 2006-2007.
* Graduated *cum laude*, Occidental College, May 2005.

**Presentations**

* “Inspecting the City: Representation of the City in the Detective Fiction of Raymond Chandler and Qiu Xiaolong.” Conference: “Exploring Intellectual Spaces in East Asia.” Graduate Conference, Department of East Asian Studies, University of Toronto. March 14th, 2009.
* “The Many Voices of the *Lan Ting* Poems: Poetic Performance and Identity in the Eastern Jin.” Conference: 19th Annual Graduate Student Conference on East Asia, Columbia University. February 6, 2010,

**Other Work Experience**

* Proofreader: Liu Yi English, Taipei, Taiwan. Proofread and graded English compositions and translations written by high school students preparing for TOEFL test, edited English tests. 8/07-5/08
* Campground Ranger: Tuolumne Meadows Campground/Tioga Pass Entrance Station, Yosemite National Park, California. Greeted and assisted national park visitors at entrance station, worked in campground aiding and monitoring campers. 6/06-9/06
* Film Critic: LA Alternative (no longer in print). Los Angeles, CA. Frequently contributed film reviews to weekly newspaper, attended press screenings, occasionally interviewed actors and directors. 12/05-5/06
* Student Technology Assistant Supervisor: Faculty and Staff Medialab, Occidental College. Los Angeles, CA. Assisted/supervised STA’s, participated in training workshops for faculty members, developed training material, continued development of software and web-design skills. 9/04-5/05
* Editorial Intern: Flaunt Magazine. Los Angeles, CA. Edited copy for articles, wrote book reviews published in several issues (8/04-1/05) of nationally distributed magazine, received byline for interviews of artists Diane Thorneycroft (published 8/04) and Mark Ryden (published 1/05). 6/04-9/04