



## Educational Opportunities on the Silk Road – Thursday, August 2

- Dr. Cindy Elliott speaking
- Fort Hays University signed MOU related to One Belt One Road Initiative with partner Sias International University
- The Belt and Road Initiative
  - 6 land corridors, 1 maritime silk road
  - The “Belt” is on land
  - The “Road” is maritime
  - Covers more than 68 countries total
- Vision of the initiative: promote closer people-to-people ties
- Priority: improve educational interconnectivity
- Dual Bachelor’s Degree between the partners
- University Alliance
  - Talent cultivation
  - Discipline construction
  - Teacher training
  - Share knowledge and technology
- Methods of Cooperation
  - Student exchange
  - Scientific research projects
  - University think tank
- The Belt and Road Initiative is beneficial for multinational education