

Hospitality 102: Welcoming Students Into Your Heart

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Why International Student Ministry?

It is:

- Biblical – Lev. 19:33-34, Deut. 10:18, Hebrews 13:2
- Strategic – 80% international students at OSU are from 10/40 Window
- Within your reach



How to Welcome Your Students Into Your Heart Faster?

- Cultural knowledge (Wen)
- Practical (Jerry & Christina)

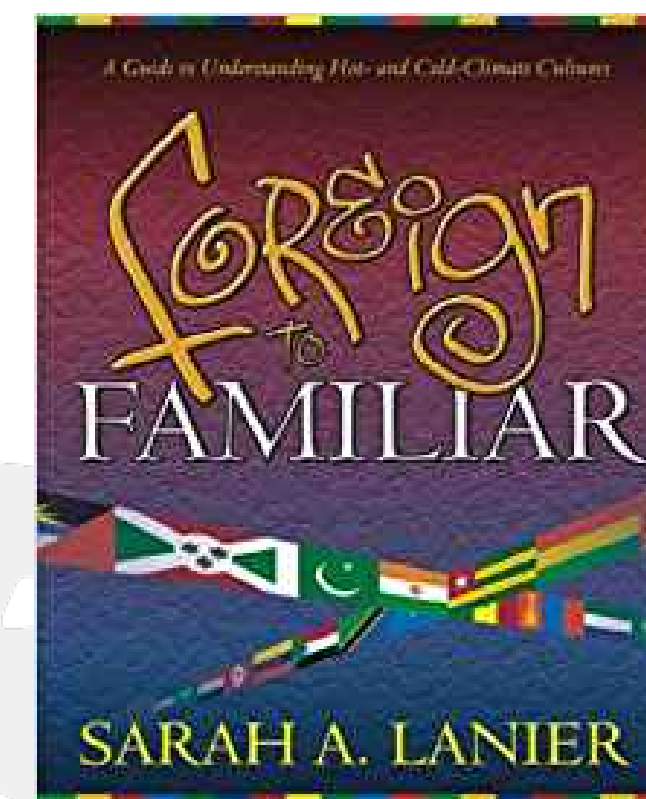
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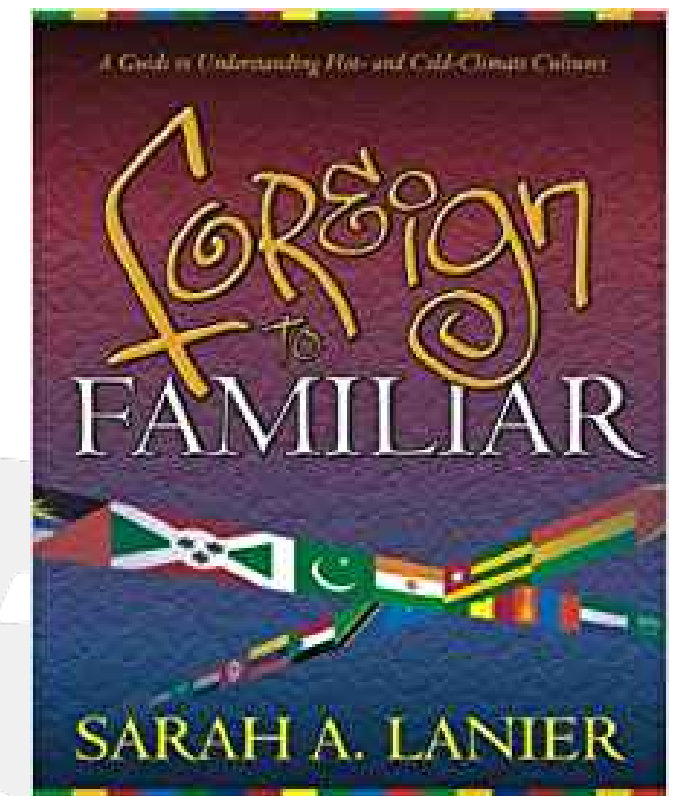
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~95% OSU international students
(Asia, Africa, South America, Middle East)

