

Dear Colleagues, Dear Students,

Warm Greetings from Salzburg University!

I hope this message finds you safe and healthy!

Please allow me to briefly introduce myself: my name is Judith Suchanek and I am the director of the Chinese Studies Center at the University of Salzburg in Austria.

The Chinese Studies Center at the University of Salzburg was founded in 1999 with the aim of deepening cultural relations between Austria and China, in particular between the University of Salzburg and Chinese universities or other educational institutions in China, as well as to support scientific cooperation and projects. Besides activities and programs such as language courses, summer schools, a lecture series, the Agorá, and intercultural briefings, the Chinese Studies Center aims, by means of ancillary cultural activities, at fostering a mutual understanding between the people of East Asia and Europe as well as building a bridge between these cultures.

Since the year 2002, the Chinese Studies Center of the Paris-Lodron-University of Salzburg (PLUS) in cooperation with the Eurasia-Pacific Uninet (EPU) has annually been organizing the **Chinese-Austrian-EU Summer School**.

This year, due to the worldwide pandemic situation, we have decided to organize an **online version of our Chinese-Austrian-EU Summer School**. This Summer School includes for the **first time all countries of the EU** in the program and focuses on the following main topics:

- **History, politics and philosophy**
- **Country and culture specific topics: history of art, music, literature and folk tradition**
- **Economy and the relationship of the respective country to China**

**Duration: 12.07.2021 - 06.08.2021    Costs: 500,- Euro**

As there are places left, we are now also **opening our Summer School** for the students of our Erasmus partner universities.

We are convinced that it might be very interesting for the students to have an exchange with Chinese students and students from other countries.

For detailed information, please find the announcement of the Summer School under [this link](#).

We sincerely hope that this offer might meet your interest and the interest of your students.

It would be very much appreciated if you could forward this information to your students.

The students can use the following link for the online application: <https://applications.sbg.ac.at/summerschool>

The application deadline is the **31<sup>st</sup> of May 2021**.

Please do not hesitate to contact us, if you have any questions!

Yours sincerely,

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