

# 新英格兰地区中文教师协会 第十三届年会暨中文教学国际会议

The 13<sup>th</sup> NECLTA Annual International Conference on Learning and Teaching Chinese Language and Culture

### **Voice of Identity:**

Language, Culture, and Perspectives in a Changing World 身份之声:变化世界中的语言、文化与视角



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Saturday, October 5th, 2024
Tufts University, Medford, MA 02155

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### **Welcome Letter from the NECLTA President**

Dear NECLTA members and friends,

As we gather for the 13th Annual Conference of the New England Chinese Language Teachers Association, it is my great pleasure to extend to you the warmest of welcomes. As we gather today under the banner of this year's conference theme, "Voice of Identity: Language, culture, and Perspectives in a Changing World," we reflect on how language shapes our sense of identity and allows us to engage with different perspectives across diverse cultural contexts. In a world that is increasingly interconnected and yet marked by shifting social dynamics, our roles as language educators have become more crucial than ever. We are the custodians of linguistic and cultural narratives that help students navigate and express their identities within this evolving landscape.

This year, we are proud to have accepted forty-eight individual papers and three panels from scholars around the world. Given the growing interest in sustainable development of the Chinese language programs and applying AI technology to language education, the conference committee has organized three special roundtables focusing on the advancement of K-12 Chinese programs, effective teacher training models, and the opportunities and challenges of integrating AI into Chinese language instruction. We are also very fortunate and honored to have with us Professor Agnes He from Stony Brook University delivering the keynote speech titled "Language Educators: A Beacon of Hope for Humanity and the Humanities." Our conference will indeed offer a dynamic platform for sharing ideas on the evolving role of language education in our rapidly evolving world.

Since its establishment in 2012, NECLTA's mission has always been to advance the teaching of Chinese language and culture at all educational levels and to support Chinese language teachers through opportunities for professional development and the exchange of experiences and ideas. With great pride, I can share that our community has continued to grow considerably, even in the face of post pandemic challenges. By the end of 2023, our membership reached 198, with 40% working in K-12 schools and 45% in higher education—a 40% increase from the previous year!

Over the past twelve months, we have continued our commitment to professional development. In May 2024, we hosted a special workshop on diversity and inclusion, "Challenges and Possibilities for Anti-racism through Chinese Language Teaching in K-12 Schools" led by Prof. Wenhao Diao from University of Arizona. We also collaborated with China Institute and coorganized an online teacher certificate program named "Understanding of Chinese Culture & Practice." Through these activities, along with the 2023 annual conference, NECLTA awarded 91 PDP certificates to K-12 instructors through Tufts University, a steady 12% increase from last year. This year was the second year of our Teaching Innovation Award for college instructors, which recognizes teaching excellence in Chinese language and culture and honors those who



pioneer new practices and strategies to enhance students' learning experiences. We received many excellent proposals and selected three winners, who will be featured in a special panel at our annual conference.

The most significant new development within our organization during this past year was our first-ever BNU-NECLTA 2024 Professional Development Program. Over the spring in 2024, we worked closely with the School of International Chinese Language Education of Beijing Normal University (BNU) to design a three-week intensive teacher training program that include graduate-level content courses in topics such as Chinese linguistics, Chinese pedagogy and Chinese culture, as well as hands-on practicums for K-12 classroom management and student activities. Twenty-two k-12 in-service teachers and graduate students from ten states across the U.S. participated in the program. The program not only consolidated participants' knowledge of the Chinese language, enhanced their teaching skills, but also granted them professional development credits required for their teaching certificates and promotion.

Last but not least, I would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to our gracious host, Tufts University, for providing us with the beautiful Joyce Cummings Center as our venue this year. This is the eighth time that we had the privilege of holding our annual conference at Tufts University. We cannot adequately express our appreciation for Tufts University's continuous support to our organization. Most importantly, to all those who submitted proposals, thank you for your invaluable contributions, and to those present here today, your participation is the heartbeat of this conference.

Once again, we deeply appreciate your steadfast dedication and commitment to the New England Chinese Language Teachers Association. May your conference experience be filled with inspiration and joy!

