**Schedule for BCLTS Easter Seminar**

**14th – 15th April 2014**

**Room A18**

**Si Yuan Centre, the University of Nottingham,**

**NG9 1BB Nottingham**

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| **Date** | **Time** | **Topics** | **Contributor** | **Chair** |
| 14th April | 14:00-14:10 | Welcoming speech | Dr Jian Chen, Deputy-director of Nottingham Confucius Institute. | Yang Lu |
|  | 14:10-15:20 | Round-table discussion: existing and pressing issues for teaching and assessing Mandarin Chinese in U.K. HE based on commonly recognised standards (标准共识) for different levels across institutions. | All (each institution introduces its practice) | Linda Li |
|  | 15:15-15:30 | Coffee break |  |  |
|  | 15:30-17:30 | Group discussion followed by presentation: possible solutions for those problems and issues for different courses such as honours, joint honours, minor; credit and non-credit courses or modules. | Presentations by all groups on标准共识 | Group Chair TBC  Chair Linda Li |
|  | 18:00-20:00 | Dinner in Mr Man |  |  |
| 15th April |  | Sessions include brain storming, discussion, presentation or demos of lesson and conclusion by chair. |  |  |
|  | 09:00-10:00 | Teaching grammar | Presentation by Qiao Yang | Yang Lu |
|  | 10:00-11:00 | Teaching listening and speaking | Presentation by Minjie | Minjie Xing |
|  | 11:00-11:20 | Coffee break |  |  |
|  | 11:20-12:20 | Teaching characters and writing | Presentation by Wendy | Wendy Che |
|  | 12:20-13:00 | Teaching class of mixed abilities | Presentation by Zhiyan | Weiqun Wang |
|  | 13:00-14:00 | lunch |  |  |
|  | 14:00-14:40 | Teaching translation | Presentation by Binghan | Binghan Zheng |
|  | 14:40-16:00 | Assessing reading, writing, speaking, listening and translation | Presentation by Lianyi | Lianyi Song |
|  | 16:00-16:20 | Conclusion and coffee |  | Binghan Zheng |