

## **Global Confucius Institute Day Celebrations**

On 27 September 2014, the Confucius Institute at the University of Cyprus (CI at UCY) celebrated at the UCY's new campus, with a fun-filled and informative event, the Global Confucius Institute Day, marking the 10th anniversary of the founding of Confucius Institutes. 123 countries around the world celebrated concurrently the Confucius Institute Day.

The event included a series of activities showcasing Chinese culture aimed at enhancing attendees' understanding of China.

Confucius Institutes are non-profit educational organizations established to promote Chinese language and culture around the world. Each Institute is a partnership between a local University and a partner institution in China. The CI at UCY was established in the beginning of 2014 in cooperation between the University of Cyprus and the Beijing Institute of Education with the support of the Confucius Institute Headquarters.