Warm regards,

Yang Wang

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President

New England Chinese Language Teachers Association



### **Conference Theme**

The conference theme for this year is: "Voice of Identity: Language, Culture, and Perspectives in a Changing world". Panels and individual presentations will address various aspects of and issues in teaching and learning Chinese and culture on multiple levels and in different settings, including:

- (1) Chinese linguistics and Chinese pedagogical grammar 汉语语言学和教学语法
- (2) Second language acquisition and assessment 二语习得与评估
- (3) Reading and writing literacy development 读写能力发展
- (4) Curriculum design and teaching implementation 课程设计与实施
- (5) AI/educational technology 人工智能与教育技术
- (6) Cultural competence and interculturality 文化能力与跨文化交流
- (7) DEI issues in Chinese language teaching 中文教学中的多样、平等和包容
- (8) teaching heritage students 继承语学生的教学
- (9) Study abroad and immersion programs 留学与沉浸式项目
- (10) collaboration/interdisciplinary approaches to language teaching 中文教学的跨学科合作和方法
- (11) enrollment maintenance and enhancement 学生人数的保持和增加
- (12) others: administration, teacher training 其他: 行政管理与教师培训等



### **Board Members**

### **Elected Officers and Terms**

### President

WANG, Yang (汪洋) 2022-2024

### **Vice President**

LEW, Star Yixing (陈毅星) 2022-2024

### **Board Directors and Terms**

### **K-12:**

GAO, Ting(郜婷) 2022-2026

LI, Ren (李韧) 2022-2026

LIU, Wei (刘伟) 2020-2024

### Regular:

GAO, Panpan (高畔畔) 2022-2026

HARRIS, Mairead (何小蔓) 2020-2024

HU, Lung-Hua (胡龙华) 2020-2024

HU, Xiaoyan (胡小艳) 2020-2024

LU, Xiwen (陆熙雯) 2020-2024

SUN, Hongyun (孙鸿运) 2020-2024

WANG, Mingguan (王命全) 2022-2026

WANG, Yang (汪洋) 2022-2026

WU, Yu (吴瑜) 2022-2026

YAN, Lei (严蕾) 2020-2024

### **Appointed Officers**

### **Executive Director**

WANG, Mingquan 王命全

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#### **Committees and Chairs**

#### 1. Election Committee:

HU, Lung-Hua 胡龙华, Chair WANG, Mingquan 王命全, Member WANG, Yang 汪洋, Member

#### 2. Conference & Events Committee:

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### 3. Membership Committee:

LU, Xiwen 陆熙雯, Chair SUN, Hongyun 孙鸿运, Member

### 4. Public Relations & Fund Raising:

WANG, Mingquan 王命全, Chair HU, Xiaoyan, 胡小艳 Member

#### 5. K-12 Committee and K-12 WeChat Group:

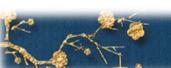
LEW, Star Yixing 陈毅星, Chair GAO, Ting 郜婷, Member LI, Ren 李韧, Member LIU, Wei 刘伟, Member

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## 7. Professional Development and Awards Committee

SUN, Hongyun 孙鸿运, Chair YAN, Lei 严蕾, Member HARRIS, Mairead 何小蔓, Member



### **Keynote Speaker**

### **Prof. Agnes Weiyun He**



Agnes Weiyun He is a Professor of Applied Linguistics, the Founder and Director of the Center for Multilingual and Intercultural Communication at Stony Brook University, and the Secretary of the American Association for Applied Linguistics (2022-2026). She also served as Chair of the Department of Asian and Asian American Studies at Stony Brook University (2014-2020; 2023-2024). A Guggenheim Fellow and a strong advocate for multilingualism, Agnes dedicates her research to language socialization and cultural (trans)formation in the context of global migration, with a focus on Chinese as a heritage language. She has published extensively in the areas of

discourse linguistics, educational linguistics, and Chinese linguistics. Her upcoming book, Voices of Immigration: A Serial Narrative Ethnography of Language Shift, is due for release by Cambridge University Press in fall 2024. She serves on the Editorial Board for several journals, including The Modern Language Journal, Foreign Language Annals, Journal of Chinese Language and Discourse, and Global Chinese. Her work has been funded by the Spencer Foundation (US), the National Academy of Education (US), the US Department of Education, and the National Science Foundation (US).

