

Inside the China Miracle
Program Itinerary
Beijing (New China Capital) –Hong Kong- Hefei (An Inland Town)-Shanghai (A Coast
Metropolitan)

DEPARTURE May 18th (Monday) at the latest. Participants might consider arriving early.

ARRIVAL ON May 19th (Tuesday)

Individual pick up at Beijing International Airport

Check in QianMen JianGuo Hotel <http://www.qianmenhotel.com/>

Casual dinner, 7:30pm. Meet in the lobby, if interested, at 7:00pm.

May 20th (Wednesday)

Breakfast at your leisure.

9:00- 10:00am Meet at hotel for orientation and introduction lecture by Dr. Lu Wei, Assistant Dean of USTC School of Management

10:15am City Tour of Tian'an Men Square, The Arch Building (go up to the ceremony level), The Forbidden City

3:00pm Late Lunch

The Heaven Temple, and Bird's Nest and Water Cube

Evening: Free (Suggested: Attend Chinese Acrobatic Performance or Peking Opera).

May 21st (Thursday)

Breakfast at your leisure.

9:00-10:30, 10:30- 12:30 Classes at Tsinghua University (the Harvard of China).

http://ggbg.cic.tsinghua.edu.cn/ggbg_en/index.jsp Lectures on the Environment, the Current State of the Economy, and Labor issues.

12:30-1:30pm Lunch on campus and quick tour

3:00-6:00pm Visit to the US Embassy

Evening: Group Dinner at Peking Duck Restaurant

May 22nd (Friday)

Chartered Tour to Great Wall and Summer Palace.

(on the return bus ride: Reactions and Discussion on the first week)

Evening: Free

May 23rd (Saturday)

Early morning flight to Hong Kong and check into Hotel.

Evening: Free

May 24th (Sunday)

Morning: Half day tour of Hong Kong with shopping

Evening: Free

May 25th (Monday)

Early Morning flight to Hefei. Check into hotel

Afternoon: Classes at USTC (the MIT of China). Lecture on Entrepreneurship (Sino-American Comparative Study) or Carbon Emission Trading with USTC graduate students, Q&A and discussions

Evening: Dinner with students and Karaoke

May 26th (Tuesday)

Early morning departure to visit a local primary school (have some pencils etc. as gifts to pupils)

Afternoon: Visit City Hall of Hefei and meet senior officials lecture on Hefei Development Policy by Mr. Sheng Zhigang, Vice Mayor.

Visit Baogong Temple (Baogong is the most uncorrupted official in the Chinese history, “Baogong” is now the Pronoun for uncorrupted official in China)

Early evening: Visit a huge labor intensive company (over 9000 workers)

<http://www.huataigroup.com>

May 27th (Wednesday)

Early Flight or Express Train (3 hours) to Shanghai.

City Tour and shopping

Evening: Free

May 28th (Thursday)

Morning: Lecture by Audrey Zook and Peter Ballenger on Political Risk

Afternoon: Visit to the Nick Factory

Evening: Free

May 29th (Friday)

9:00- 10:30am Visit to Shanghai Stock Exchange, briefing by Dr. Liu Xiaodong and witness listing of new company http://www.sse.com.cn/sseportal/en_us/ps/home.shtml

1:00- 3:00pm Visit to Shanghai Media Group, The first Financial and Economic Channel and News Dream Factory, Briefing and Q&A hosted by senior officials of SMG, The biggest across media group in China, owns many TV channels, radio and newspapers

<http://www.smg.sh.cn/english/index.html>

Evening: Cruise on Huang Pu River and farewell dinner

May 30th (Saturday)

Visit to USTC Shanghai Campus. Classes with USTC Graduate Students. Final wrap-up session. (We will need to depart the Shanghai campus in the early afternoon, so the group can have some final free time in Shanghai).

May 31st (Sunday) Check-out and Individual Departure