

Although the unsettled case of disappeared Chinese scholar, Yingyin Zhang, heavily impacted the local Chinese Community, students still feel positive about their safety on campus.

"I don't think Champaign is a dangerous place. I won't be worried to walk on the streets after this event," Yujie Li, junior in Business, said. "I think it's just an accidental event. It won't affect our regular life."

But positive attitude is not enough. To learn how to protect students themselves is also an important part. Ruiyang Chen, sophomore in DGS, said that "International students are sometimes seen as easy targets because they are new here, and they don't know about the American society," Chen said. "If they learn how to protect themselves and learn how to defend themselves, I don't think that will be a problem for them."

Protection is not just from people themselves, but also from the community. "We would not give up this case because Yingying is also one of the international students here," Robin Huang, the vice president of the Public Relation Department of CSSA, said. "We care about her. We can feel the feelings of the family because we all have parents."

CSSA was involved in the case for providing various kinds of help and spreading the information of the case. But they are not the only one. The Chinese American Association of Central Illinois (CAACI) has also actively participated in the case from the start. Charlie Li, president of the CAACI, said the Chinese community has been very active in helping with the case and should continue putting in all its' resources into looking for Zhang.

"As the Chinese community members here, we should continue to help the family to ease the pressure, especially help them out in their life of transition," Charlie said. "It's very important to continue providing support to the family."

The unity helps people to move on. "It's not maybe the first case; it's not the last case," Li said. "But it does have a great effect on the community, and it has a great effect on all the Chinese families."

Since people hold positive attitude, there still needs time to heal the wounds. But just like Li said, "This will be the best school for the Chinese students to select if they want to come to the U.S. to study."

Rewrite Opinions: I cut down a lot of unnecessary quotes because they seem to be unnecessary for people to be aware of the situation now. The main points of this article should just be 3 parts: Positive Attitude, Protection from people themselves and The help from the community. However I think there is a problem of this article: The title of this article is about the positive attitude, but the relevant materials of this issue is just a small part of the original one.