### **Keynote Speech**

Language Educators: A Beacon of Hope for Humanity

语言教育者:人类和人文学科的希望灯塔

Humanity is in crisis. We face daunting challenges such as wars, cultural conflicts, environmental degradation, social inequality, and racial injustice. In the realm of education, the rise of technology and digital media has fostered a culture that prioritizes quick, utilitarian knowledge over the deep, reflective learning necessary for holistic individual development. The humanities are in crisis as well. There has been a significant decline in the number of students majoring in humanities disciplines such as languages, literature, and philosophy. Language programs often face budget cuts, resulting in fewer course offerings, larger class sizes, and reduced faculty and staff. Some institutions have even closed their language programs or departments.

In this keynote presentation, I argue that amidst these challenges, language educators stand out as a beacon of hope for both humanity and the humanities. As stewards of linguistic and cultural knowledge, language educators play a pivotal role in guiding students toward identity formation, fostering understanding, and nurturing empathy. They strive for a more just, peaceful, and humane world where diverse perspectives are explored, cultural heritages are reclaimed, stereotypes are dismantled, and cross-cultural dialogues are promoted. Language educators build inclusive



communities, word by word, lesson by lesson, recognizing and celebrating the inherent dignity and worth of every human being.

Furthermore, I contend that language educators are central to liberal arts education. They bring human experiences and expressions through languages to the forefront of our consciousness and conversations. They cultivate an awareness of global issues and encourage critical thinking. By enriching students' understanding of humanity, language educators reinforce the core values of a liberal arts education and prepare the younger generation to contribute meaningfully to society.

Finally, I call for urgent action to reverse the downward trend in funding for language programs in K-16 institutions. Grounded in linguistic anthropology and drawing upon data from pedagogical practices in Chinese language teaching in both formal and informal settings, I demonstrate that language is a lived human experience, rather than a self-contained autonomous system, and that the invaluable language and life experiences as well as the cultural and context-specific insights that language educators provide are qualities that AI can never replicate.

### Agenda at a Glance

8:00 am – 8:50 am	Registration	Joyce Cummings
	Hot beverages, light refreshments	Center, 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor lobby
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Welcome & Opening Remarks	270
9:30 am – 10:30 am	Keynote Speech (15-min Q&A)	270
10:30 am – 10:35 am	Group Photo	270
10:40 am – 11:30 pm	Concurrent sessions 1	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
11:40 am – 12:50 pm	Lunch	Dewick Dining Hall
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	NECLTA President Remarks	270
	Award Ceremony	
	New President Remarks by Hongyun Sun	
	CLTA President's Congratulatory Speech by	
	Zhongqi Shi, Columbia University	
	Raffle	
2:00 pm – 2:50 pm	Concurrent sessions 2	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
3:00 pm – 3:50 pm	Concurrent Sessions 3	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
3:50 pm – 4:10 pm	Break with Beverages	1st Floor lobby
4:10 pm – 5:00 pm	Concurrent Sessions 4	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
5:05 pm – 5:50 pm	Roundtables	2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor
	1.AI 时代中文教学的机遇与挑战	
	2.中文教师培训项目分享	



## **Detailed Meeting Agenda**

9:00am-10:30 am			
Opening Ceremony & Keynote Speech			
Room 270	Welcome Remarks by Executive Director & Tufts Official		
9:00 am - 9:30 am	-Mingquan Wang, Tufts University		
	-Tufts Welcome Speech by Prof. Susan Napier, Interim Chair of International		
	Literary and Cultural Studies, Tufts University		
	President's Welcome by Yang Wang, Brown University		
	Conference introduction by Conference Chairs		
	-Yu Wu, University of Rhode Island		
	-Xiwen Lu, Brandeis University		
9:30 am -10:15 am	Keynote Speech: Prof. Agnes Weiyun He		
	Language Educators: A Beacon of Hope for Humanity		
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Q & A		
10: 30 am -10:40 am	Group Photo and Break		

