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About Bo Chang

Dr. Bo Chang has a master's in adult education from East China Normal University focusing on training and human resource development. She obtained her Ph.D. in adult education from the University of Georgia, focusing on adult learning from the sociological approach.

Her research interests include:

- Adult learning and training in various contexts
- Different tools such as social networks, culture, discourse, art, and multimedia in learning
- Design and implementation of adult learning activities
- The social aspect of adult learning in a variety of contexts, such as social structure and learning, social relationships in learning, the collaborative nature of learning, learning community, learning organization, workplace learning, and community-based adult education
- Knowledge-related topics, such as knowledge construction, and knowledge and power
- Foundations of adult education

Bo Chang has taught adult learners and facilitated training programs for adults in a variety of contexts. She has investigated study circles in Sweden, Highlander Education in America, and learning communities in China and published articles mainly in the areas of adult learning, training, adult education, and online and distance education.

Awards & Recognitions

2011: Ball State 2011-2012 Emerging Media New Faculty Fellow.

2011: Early Career Scholar Award from the American Educational Research Association (AERA), Adult Literacy and Adult Education Special Interest Group.

2018: Imogene Okes Award for Outstanding Research in Adult Education from the American Association for Adult and Continuing Education (AAACE).

2021: Mid-Career Award from the Commission for Professors of Adult Education (CPAE).

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Education

PH.D. IN ADULT EDUCATION

The University of Georgia, Athens, GA

M.A. IN ADULT EDUCATION

East China Normal University, Shanghai, China.