Practical

- Ice breakers for deeper sharing
- Inviting other students to come along
- Platforms to share your stories
- Conflict prevention
- Prayer

Q&A



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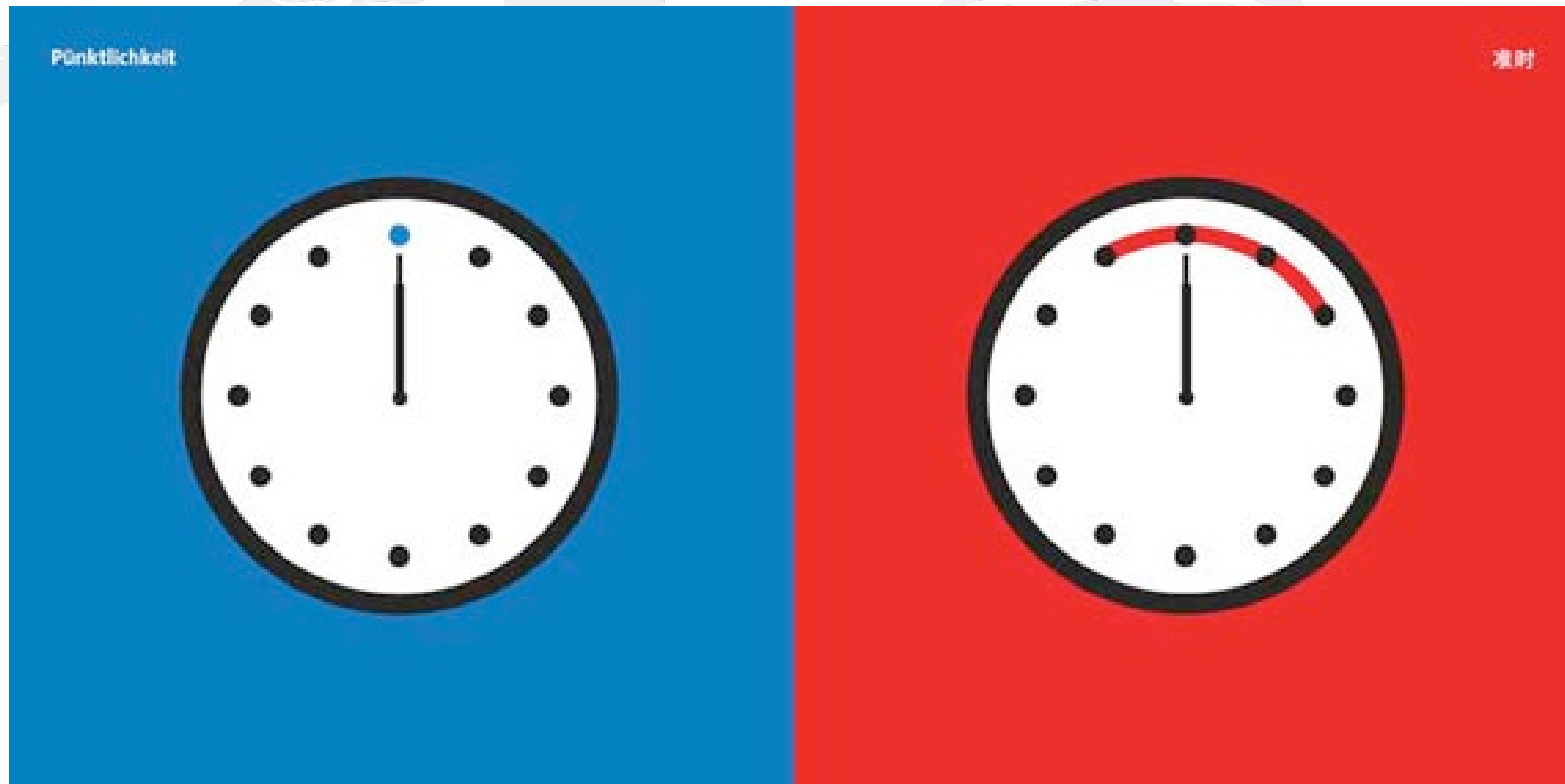
RESOURCES

