

# *Two cultures, double strength*

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*There are cultural differences...*



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*In Norway...*



Ski-going is “hot”

*In Norway...*



Cabin-going is the No.1 hobby



## *In Norway...*



Daddies also take maternity leaves

## *In Norway...*



The bosses are mostly “down to the earth”



*In Norway...*



Solidarity is cherished



*In Norway...*



There is excellence

# *Chinese living in Norway*

- Language
- Social skill
- History
- Tradition
- Weather



Can be hard to adapt...

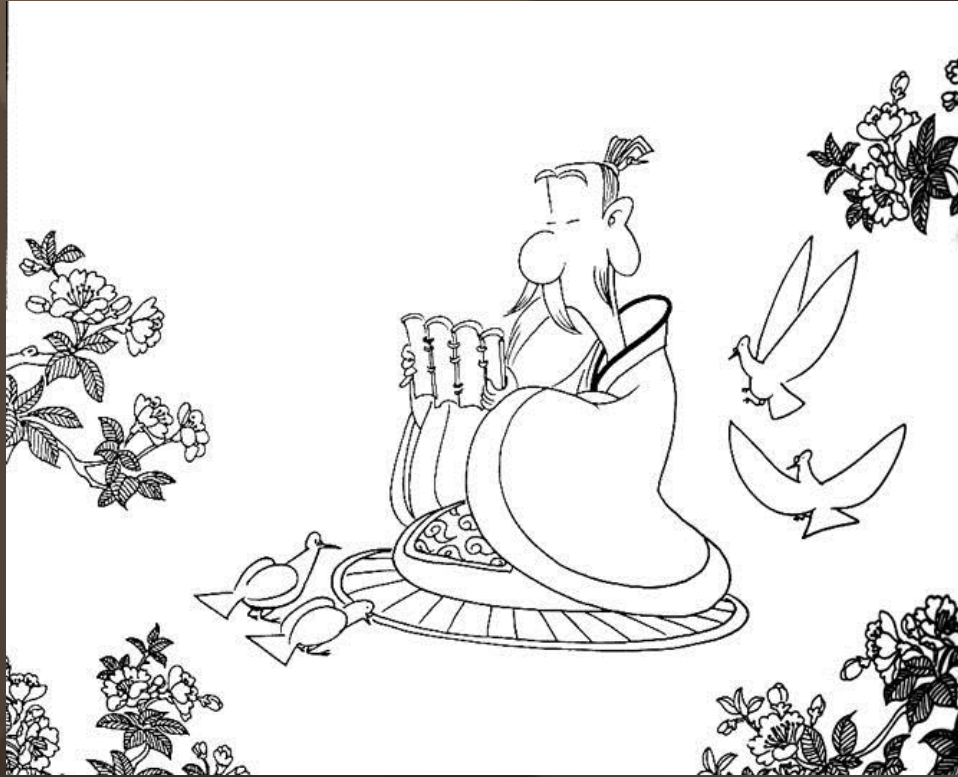
*Stick to your strength...*



Work hard



*Stick to your strength...*



Stay prudent

*Stick to your strength...*



Be cooperative

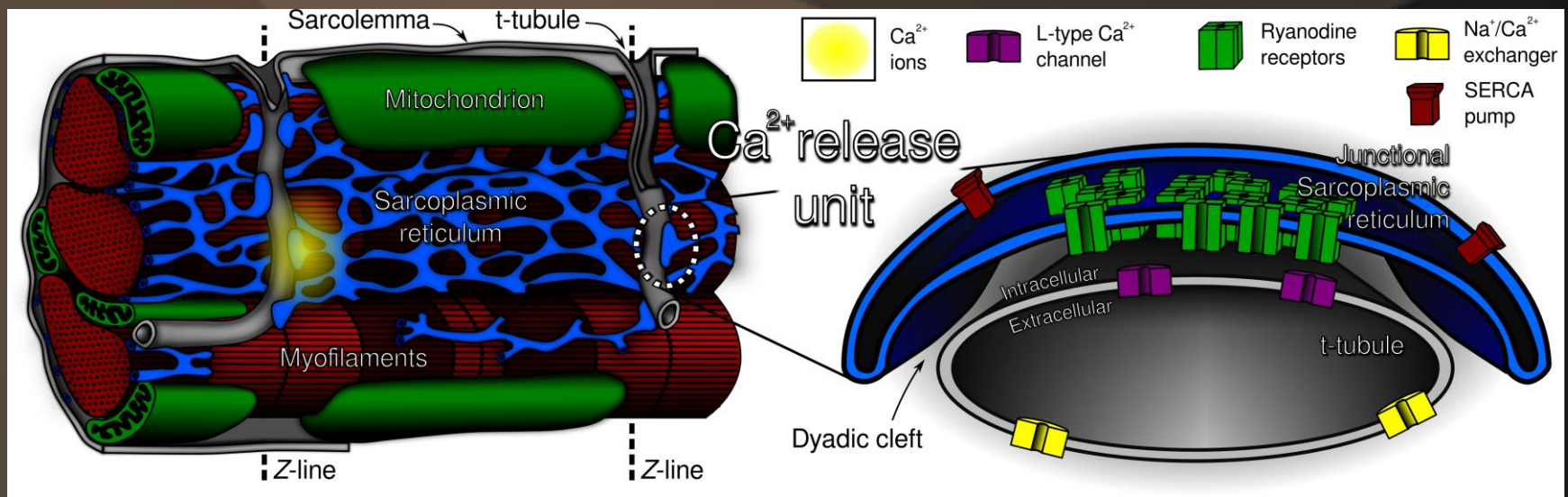
# *One example of joining forces*



Tianhe-2: No.1 supercomputer in the world



# *Study of subcellular calcium dynamics*



Nanometre resolution requires supercomputing

## *The research team*



- National University of Defense Technology, China
- Simula Research Laboratory, Norway
- University of Oslo, Norway

*Two research fields, two cultures...*





# *Result*



- First large-scale scientific application run on TH-2
- First journal publication about use of TH-2

*To summarize...*



- Be confident about your heritage and strength
- Embrace the Norwegian culture!