

## KK-KII310 Media Chinese (2cr)

<b>Starting Level</b>	B1
<b>Time</b>	Mon 18.15-19.45, 17.1-2.5.2022
<b>Venue</b>	Unioninkatu 38A 118
<b>Target group</b>	Students on CEFR levels B1. Students of all programmes and faculties, students in the flexible study rights scheme (JOO), international students, non-university learners. People who are interested in Chinese media and modern China. Partially fulfils the foreign language requirement in the degree.
<b>Prerequisites</b>	Starting level approximately CEFR B1 (higher). Have finished HSK5 learning, completed KK-KII304 Advanced Chinese 4 as example; or have completed 3 years Chinese learning at least. If you are uncertain about your <a href="#">CEFR level</a> , contact the teacher before signing up.
<b>Learning outcomes</b>	<p>After completing the course, students are expected to be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>♦ read, watch and listen to basic media publications and programs with greater ease;</li> <li>♦ develop the ability to summarize, orally or in writing, what they have watched, listened to or read;</li> <li>♦ express their own opinions about various issues more fluently and accurately, with greater vocabulary and more complex structures ;</li> <li>♦ gain a better understanding of Chinese society, culture, and politics through Chinese media.</li> </ul>
<b>Course completion methods</b>	<p>This is a contact learning course with 28 hours and 26 hours independent work. To complete the course at least 75% active participation in the course and completion of the agreed tasks by the deadline is required.</p> <p>Exam (in the forms oral presentation &amp; written essay) 50%; Class attendance &amp; participation 30%; Assignment 20%.</p>
<b>Course content</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>♦ A range of topics on China's political, economic, and social issues;</li> <li>♦ The formal vocabulary and grammatical structures commonly used in Chinese media;</li> <li>♦ Some of the major issues facing modern China</li> </ul>
<b>Study materials</b>	Authentic audiovisual and print materials from different media sources, books and magazines.
<b>Activities and teaching methods in support of learning</b>	Lectures, presentations, peer meeting and other task-based activities, such as videos making, interviews.

<b>Assessment practices and criteria, grading scale</b>	<p>Assessment is based on the aspects mentioned under the course learning outcomes and consists of assignments, participation and performance in classroom activities, presentation and final exam.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. At least 75% class attendance is required.</li> <li>2. Complete the homework at the required time.</li> <li>3. Pass the exams of the course.</li> </ol> <p>The course is graded as pass/fail.</p>
<b>Teaching language</b>	Chinese (and English when necessary)
<b>Teacher of the course</b>	Ms. CHENG Xue xue.cheng@helsinki.fi
<b>Course fee</b>	99,20e (including VAT) for non-university students University students: no course fee
<b>More information</b>	<a href="http://www.helsinki.fi/confucius/studyandresearch/courses">http://www.helsinki.fi/confucius/studyandresearch/courses</a>

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