

# The Study on the Cultivation of the Consciousness of the Chinese Community in the Field of Student Organization

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**Abstract:** China is a unified multi-ethnic country, and the great unity of the Chinese nation unity will affect the country's stability and development. The university is a young collection, so to carry out national unity education and cultivation of College Students' consciousness of the Chinese community is of great help to the realization of "Chinese dream" in Colleges and universities. The organization of college students has the role of motivation, communication, practice and education guidance. Therefore, we can seize the potential advantage of the university student organization to carry out the national unity education, and open up a new path for the cultivation of the consciousness of the Chinese community.

**Keywords:** The organization of college students; The Chinese community; The education of national unity

## 1. Introduction

China is in the process of integrating all ethnic groups in China, so the construction of the Chinese community is gradually put on the agenda of political work. The concept of "the Chinese community" <sup>[1]</sup>is of historic and epochal significance. In the nineteen major reports, general secretary Xi Jinping once again clearly pointed out that "the community consciousness of the Chinese nation is firmly established and the exchanges between the ethnic groups are strengthened. Every nation must be held as tightly as pomegranate seeds, and we must unite and strive for prosperity and development." <sup>[2]</sup>. Colleges and universities are the places for all kinds of ideas and elites to be collected, and also the place for conveying high quality builders for the socialist modernization. Carrying out the national unity education in Colleges and universities can better promote the interconnection of all ethnic groups. This is also a new direction for the current ideological and political education in Colleges and universities.

At present, the academic circles mainly focus on the theoretical study of the macro level of the Chinese community and the analysis of the construction path of the Chinese community. It is mainly embodied in the following aspects: first, starting from the concept of the Chinese nation community, we analyze its connotation and the value of the times, and put it into the national theory and the national policy. Second, we analyze the nature and significance of the identification of the Chinese national community, and propose that we should jointly promote and construct the identity consciousness of the Chinese national community from four dimensions of politics,

economy, culture and society <sup>[3]</sup>. Third, from the case, the cultivation of the consciousness of the Chinese community in Colleges and universities is mainly from the enhancement of students' historical identity, cultural identity and political identity. These treatises mainly study the connotation, nature and objectives of the Chinese community, and put forward some valuable views. Mr. Fei Xiaotong once pointed out: "we must adhere to the principles of equality and common prosperity of all ethnic groups, and we must have specific measures of mutual assistance and solidarity among ethnic groups. This is a topic we must explore now" <sup>[4]</sup>. Although the current research on the construction path of the Chinese community is in depth, it has not been able to explore the special education place in Colleges and universities. It fails to clearly point out the main path to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community in Colleges and universities, and also neglects the role of the university student organization as a potential course. Why should we focus on the cultivation of the consciousness of the Chinese community in Colleges and universities at present? Why should we focus on the use of college student organizations to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community? How to make rational use of the student organization to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community? To solve these problems, not only provides a theoretical reference for the current national work, but also provides practical ways for the ideological and political work in Colleges and universities.

## 2. The Profound Meaning of Cultivating the Consciousness of the Chinese National Community in the new Period

Our country is a whole made up of 56 nationalities. Therefore, dealing with ethnic problems is a long-term task for us. It is also a matter of national stability and prosperity of Chinese nation. Carrying out national unity education in Colleges and universities can actively cultivate the sense of Chinese national community, and is conducive to the harmony, stability and development of today's society, and is more conducive to the construction of Ideological and political work atmosphere in universities.

### **2.1. The general character of cultivating the consciousness of the Chinese community in the new period**

The concept of the "Chinese community of nations" was first proposed by general secretary Xi Jinping at the National Conference on national work in 2014. This is not only a profound insight into the national work in the new period, but also a strategic deployment to strengthen the national national construction. In recent years, the party and the state have been paying attention to the unity of all ethnic groups, and attaching great importance to the education of national unity. The National People's Committee has trained the consciousness of the Chinese community and national unity through various ways. The construction of the consciousness of the Chinese community is the crystallization of the development of the history and the present times, which can not be separated from the unity and cooperation of all ethnic groups and the efforts of all social parties.

### **2.2. The importance of cultivating the consciousness of the Chinese community in Colleges and Universities**

The Chinese nation is the main political community of the country, colleges and universities are young people gathering place, so the construction of national state is inseparable from the efforts of college students. In Colleges and universities to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community, it is not to divide the nation and the region, and to carry out the unity and education of the students as a whole. For the current university, the cultivation of College Students' sense of Chinese national community can not only promote the current national strategic layout, but also carry out the purpose of running a university and fulfill the special mission of universities, and further promote the all-round development of college students. It is a new direction for University's ideological and political work to cultivate students' national unity and cultivate the sense of Chinese national community in universities. It's also a new task of developing national national work. Therefore, it is of great significance to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese national community in Colleges and universities, and also put forward higher requirements for the ideological and political work

in Colleges and universities. Therefore, it is necessary for colleges and universities to actively plan and innovate.