- "Foreign to Familiar" by Sarah Lanier
- <https://www.theserviette.com/blog/hot-culture-and-cold-culture-hospitality>
- "East vs. West" by Liu Young

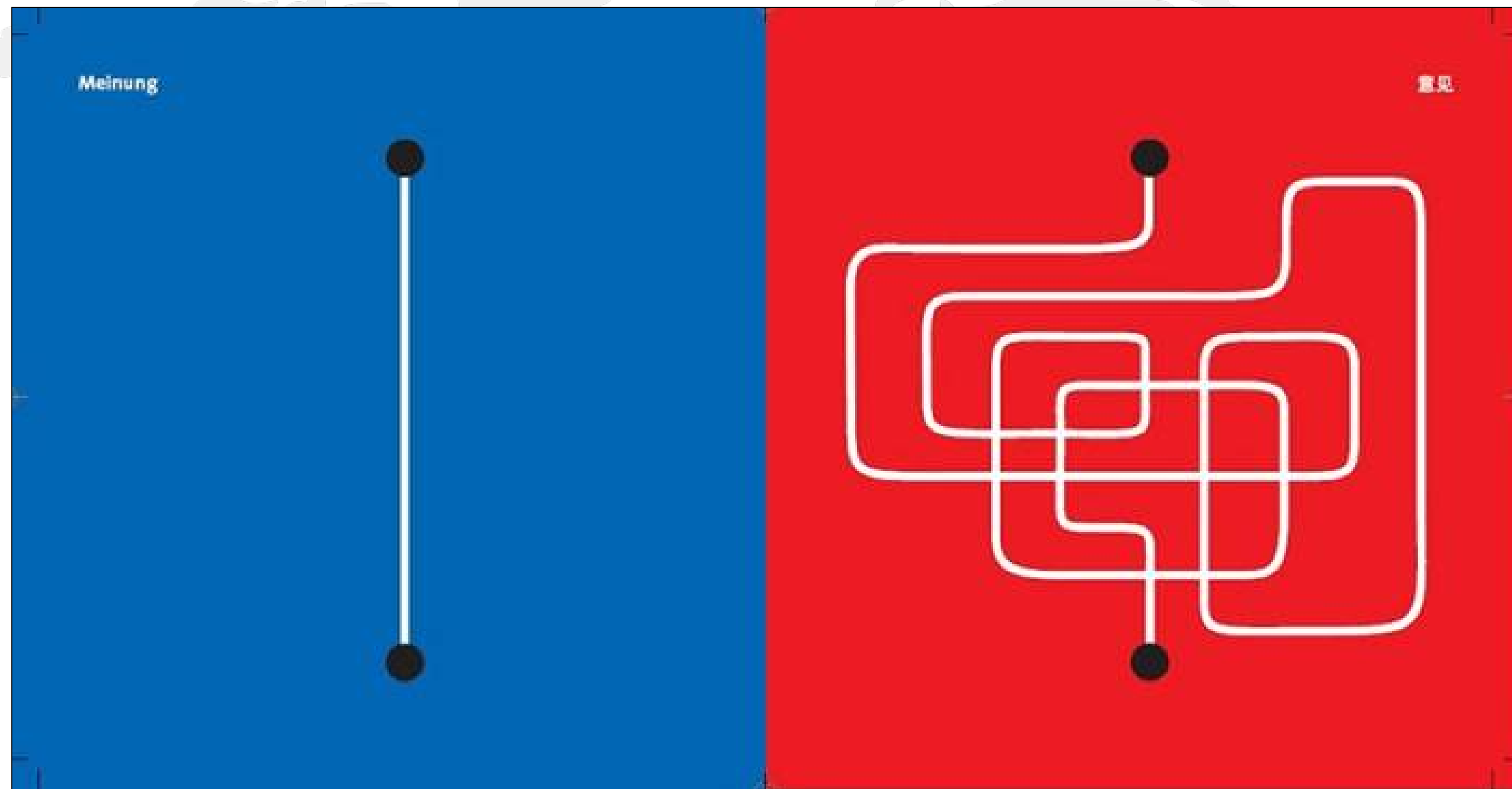
Hello **IFI** students!



