

# WEEK 4-6

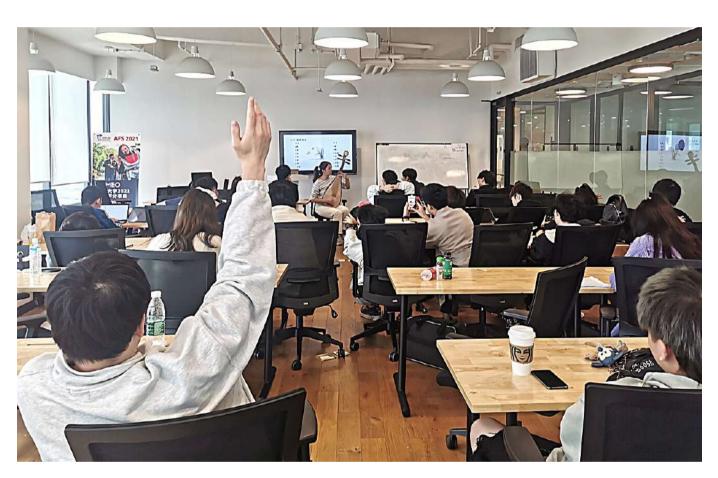
# Chengdu American Center

# **Course Diagnosis**

As we approach midterms this Fall semester, the Center has carried out a course diagnosis survey to collect students' feedback and comments on each course. This has been our regular practice at G-MEO since its establishment. The course diagnosis report shows that our students are really enjoying the classes we are offering this Fall!



**Business Analytics class** 



Hands up for class participation

# A student from Music and Culture class trying out a traditional Chinese instrument Pi Pa



A student interning at an eye hospital in downtown Chengdu

# **Internship Program**

The internship program has been successful these past few weeks. After their placements, the students went to their respective positions and started their internships. Normally they go to their internships two or three times per week. Students interning at social media positions have been taking field trips with their supervisors to collect first-hand materials. Other students have been doing client services and clerical work, acquiring both professional and interpersonal skills.



#### **Mid-Term Examinations**

Some classes have been hosting their midterm examinations this past week. Our students have been working hard and trying their best to get good scores. With half of the semester finished, we hope our students have achieved some of their academic goals with G-MEO.



We
prepared
their
favorite
Starbucks
drinks!



#### **Student Voice**

"It is a great pleasure for me to take classes at G-MEO without having to consider the risk of getting COVID. At first, I was quite upset when I heard that we cannot have classes on campus, but when I saw the new program site, I felt that it is quite pleasing and the learning environment here is good. The professors are very professional. They not only explain the content of the textbooks, but also carry out a more detailed analysis with familiar examples from daily life. This helps us better understand and use what we've learned. This is also the way I prefer for my learning style. So I am considering doing another semester with G-MEO next Spring."

--Shengjie Wu, Real Estate and Environment Management major, Sophomore from University of Denver



Students from Organizational Behavior class taking their mid-term exam

### **Starbucks Day**

After collecting our students' coffee preferences (flavors, hot or cold drinks, with or without sugar), we prepared dozens of Starbucks coffee and drinks in the office on Wednesday of the sixth week. The coffee and drinks were gone within seconds of being brought to the office. We believe these coffee and drinks could bring our students energy and happiness to brighten up their day!

#### **Student Voice**

"In the beginning of my internship, I felt timid and helpless because it seemed like everyone was busy and I dared not to ask questions. Since I don't have much knowledge in law and I was not able to complete my work, I finally took the first step to ask for help and to ask questions. It turned out that everyone was warm, interesting, and not as serious as I thought before. As an extrovert, I finally get along well with them and have started to join activities. I even received a box of mooncakes for the Mid-Autumn Festival. Now, I have more of an idea about how to accomplish my assignments and acquired skills such as reading contracts and archiving. In all, I really appreciate this opportunity to do my internship at a law firm and learn more about what a lawyer's work and life is like, which gives me more thoughts in planning my future studies and career."

--Jingchen Wang, Criminology major, Junior from American University