## 陈文超 (Manchiu Chan)

Manchiu Chan (陈文超), FSA, CFA, is an actuary and vice president at Conning Asset Management where he is responsible for providing asset-liability and integrated risk management advisory services to insurance companies. Manchiu was born and grew up in Suzhou, China. He finished his college education in Shanghai and earned his MBA and MS degree in the U.S.

Manchiu has over 20 years' business management experience in mainland China, Hong Kong and U. S., successfully working with people with various cultural backgrounds. He and his family have been living in greater Hartford area since 2002, and have very close tie to the local Chinese community, which inspires him to seek the opportunity to serve on the CCC board. Manchiu believes that his diversified professional experience and strong business expertise will help him make valuable contribution to the future development of CCC and CCLA. He will closely work with CCC members to better serve the Chinese community, promote Chinese culture and support the growth of CCLA.

# 郭小荷(Grace Chin)



Grace Chin is a licensed realtor in CT, focusing on residential real estate and investment property. Grace and her family reside in Glastonbury. Grace loves to serve the community and she is actively involved in volunteer work in the Glastonbury Public School System as well as at the Connecticut Chinese Language Academy.

Grace was a teacher for many years; she also taught in CCLA for 4 years. Her two daughters are

currently both attending our Chinese school.

Grace believes in education. She believes promoting Chinese language and culture is one of the greatest contributions our Chinese community can offer to society and she believes strengthening our Chinese school is essential to this.

Grace is looking forward to continuing to share her passion with a broader community.

#### 赖益仙 (Yixian Lai)



Yixian has two children attending our Chinese school. Over the years affiliated with our school, she has taken various volunteering roles, among which including as a classroom parent representative, a volunteer at school events, and a teacher. Yixian is a veteran teacher and school administrator. With her passion and dedication to make our community a more united one, as well as her extensive background in public administration, economic research, and

public finance, Yixian will be a great addition to our board of directors at Chinese Culture Center.

## 廖化 (Hua Liao)



Hua Liao has two children attending our Chinese school. Over the past 3 years affiliated with our school, she has been serving as a classroom parent representative for one school year and been very supportive to our school activities. Before she moved to Connecticut in 2012, she had been affiliated with Austin Great Wall Chinese School (AGWCS) in Austin, TX. She had been actively

taking various roles at AGWCS including a number of years as classroom parents and 5 months as a Board member responsible for the school's external communications affairs. With her passion and dedication to make our community a better one, as well as her many years serving at different Chinese schools, Hua Liao will be a great addition to our board of directors at Chinese Culture Center.

# 孙大宏(Dahong Sun), MD, PhD



Dahong is the Deputy Director of Division of Scientific Services of the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection in Connecticut. He is in charge of the Forensic Biology and DNA Section. He is also an associate member of The American Academy of Forensic Science. Many times, Dahong hosted forensic scientists and crime scene investigators from Chinese law

enforcement agencies and the criminal justice system when they visited the Forensic Lab in Meriden, Connecticut. His eldest son graduated from CCLA in 2014 and his younger son just started his kindergarten program in CCLA in the fall of 2015. With excellent knowledge and judgement, Dahong is looking forward to serving the community as a board member.

## 徐雪梅(Xuemei Xu)

Xuemei serves Chinese committee and Chinese school since 2004. From 2004 to 2008, Xuemei served on the board of Chinese Culture Center (CCC) and was a founding board member of Connecticut Chinese Language Academy (CCLA). She was also in charge of the Chinese as a Heritage Language program (CHL). Her contributions included designing and implementing academy curriculum, recruiting and organizing teacher training, and communicating with teachers, parents, and school leaders. She was involved in sponsoring all the rules and regulations for the then newly started pilot program/CCLA.

2013- 2016, she was elected to serve on the board of Chinese Culture Center (CCC) again. During her second term, she contributed herself to Chinese community and Chinese school a lot. She had been the Co-Chair of CCC Education Committee, Principal of Connecticut Chinese Language Academy (CCLA), and VP of Public Relation of CCC board.