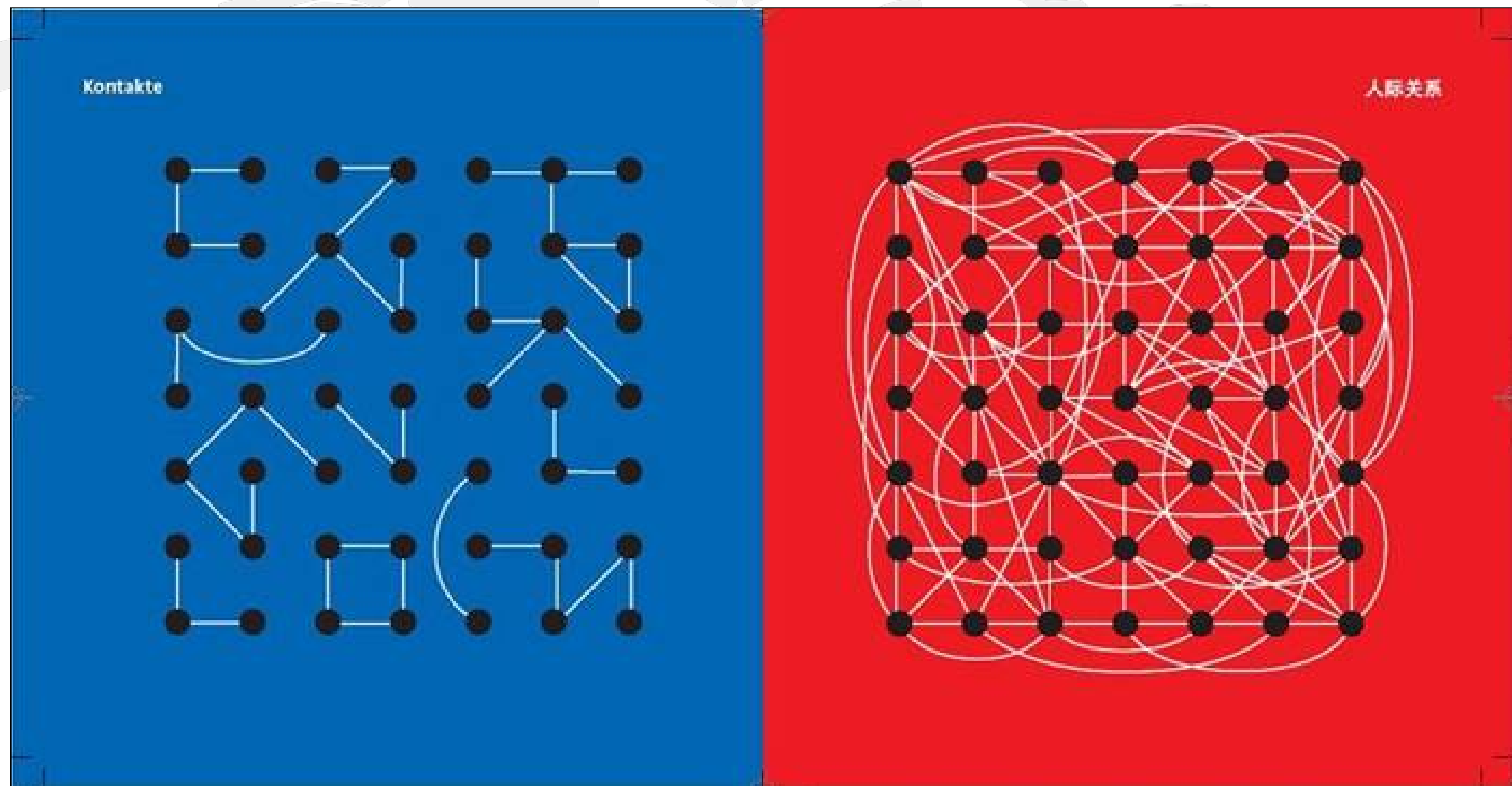
Punctuality



Communication



Relational Network



Authority