	10:40 am-11:30 am Concurrent Sessions		
Room # 270	1.Chinese Curriculum Improvement and Students Retention		
Chair: 印京华	印京华,The University of Vermont		
主题: Textbook analysis	2.Beyond Textbooks: Enriching Curriculum and Bridging Meaningful Connections		
and assignments design	Through Assignments		
	孙川梅,Yale University		
	3. Critical analysis of the cultural representation in the Chinese language textbooks		
	in the United States		
	朱军玲,University of Massachusetts Amherst		
Room # 260	1.Transforming Advanced Chinese Learning with AI-Powered Solutions		
Chair: 梁宁辉	梁宁辉, Yale University		
主题: AI & technology	2.Enhancing Intermediate Chinese Writing Skills through Responsible Use		
	of ChatGPT		
	范雅婷, Boston University		
	3.Advanced Applications of Canvas in Chinese Language Course Management		
	杨斌, Harvard University		
Room # 265	1.《国际中文教学通用课程大纲》教学评价的设计理念		
Chair: 曹贤文	曹贤文,南京大学		
主题: Assessment	2.中文课程评价在教学资源设计中的应用路径探讨:基于《通用课程大纲》		
	梁宇,北京语言大学		
Room # 280	Transitioning from High School to College-Level Chinese Language Education with		
Chair: 陈彤	ACTFL's 5C Standards		
主题:	陈彤, MIT; 万敏, Tufts;		
Panel Presentation	张莹, Mahwah High School, NJ;		
	边芳, Montgomery bell academy, Nashville TN		



	10:40 am-11:30 am Concurrent Sessions		
Room # 140	1.汉语指称问题与信息结构探讨		
Chair: 李爱民	李爱民, Dartmouth College		
主题:	2.互动视野下把字句实证研究新进展		
Linguistic & grammar	侯晓明, Williams College		
	3.现代汉语赞同应答习用语浅析		
	孙晓娇, Boston College		
Room # 302	K-12 中文项目发展谈:学校特色活动分享及 AI 应用观		
Chair: 曹晓慧	曹晓慧, Arlington High School, MA		
主题:	江山, Scituate High School, MA		
Panel Presentation	林加, John D. O'Bryant School, MA		

### 11:40 am – 12:50 pm Lunch Dewick-MacPhie Dining Center

### 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm Award Ceremony & Raffle Introducing New Board Members 270

2:00 pm – 2:50 pi	m Concurrent Sessions and Teaching Innovation Award Presentations
Room # 270	1.《国际中文教育中文水平等级标准》与美国语法教学本土化研究
Chair: 王命全	王命全, Tufts University
主题:	孙芷欣、孙立峰, Beijing Normal University;
Application of AI	2.人工智能技术在国际中文教育多媒体课件中的应用
technology and assessment	曹琦、孙立峰、李子怡, Beijing Normal University
	3. ChatGPT 对美国汉语学习者自主学习的影响研究
	李子怡、孙立峰、曹琦,Beijing Normal University
Room # 260	Enhancing Immersion: Lessons from Intermediate Chinese at Harvard Taipei
Chair: Yuxiao Du	Yuxiao Du, Yimo Guo, Yue-Rung Chen
主题:	Harvard University
Panel Presentation	
Room # 265	1.科技时代的语言学习还要强调阅读吗?
Chair: 陈文慧	陈文慧, Brown University
主题: 高年级教学	2.诗歌文化的科普——以翻译课为基地的课程设计
	李思葭, Washington and Lee University
	3."荫餘堂"十年回望——一门探索中国近代经济史的古汉语课程
	柴春子, Brandeis University



2:00 pm – 2:50	pm Concurrent Sessions and Mini Teaching Award Presentations
Room # 280	1.Task-based teaching with Chinese TV shows
Chair: 边芳	边芳, Mahwah High School, NJ
主题: Curriculum	2.Enhancing Language Learning through Cross-School Peer Collaboration:
design, collaboration	A Penpal program with Yong He Middle School, Taipei, Taiwan
and AI (K-12 专场)	陳佳蓓, Jonas Clarke Middle School
	3. How to use AI picture generator in teaching vocabulary and grammar
	田志彬, Austin Preparatory School
Room # 140	1.Integrating Community into Chinese Language Teaching and Assessment
Chair: 孙鸿运	董桦, Northeastern University
主题:	2.Teaching Mental Health Issues Among Chinese Communities
NECLTA Teaching	杜雯華, Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Innovation Award Panel	3.游戏活动在高年级中文课的创新与实践
	何璐平, Harvard University

