

China Experience 2010 Schedule

Nicholls State University - May 23-June 2

SCHEDULE		
Shanghai		
May 23/24	AM/PM	Depart USA/Arrive Shanghai
May 25	9:00AM	Orientation and China Presentation: John Pate
	2:00PM	Shanghai Futures Exchange
	5:30PM	Meeting Jim Rice, Tyson Foods VP
	Evening	Nanjing Road and the Bund
May 26	9:00AM	WORLD EXPO
	2:00PM	WORLD EXPO
	6:00PM	Dinner at Zhongfu
Xi'an		
May 27	AM	Fly to Xi'an/Check in Hotel
	PM	History Museum; City Wall; Bell Tower
	Evening	Optional: Tang Dumpling Show
May 28	AM/PM	Terra Cotta Warriors
	Evening	Train to Beijing
Beijing		
May 29	9:00AM	Arrive Beijing/Check-in Hotel/Flex Time
	1:30AM	Meeting: Microsoft Research
	3:00PM	Factory Tour: Lenovo
	7:00PM	Meeting: Matthew Jaskol, STARCON
May 30	8:30AM	Great Wall at Mutianyu
	2:00PM	Summer Palace
	6:00PM	Dinner: Korean Barbeque
May 31	8:30AM	Temple of Heaven/Pearl Market
	2:00PM	Forbidden City
	5:00PM	Dinner: Local Beijing Cuisine
	Evening	Optional Activity: Acrobat Show
June 1	10:00AM	Meeting: Ministry of Commerce
	10:00AM	Factory Tour: Hyundai
June 2	AM/PM	Depart Beijing/Arrive Houston, New Orleans



The Temple of Heaven is a historical site in central Beijing reminding onlookers of ancient times when the emperor offered sacrifices to Heaven. The early ceremonies parallel the Judeo-Christian concepts in Genesis.

In the early morning, hundreds of Senior Citizens can be found in the surrounding park exercising, dancing, playing ancient instruments, and participating in other social activities.

Xi'an is the cradle of Chinese culture. The Terra Cotta Warriors are one of China's great tourist destinations. The first emperor of China had an army placed in the ground to guard his tomb from his enemies to the east. Xi'an also served as capitol for three dynasties in China's history.

With preparations almost complete for the 2010 World Expo, Shanghai is preparing to show its best side to the world. The World Expo will feature state of the art venues from around the world and give students a global culture experience all in one city.

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