



Dear Chinese-American Scout Leaders:

In 1911, Baden-Powell took the first steps in training Scouting's adult leaders by organizing a series of lectures for Scouters. He made great strides in the years that followed, culminating in 1919 with the establishment of Wood Badge training. Wood Badge recipients now number more than a hundred thousand, and can be found in all corners of the world.

The object of a Wood Badge course is to demonstrate as practically as possible the aims and methods of Scouting. Six days (two weekends) in duration, the course is a multi-faceted presentation of leadership skills, organizational tools, and participatory activities based on the best of Scouting traditions and the latest of team-development theory. In addition, participants will enjoy the fellowship of learning alongside many other volunteer and along the way will have a great deal of fun.

Upon successful completion of all course requirements, each participant receives a parchment certificate and the Wood Badge—two wooden beads to be worn around the neck on a leather thong.

Because of your commitment to Scouting, you have been nominated to participate in an upcoming 21<sup>st</sup> Century Wood Badge Course for Chinese-American Scout leaders. This will be a tremendous opportunity for you to:

- Understand Scouting as a family of interrelated, values-based programs providing age-appropriate activities for youth.
- Recognize contemporary leadership concepts utilized in corporate America and in leading government organizations, and discover how those concepts that is relevant to our values-based movement.
- Apply the skills you learn from your participation as a member of a successful working team provides Scouting with renewed leadership to accomplish its mission.
- Revitalize your commitment to Scouting by sharing in an inspirational experience that helps many Scouters consider Wood Badge to be one of the peak experiences of their Scouting careers. It has served as a source of training and inspirations to thousands. In return, Wood Badge participants have affected the lives of millions of youth.

The Wood Badge Course will be conducted at **Camp Tamarancho, 1000 Iron Spring Road, Fairfax, California on April 20-22, 2012 and May 11-13, 2012.** The cost of the course is \$250.00. This fee is required when you return the Acceptance of Invitation form.

We sincerely hope that you can participate. You will enjoy it fully and benefit from it immensely. You are to be commended for the work you are doing now in Scouting. Wood Badge training will enable you to make an even greater contribution as you help deliver the promise of Scouting.

We encourage you to return the enclosed Acceptance of Invitation form to the National, BSA office as soon as possible.

Yours in Scouting,

Ed Chang  
Course Director, W3-35-12

De Tan Nguyen  
Course Staff Advisor W3-35-12

Enclosed: Acceptance of Invitation





貝登堡伯爵在1911年，舉辦一系列講座，成為訓練童軍成人領導者的第一步。他在隨後的幾年中取得很大進展，最終在1919年建立木章訓練。至今，木章獲得者人數超過十萬，而且可以在世界的各個角落發現他們。

木章課程的目的是盡可能表現出童軍運動的宗旨和方法。在為期6天（兩個週末）的時間裏，教導多方面的領導能力，組織工具，以及在參與活動的基礎上，介紹傳統的，最佳的，和最新的團隊發展理論。此外，與會者將享受到許多與其他志同道合的參與者，一起學習的最大的樂趣。

在成功完成所有課程的要求，每個參與者都將收到一紙證書和戴在脖子上，由兩個串在一條皮條上的木珠所形成的木徽章。由於你對童軍的承諾，你已被提名參加在即將來到為美籍華裔童軍領導者而舉辦的21世紀木章訓練課程。這將是一個巨大的機會，讓你：

- 了解童軍是為青少年提供一個相關的並以價值觀為基礎的適齡活動的一個大家庭。
  - 認識當代在美國企業和政府組織裏所採用的領導統御的概念，同時瞭解現這些概念，是如何和我們以價值觀為基礎的活動有關。
  - 應用你從參與一個成功的工作小組學習得來的技能，提供全新的領導統御概念，以完成童軍活動的任務。
  - 從新激發自己對童軍的承諾，與其他童軍領導者共享一個鼓舞人心的經驗，幫助他們考慮獲取木章是他們在童軍事業的高峰經驗之一它已成為數以千計的培訓和靈感的源泉。作為回報，木章參與者都影響了千百萬青年的人生。
- 我們真誠地希望您可以來參與。您將充分享受它，並從中受益極大。你會因你現在正在做的童軍工作受到讚揚。但木章訓練將使你在幫助提供童軍活動的承諾時，做出更大的貢獻。

木章課程將在2012年4月20-22日和5月11-13日兩個周末，在加利福尼亞州舉行。地址是：

Camp Tamarancho, 1000 Iron Spring Road, Fairfax, California 94930.

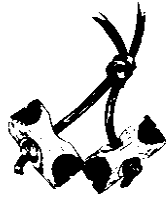
課程的費用是\$250.00。當您寄回報名表格時，請附上這筆費用。我們鼓勵你盡快寄回報名表格到BSA總部，在Irving, Texas的國家辦公室。祝你

萬事如意

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**Boy Scouts of America**  
**Chinese Wood Badge S260**  
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**Acceptance of Invitation for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Wood Badge**  
**W3-35-12**

I accept the invitation to attend the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Wood Badge course W3-35-12 which will be held at **Camp Tamarancho, 1000 Iron Spring Road, Fairfax, California 94930** on April 20-22, 2012 and May 11-13, 2012.

I understand that attendance at all sessions is mandatory and is required for certification. I have completed the basic training and outdoor skills training relevant for my position in Scouting. I am a registered adult leader.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Please print or type the following)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Council \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Scouting Awards Held \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years in Scouting – As a youth \_\_\_\_\_ As an adult \_\_\_\_\_

Present Scouting Position \_\_\_\_\_

Tenure in this position \_\_\_\_\_

Foreign languages spoken \_\_\_\_\_

Foreign languages written \_\_\_\_\_

**Completion Dates of Required Training:**

Basic training for your position \_\_\_\_\_

Outdoor Skills Training for your position \_\_\_\_\_

A \$250.00 is enclosed to register for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Wood Badge course W3-35-12  
(make check payable to Boy Scouts of America).

**Mail to:**

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