	3:00 pm – 3:50 pm Concurrent Sessions
Room # 270	Enhancing the Integration of Chinese Culture in K-12 Language Classrooms
Chair: 廖申展	廖申展, China Institute in America;
主题: Culture in K-12	王命全, Tufts University;
language classroom	李韧, Brockton High School;
(K-12 专场 2)	赵园, Mamaroneck High School
Room # 260	1.初级中文课声调、语调的检测及训练策略
Chair: 周康	周康,麻省理工学院
主题:	2.Are online courses less effective than blended or face-to-face instruction
语音语调&课程设计	in achieving proficiency in CFL?
	杨清钰, University of Rhode Island
	3.半三声教学的重要性以及课堂上的教学实践
	谢佳玲, Brown University
Room # 265	1.从"常常"和"平常"的误用谈初级中文教学中的近义词辨析
Chair: 沈建华	沈建华, Yale University
主题:	2. Testing CHIPROT in L2 Chinese Prosody Training
Textbook analysis and	杨春生、李杼鹏、李丹薇, UConn
assignments design	陈凯迪, Columbia University
	3.汉语教材、词典中词条的释义内容和方式
	焦立为, Brown University
Room # 280	1.密集项目低年级课程中的文化教学——从项目规划、教学设计到课堂实操
Chair: 高畔畔	   高畔畔, 麻省理工学院
主题:	   2.试探增加中文项目学生人数的一些可能性以加州一所中型私立大学为例
Program development	業信鴻, Santa Clara University
and motivation	•
maintenance	3.美国高校中文学习者学习动机的分析及启示——以布兰戴斯大学为例
	张雯, Yale University



	3:00 pm – 3:50 pm Concurrent Sessions
Room # 140	1.Community Building: Heritage Meets Heritage Event
Chair: 梁敏敏	梁敏敏,麻省理工学院
主题: Culture and community	2.Navigating Identity: The voices of multilingual learners studying Chinese
	蔡江坪, University of Rhode Island
	3.Integrating Cultural Literacy into Language Tutoring: The Flagship Culture
	App Experience
	张一平、何文潮, University of Rhode Island

### 3:50 pm – 4:10 pm Break with Beverages 1st Floor lobby

	4:10 pm- 5:00 pm Concurrent Sessions
Room # 270	1.初级华裔非华裔混班创意写作训练的一个尝试
Chair: 秦子寒	秦子寒, Bowdoin College
主题: 低年级教学	2.The Combination of Chinese Negation Bu and Mei and Adjectives and its
	Teaching Suggestions
	施品岑, University of Massachusetts Amherst
	3.如何设计行之有效的讲练课和复练课
	于丽萍, University of Washington, Seattle
Room # 260	1.多模态中文教学实践新探:语言与视觉艺术的融合
Chair: 李亦珂	——以明德摄影课外活动为例
主题:	李亦珂, Columbia University
多模态中文教学	2.通过舌尖上的中国深入探讨中国社会
	——新课程介绍:《中国饮食文化与社会》
	刘帆, Yale University
	3.Culinary Narratives: A Multimodal Project to Connect Food, Culture,
	and Identity
	許雅晴, Smith College
Room # 265	1.Empowering Heritage Language Students through Translanguaging and Drama
Chair: 王轶	Performance: Insights from an Advanced Chinese Language Course in a U.S.
主题:	University
Language, culture & arts	王轶, Stony Brook University
& arts	2.交际与共情:戏剧文化在高级中文课堂的"落地"
	何曼, Williams College
	3."Connecting through Language and Beyond"
	—Chinese Theater-based Cultural Learning Workshop Series
	蔡静, Harvard University;邓钰山, Yale University



4:10 pm- 5:00 pm Concurrent Sessions		
Room # 280	1.融入与互动: 社群感在促进中文学习中的关键作用与实践策略	
Chair: 吴默	吴默, Yale University	
主题:	2.Learning Chinese and making meaning – ways to develop intercultural	
Community	citizenship in the foreign language classroom	
engagement & intercultural citizenship	高非, University of Cambridge	
intercurtural citizensinp	3. Bridging Cultures: Bringing Chinese Language Learning to Life Through	
	Community Engagement	
	Ying-Chieh Wang, Linlin Xiong	
	Harvard University	
Room # 140	1.Improving Essay Writing Skills Through Collaboration among Advanced	
Chair: 敖晶晶	Learners	
主题: Writing literacy	敖晶晶, Yale University	
	2.影像中的家族史——中高年级华裔中文写作教学的探索与实践	
	杨树楠, Harvard University	
	3.Express and Impress: Essay Writing as a Language Learning Tool in	
	Multiliteracies	
	禹露, Smith College	