### **2.3. The feasibility of College Students' organization to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community**

As an important part of Ideological and political education in Colleges and universities, student organizations play an irreplaceable leading role in the work of Ideological and political education workers. On the other hand, it is an important platform to participate in the practice of the object of Ideological and political education in Colleges and universities, and plays a vital and fundamental role. We must seize the advantages of student organizations and give full play to their role in quality development, encouragement and cohesion, communication and communication, internalization and self-discipline, and moral education. At the same time, we need to excavate the content of Ideological and political education in Colleges and universities, and combine the characteristics of the students' organization to carry out theoretical propaganda and practice education activities. The cultivation of Chinese national community consciousness needs not only strengthening the sense of community of minority students or ethnic universities, but also cultivating the sense of community of all Chinese people. In Colleges and universities, we need to use student organizations to publicize the contents of College Students' national unity education and cultivate their awareness of Chinese national community, so as to enhance the unity and cohesion of the Chinese nation.

### **3. Analysis on the role of College Students' Organization to Cultivate the Consciousness of the Chinese Community**

In Colleges and universities, there are various ways to cultivate the sense of Chinese national community. For example, we can carry out theoretical education through the classroom, propaganda and education through the general branches and general branches of the Communist Party, and also can be reported through campus radio or newspaper columns. College student organization is a part of College Students' campus life, and it has become an important carrier of Ideological and political work in the new period. To carry out ideological and political education in Colleges and universities is inseparable from student organizations, and to cultivate the sense of Chinese national community depends on student organizations. So we must give full play to its advantages in developing various activities in Colleges and universities.

#### **3.1. The role of unity and cohesion**

Student organizations as an important starting point for strengthening the cohesion of students in Colleges and

universities, which are also important for developing students' spirit of solidarity and cooperation. On the one hand, the student organization can restrict the organization members to strictly abide by various rules and regulations, and make the system internalized as the behavior norms of the students themselves. On the other hand, activities organized by student organizations highlight solidarity and cooperation. This has strong cohesion and inspiration for students, and can attract students to participate actively, which further enhances solidarity and cooperation among students. With the help of student organization, the education of national unity can be carried out for colleges and universities, and a new path has been opened up for the cultivation of the consciousness of the Chinese community. We should seize the characteristics of student organization, such as strict organizational discipline and high cohesion, and publicize and attract the majority of students to participate in practical education activities, so as to gradually promote the purpose of communication and cooperation among students.

### **3.2. The role of communication**

As an important platform to enhance communication between university students, the student organizations often appear on campus activities, and it is also a link between teachers and students. To carry out national unity education and cultivate the sense of Chinese national community is not only to publicize theoretical knowledge and enhance students' ideological awareness, but also to internalize students into their practical actions. This needs to rely on the help of the student organization. By organizing national unity related lectures, essay competitions, and holding national cultural festivals, we can mobilize all ethnic groups to actively participate in it, so that we can enhance communication among students and establish a sense of community among Chinese ethnic groups.

### **3.3. The function of the development of quality**

Student organization is an important practice place to improve the quality of students. So it is an essential part of student organization to carry out all kinds of educational activities and exercise students' abilities combined with social practice. In Colleges and universities to carry out national unity education and cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community, it is necessary to hold firmly to the position of social practice. We should know all nationalities' knowledge, culture and customs in participating in practical activities, and broaden their horizons and enhance their practical ability, so that students can firmly establish their sense of national unity and Chinese national community in their hearts.

### **3.4. The role of guiding education**

Student organization as an important way to carry out student education outside classroom education, it has a guiding and educational role for college students, and it is also an indispensable force for building a harmonious campus. In the process of cultivating the sense of Chinese national community, colleges and universities can enable students to organize activities, plan, publicize, organize, implement and summarize activities, so that more students can know what is Chinese nation and what is Chinese national community. We should use student organizations to brainstorm and guide students to plan activities such as academic, practical, competitive, speaking and literary activities, which is conducive to expanding the form of activities that universities cultivate Chinese national community consciousness. Through related activities carried out by student organizations, this can guide ethnic minority students to establish correct national outlook and unity view, and also cultivate students' sense of national unity and Chinese national community consciousness.

## **4. The Path Choice of College Students' Organization to Cultivate the Consciousness of the Chinese Community**

To cultivate college students' sense of national unity and Chinese national community consciousness is very important for promoting the current ideological and political education in universities and building a harmonious socialist society. General secretary Xi Jinping pointed out: "Ideological and political work is fundamentally human work, but also must be around students, care of students and service students" <sup>[5]</sup>. To cultivate college students' sense of Chinese national community is an important part of Ideological and political education in Colleges and universities. Therefore, we must focus on and rely on students and make reasonable use of potential courses of student organizations. Broaden the path of College Students' Ideological and political education, and enhance their awareness of national unity and the sense of Chinese national community, so as to provide spiritual wealth for the construction of "China dream".

