

NC STATE UNIVERSITY

**On behalf of Chancellor James L. Oblinger,
you are cordially invited to the Opening Ceremony for
North Carolina State University's
Confucius Institute**

Date: Monday, April 23, 2007

Time: 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Reception to follow

Location:

E. Carroll Joyner Visitor Center

**Located at the corner of Western Blvd and Varsity Drive
(parking is available at the Visitor Center)**

Business casual attire

Please RSVP to

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For more information, visit our website at:

www.ncsu.edu/china/confucius.html

Dr. Bailian Li

Vice Provost for International Affairs

The goal of the Confucius Institute is to enhance intercultural understanding in the US through the study of Chinese language and culture. NC State's Institute will promote this mission through a range of educational and outreach activities to students, teachers, business and community members.

Guests will include officials from the Chinese Embassy to the United States, the Ministry of Education, and a delegation from Nanjing Normal University.