

The United Board Visiting Scholars Program

Once again this year the United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia is sponsoring a program to enable highly-qualified and experienced scholars from Board-related academic institutions in Asia to be in residence at ASIANetwork member institutions in North America for one academic year.

The program provides educational opportunities for senior Asian scholars in the humanities and social sciences who have been nominated by their colleges and universities. Scholars possess the necessary English language skills to be an integral part of academic communities in North America. While at the host North American institution, the Asian scholars concentrate primarily on further study in their academic disciplines through research, auditing classes and semi-weekly conversations with North American counterparts who have similar interests. There should also be opportunities for the visiting scholars to deliver occasional lectures, give presentations in the community and become broadly involved in North American academic life.

Under the Visiting Scholars Program most of the expenses are met by the United Board, but host colleges are asked to furnish housing for the Asian guests. In previous years, a large number of ASIANetwork member colleges have successfully hosted United Board sponsored scholars. Below is a list of the Visiting Scholar candidates for the 2000-2001 academic year. If your college is interested in pursuing the possibility of being a host school, please contact the United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia, 475 Riverside Drive, Room 1221, New York, New York 10115, telephone (212) 870-2608, fax (212)870-2322.

UNITED BOARD FOR CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION IN ASIA VISITING SCHOLARS 2000-2001

CHINA

Ms. BAO Linhong
Central China Normal University
Applied Linguistics/Discourse Analysis

Mr. CHEN Aimin
Nanjing Normal University
British and American Drama

Ms. DI Yanhua
Northeast Normal University
Applied Linguistics

Mr. LIU Bing
Beijing Foreign Studies University
Cross-cultural Communication

Ms. LU Liping
Fudan University
Applied Linguistics/TEFL

Mr. SONG Qinghua
Sichuan University
Applied Linguistics/Language and Culture

Ms. YANG Yuchen
Northeast Normal University
Applied Linguistics/TEFL

INDIA

Dr. Charles Suresh DAVID
Madras Christian College
Commerce

Mr. Rajarathinam KALIDASAN
American College
Literature, American Feminist Literature

Mrs. Pamela MOHANDOSS
Lady Doak College
Women's Studies and Eco-feminism

Dr. (Ms.) Ridling Margaret WALLER
Women's Christian College
Ecology, Bio-technology, Women's Issues and Counseling

INDONESIA

Dr. (Mr.) Jusuf IBRAHIM
Petra Christian University
English, Socio-linguistics

Mr. Arie SISWANTO
Satya Wacana Christian University
International Law and Human Rights

THAILAND

Dr. (Mr.) Narong PRACHADETSUWAT
Payap University
Counseling, Psychology Research Development

VIETNAM

Ms. Cao Thi Tuong MINH
College of Foreign Languages
TESOL, American Studies