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### 1. Coffee Hour: Chinese New Year

Do you know what “Spring Festival”  
Do you want to know the traditions and culture for celebrating the New Year in China? Come and join us to experience the Chinese tradition in the celebration of this festival.

- **Where:** UCIE, E190 Student Union
- **When:** January 20, 2012
- **Time:** 3PM
- **Host:** UCIE
- **Presentation by:** Bi Zhang

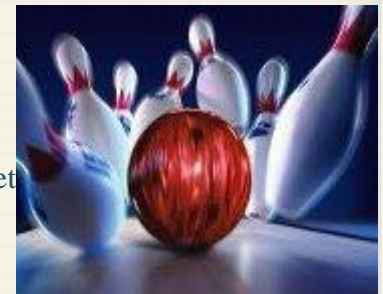


### 2. Bowling Night

Let's go and enjoy some strikes that are legal spares, not on tires, and pins that are just standing.

We will be carpooling from the Student Union around 6:30pm. Please let us know if you need a ride or can give a ride so we don't leave anyone behind.

- **Where:** Beaver-Vu Bowling
- **When:** January 20, 2012
- **Time:** 7PM
- **Host:** International Cultural Exchange (ICE)
- **Price:** \$10, might be less



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### 3. Tax Workshop Schedule TBA

Because you are already receiving some tax forms from the University (For Example, the 1098T or W-2), UCIE is preparing a schedule of tax workshop. Keep an eye out for future workshops. We encourage students who earned income last year (and have no experience preparing their tax return) to purchase an FNTR software password for \$2 and sign up for an hour-long tax workshop. Please be aware that each student/scholar is ultimately responsible for the accuracy of his/her income tax returns and any resulting penalties or interest. At this time, the only two software programs available for international student tax reporting are FNTR and CINTAX. If you use other software packages like TurboTax or HR Block you may be submitting an erroneous tax return which will result in IRS fines plus interest charges.



**\*\*\*The Tax Workshop schedules will begin being posted on the first week of February.**

**If you have any questions about tax return preparation for this year, please contact Jiao Li at 937-775-5745 or [ucie9@wright.edu](mailto:ucie9@wright.edu)**

### 4. COLA Study Abroad Scholarship

Applicants must be current students in the College of Liberal Arts who plan to participate in a study abroad program between Summer 2012 and Spring 2013. A study abroad trip must be planned, approved, and taken before funds are distributed.

Applicants must have a **minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA** as of Winter 2012. Applications are due at **the Dean's Office by March 30, 2012.**

For the upcoming academic year, funds may be distributed among multiple recipients and will typically range between **\$500 - \$1000**

The application form is available in the Dean's Office, 163 Millett, and online at <http://www.wright.edu/cola/students/>.

If you have any questions or cannot open the above link, please contact [susan.paul@wright.edu](mailto:susan.paul@wright.edu).