5:05 pm- 5:50 pm	5:05 pm- 5:50 pm
圆桌会谈 K-12 专场	圆桌会谈 大学专场
第二届 K12 mentor/mentee networking	
Theme:中文教师培训项目分享	Theme: AI 时代中文教学的机遇与挑战
Room #: 260	Room #: 270
Moderator:	Moderator:
陈毅星 Star Yixing Lew, Newton Public Schools	严蕾, Dartmouth College
Panelists:	Panelists:
李韧, Brockton High School;	印京华, The University of Vermont
刘伟, The Hotchkiss School	何文潮, University of Rhode Island
曹晓慧, Arlington High School, MA	陆熙雯, Brandeis University
江山, Scituate High School, MA	
林加, John D. O'Bryant School, MA	



### **Directions and Maps**

### **Conference Venue**

The Conference, including plenary sessions and breakout sessions, will be held in the newly built Joyce Cummings Center at 177 College Ave, Medford, MA 02155.

For those who want to get familiar with the conference site, please visit the Tufts camps map at **http://campusmaps.tufts.edu/medford/**. Just type in the name of the building and you will find it on the map.

### **Public Transportation**

If you are coming by the MBTA subway, often called the "T," you can travel to Tufts on the Red Line or the Green Line.

The E branch of the Green Line brings you directly to the front of the Joyce Cummings Center. Take the Green Line E branch to the Medford/Tufts stop. When exiting the station onto College Ave, you will see the Center right in front of you.

Alternatively, you can take the Red Line to the Davis Square station. Exit the Davis Square station on the College Avenue side. You may take the #94 or #96 bus (which both leave from the Davis Square T entrance directly across from the 7-Eleven convenience store, NOT the entrance next to the Somerville Theatre) or walk 23 minutes along College Avenue to the Joyce Cummings Center.

### **Parking**

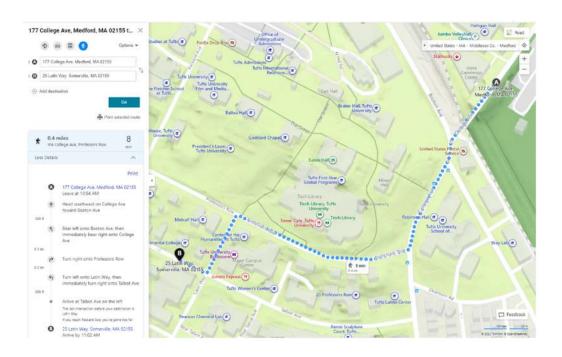
Tufts has made arrangements for you to park in the Cousens Parking Lot and the Dowling Garage. We recommend that you use the Cousens Parking Lot (161 College Avenue, Medford), as it is right across from the Joyce Cummings Center. Tufts will cover the costs of parking. We will send you a QR code a few days before the conference. You will scan the code on the day of the event and provide your license plate. If you forget to do this before coming to Tufts, just remember to scan the code at the registration desk when you come to the JC Center. You can park in these two lots from 8am to 6pm on Saturday, October 5, 2024.





### **Dining**

The Conference provides lunch for participants who have paid their regular registration fees. Lunch will be served from 11:40am to 12:50pm in the Dewick-MacPhie Dining Center at 25 Latin Way. It's 0.4 mile from the JC Center, an 8-minute walk. You can use your GPS to guide your walk. You can also follow one of Tufts faculty members or student assistants. Lunch tickets are distributed during registration (8:00 am – 8:45 am) along with conference badges. Please don't lose your meal ticket. The Dining Center won't let you in without a ticket.



#### Coffee Break

The Conference will provide coffee, tea and hot water at coffee breaks, which are scheduled at the following times and locations.

- 8:00 am to 12:00 pm, Room 160, JC Center

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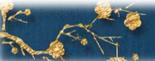
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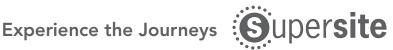
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