### **4.1. A Theoretical Forum for the Development of the Chinese Community**

The organization of college students is a quick way to contact the students in school, and it is the main force to carry out all kinds of activities in the school. The cultivation of College Students' consciousness of the Chinese nation can not be separated from the study of theoretical knowledge. Through carrying out relevant theoretical knowledge learning activities through student organizations, we can better unite college students' strength and promote students' communication with each other better. With the help of the student organization to develop the theme theory forum of cultivating the consciousness of

the Chinese community, which can be started from the following aspects: First, hold a view of the event. Organize students to watch the 1911 Revolution and the Anti Japanese War theme film and television work, students are required to submit viewing impressions after viewing, and give awards to the outstanding articles. Second, carry out the exhibition of the special picture of the Chinese national community. In the name of the students, all kinds of pictures of national unity and the Chinese community of the Chinese nation are collected in the whole school. These photos are collected and made into picture display panels and displayed in the main places of the campus, which allows more students to participate in it and learn more about the knowledge and information of the Chinese national community. Third, the theoretical propaganda activities of national knowledge are held. The students' organizations distribute all kinds of propaganda materials that introduce national knowledge inside and outside the school, which allows the students to contact more national knowledge. Carry out competitive activities aimed at national policy and theoretical knowledge and mobilize more students to participate actively. A group of students with rich theoretical knowledge is selected to form a propaganda team in the school. These teams can carry out national unity education in and outside schools, which makes more people realize that the Chinese nation is a solidarity and unity community.

#### **4.2. Widening the practice education channels of the Chinese community**

To cultivate college students' sense of Chinese national community is not only to popularize simple theoretical cognition, but also to internalize theoretical cognition into practical action through practice channels. The knowledge of theory requires the experience of social practice to make theoretical knowledge more deeply rooted in the people's mind. The college student organization is the main force to participate in the practice education. They have more complete rules and regulations and have accumulated rich practical experience. First, carry out the campus national customs and Culture Festival. Ethnic minority students are actively involved in related celebrations with major festivals of minority nationalities. This makes a single national holiday celebration a popular cultural and entertainment gathering among all ethnic groups. The campus minority culture week is held, and its scale is continuously expanded through the student organization. We should publicize the meaning, origin and significance of ethnic festivals, so that all ethnic groups can exchange and understand each other, which can promote cultural equality and integration among all ethnic groups. Second, broaden the research path on the field of national activities outside school. College student organizations can carry out the "three rural areas", "the period of quality development

training" and "minority students backbone training camp", "education in ethnic minority areas" and "college volunteers preach national unity and progress into the community and some other characteristics of practice. In depth to the grass-roots community or minority areas, the cultivation of the consciousness of the Chinese community and social practice activities are combined. The transformation of theoretical cognition into practical action through practical channels can promote the communication between the students of all nationalities and the people of all nationalities.

#### **4.3. Building a campus network platform to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community**

In the rapid development of the Internet today, the power of the network media can not be underestimated. General secretary Xi Jinping pointed out: "we need to apply new media and new technologies to make our work lively, and at the same time we should promote the integration of Ideological and political work with information technology and enhance the sense and attraction of the times."<sup>[5]</sup> The work of Ideological and political education need to use the power of the Internet, and cultivate the national consciousness of community "Internet plus" platform. Constructing "Internet plus" platform intends to start from the following aspects: First, set up the school second classroom education platform. The new period, college student organizations can carry out the second classroom for students to use "Internet plus" of the special game. For example, let students collect more data of national solidarity through the Internet to make micro videos and microfilms, and to declare the knowledge of the Chinese national community through speech competition. The organization establishes a student association or an interest group to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community. Make good use of the second classroom of college student organizations potential advantages, combined with the "Internet plus" operation QQ, WeChat, micro-blog and other official network platform regularly push national knowledge, showing related activities and photos, strengthen national community education. Second, build the campus network culture construction platform. Using the university student organization to carry out online surveys, online voting, Internet submission and internet promotion, we will form a cultural atmosphere of cultivating Chinese national community consciousness in universities. The activities of the planning and publicity to the rational use of new technology and new media, and create a "unity of the Chinese nation", "the Chinese community" and "the Chinese family" of the campus network culture atmosphere.

### **5. Conclusion**

To cultivate college students' sense of Chinese national community is the task of today's development. It is also

the mission entrusted by the times to universities. It is also a top priority for ideological and political work in Colleges and universities. The Chinese nation is a united and unified whole. The realization of "China dream" is inseparable from the unity and cooperation of all ethnic groups in China, and it is inseparable from the unremitting efforts of young college students. To realize the great rejuvenation of the Chinese nation, it is necessary to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community and to strengthen the identity of the ethnic communities of the people of all nationalities. It is a long and arduous task to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese national community in universities and colleges. At the same time, it is necessary to accomplish the task with the help of the joint efforts of all parties. Relying on the organization of college students to cultivate the consciousness of the Chinese community, it has both theoretical and practical feasibility. Student organizations play an important role in the ideological and political education in Colleges and universities. Therefore, making good use of student organizations can not only serve for building a harmonious campus, but also enable students to integrate theoretical knowledge and practical activities. The concept of the national community is rooted in the heart, which can achieve the purpose of cultivating the consciousness of the Chinese community of college students.

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