General News and Announcements

The Chinese Division of the Department of LLC held a cultural immersion event – Visiting Chinese Family 101 – on November 22, 2014 at the home of Dr. Lili Guo.

More than 30 people, including Chinese language students, Chinese students, and several instructors, took part in this lively cultural activity. Students had an opportunity to gain first-hand experience of Chinese culture, lifestyle, customs, food, and conventions through visiting and dining with a Chinese family. Also, with the purpose of applying what is being covered in the class, CHIN 315 students were required to speak in Chinese about the ingredients and preparation of their homemade Chinese dishes.

This event provided a great platform for the language students to improve language skills and understand the Chinese culture.

Kudos

Claude Pavur, S.J., Emeritus Associate Professor of Classics, has published a translation of *The Life of Ignatius of Loyola* by Pedro de Ribadeneira, S.J. (St. Louis: The Institute of Jesuit Sources, 2014).

Congratulations to Antoine Valdez, Hillary Birdsong and Alicia Santiago for successfully passing their Master’s written and oral examinations in Spanish.