

Minutes of the ACLS Board of Directors

Subject: ACLS Board transition meeting
Present: Dick Calandrella, Suzy Eppling, Yanni Gou, Wei Li, Yuan Li, Yuming Liu, Jianying Shi, Yanhua Tang, Joanne Wu, Jeff Yang, Guoying Zuo
Note taker: Yuming Liu
Date/Time: Tuesday, July 5, 2011, 8:00 – 10:00 p.m.
Place: 22 Longmeadow Way, Acton, MA 01720

Meeting minutes:

1. Self Introduction

Each member gave a brief introduction on his/her background and past experiences with ACLS. Yuan Li, Yuming Liu, Jianguo Wang (former Principal), Ming Wang, and Joanne Wu (CSL representative) stepped down from the Board. Newly elected members, Yanni Gou, Jeff Yang and Guoying Zuo, along with Suzy Eppling (CSL representative), Jill Lu (Chair of ACLS Parent Council), and Jianying Shi (ACLS Principal), joined the Board.

2. Election of Chair of the Board

The Board unanimously elected Yanni Gou as the Chair of the ACLS Board of Directors.

3. Discussions of Past Successes and Lessons and New Initiatives

The Board freely discussed the successes achieved and lessons learned in the past two years. The Board will continue to support and work with the Admin team and Parent Council to achieve the smooth operation of ACLS, to lead the effort in searching and developing advanced methods for Chinese-language teaching/learning, and, most importantly, to improve communication among parents and various ACLS and local community organizations.