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Expressive Chinese

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CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION
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with traditional characters

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to Advanced Low

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Ideal for intermediate Chinese language learners, *Expressive Chinese* is a one-volume course that builds advanced-level reading and writing proficiency in four areas: complexity, accuracy, fluency, and felicity. Eight field-tested lessons equip learners with the essential skills and knowledge necessary to confidently communicate their feelings, thoughts, and opinions on social and cultural topics ranging from the personal to the global.

Designed as part of an articulated curriculum sequence, *Expressive Chinese* is ideal for learners who have completed *Integrated Chinese Volume 4* or the equivalent of two years of college-level study. Upon completing this course, learners will be prepared to study *Reading Into a New China Volume 1* for further literacy development.

Features:

- Stories and interviews introduce grammar in context and enable learners to make observations about Chinese society and culture
- Curated vocabulary lists increase learners' ability to express themselves in a variety of contexts
- Communicative pre-reading activities activate students' prior knowledge of the lesson topic
- Critical reading strategies develop specific literacy skills and encourage learners to engage more deeply with the content
- Extensive scaffolding models and facilitates the use of different descriptive and narrative writing techniques
- Ample opportunities for long-form oral and written language production reinforce skills through practice



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