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Study Abroad Programs in China

SEMESTER, SUMMER AND INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS

CHENGDU SHANGHAI SUZHOU TAIPEI











Why g-MEO

g-MEO's Study Abroad Programs in China provide students with the opportunity to study abroad in several locations in greater China. Our programs offer both the academic rigor and hands-on experience by combining course work with the opportunity to intern or volunteer with companies and organizations while abroad.

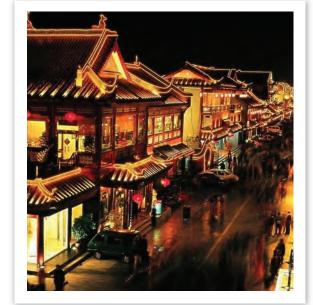
Studying Abroad with g-MEO will fit your Academic Path

Whether you choose to study abroad at g-MEO's Chengdu American Center for Study Abroad or directly enroll with one of our partner universities in Shanghai, Suzhou, or Taipei, g-MEO's programs will keep you on track to graduate on time. Our course offerings will allow you to earn credits towards general education requirements, or towards your major. Each course has been carefully developed to ensure that your credits transfer back to your home institution seamlessly upon completion of your time abroad. And while all of our courses are taught in English, you will also be given the opportunity to take language

courses in Mandarin, providing you with a truly immersive experience.















Why Study Abroad in China?

ENHANCE YOUR CAREER PROSPECTS

China is likely to be part of your future. Whether you go into business, engineering, health care, architecture, hospitality, or law, your experience studying abroad in China will help you succeed.

China's economy is already the world's second largest and is still growing. It is America's fastest-growing major export destination and third largest by volume, behind only Canada and Mexico. Experiencing its culture and understanding its market growth will boost your career.

EMPIRICAL STUDIES HAVE SHOWN THAT STUDENTS WHO STUDY ABROAD:

- Are more competitive in career development
- Are better prepared for a global or multicultural work environment
- Enhance their experiences, knowledge, and judgement
- Strengthen their skills academically, personally, and socially
- Are highly satisfied with their study abroad experience



Apply online at www.gmeochina.com

Who can apply?

g-MEO Study Abroad Programs in China programs are open to students currently matriculated at a US college or university who wish to study abroad during their Sophomore or Junior year, for a summer, semester, or a year. Our programs are also open to Freshmen as long as it is permitted by their home institution.

You must meet the GPA requirements set by your home institution to study abroad. You are required to discuss in detail your intent to study abroad with your home institution, and obtain the approval of your Advisor for the program of your choice prior to submitting this application.

Application Deadlines:

Summer programs: April 15th Fall Programs: April 15th Spring Programs: November 1st

Program Fee includes:

- Tuition and/or instructional fees paid to partnering universities
- Standard International student accommodation, with a double occupancy room (Single-occupancy rooms at extra cost)
- Medical and emergency evacuation insurance
- Assistance with Chinese Visa application
- Airport pickup and drop-off
- Course related activities and off-campus excursions (local, plus four-day trip)
- Internship coordination and placement

Our Program Locations



XI'AN-JIAOTONG LIVERPOOL UNIVERSITY SINO-AMERICAN CENTER



SHANGHAI FINANCE UNIVERSITY



CHENGDU AMERICAN CENTER FOR STUDY ABROAD



SHANGHAI

CHENGDU





YUAN ZE UNIVERSITY









It is also easy to escape Chengdu to hike or cycle through timeless rural villages, Buddhist and Taoist temples and monasteries, and mountain preserves. For those interested in wildlife and biodiversity, Chengdu is close to the Giant Panda Breeding Center and the Wolong Nature Reserve. There are two recently excavated archeological sites - Sanxingdui rivals the terracotta warriors of Xian in importance, with breathtaking bronze objects over 4,900 years old. These nearby sites can also form part of your studies.

ELIGIBILITY:

No Mandarin Required Overall GPA: 2.5

FIELDS OF STUDY:

Criminal Justice
Psychology
International Studies
China Studies
Communication
Economics
International Business
Hospitality Management
Internships (see page 9)

TERMS:

Fall, Spring

CREDIT:

12-18 credits

HOUSING:

Single or double occupancy dorm room at Sichuan University

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION:

English

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Fall: April 15th Spring: November 1st

Semester Program:

Chengdu American Center for Study Abroad

Study a wide variety of courses in one of China's most dynamic cities. Thousands of years of history combine with cutting-edge technology in the unique and exciting Chengdu. Located in the heart of China, The Chengdu American Center for Study Abroad is located in the capital of Sichuan Province in China's Southwest. The Center is established through a collaboration between q-MEO and American University, Concordia University, Fairleigh Dickinson University, and Norwich University, who offer a range of their own courses by their own professors, making credits easy to transfer for all students who attend. Even though courses are offered by these five schools, the program is open to all students regardless of what school they are attending. The Center is located on Sichuan University's beautiful, downtown Huaxi campus, in one of its stately old buildings. You will study with a mix of other Americans and students from Sichuan University.







Summer Program Session I:

Chengdu American Center for Study Abroad

The g-MEO American Summer School in China program is a unique opportunity for both American students and international students alike (including Chinese international students completing their college degrees in the United States) to take U.S. accredited courses over the course of 5 weeks in Sichuan University at Chengdu, China. From early June to mid July, students will enroll in 1 to 2 courses during the program, or they can take 3 courses with written authorization of their home institute. Course credits are issued by Fairleigh Dickinson University in New Jersey, a well-established, highly accredited university.

Who Should Attend

The g-MEO Summer School Program is particularly well suited for students who would like to take courses during the summer either to make up courses they might have fallen behind on, or to take on a few courses over the summer in order to graduate early.

For more information, or to apply to attend the g-MEO Summer Programs in China please visit http://www.gmeochina.com/







FIELDS OF STUDY:

Business
Economics
Social Science &
Humanities
Language Studies
Sciences

TERMS:

Summer

HOUSING:

Single or double occupancy dorm rooms at Sichuan University or in hotel near campus

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION:

English

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Earlybird: March 1st General: April 15th

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Merit based 3.3 GPA or higher by the end of their Fall semester: \$600

OTHER

Chengdu Mayor's Scholarship RMB 5000

FIELDS OF STUDY:

Business
Economics
Social Science &
Humanities
Language Studies
Sciences

TERMS:

Summer

HOUSING

Dormitory near Sino-American Center

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION:

English

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Earlybird : March 1st General: April 15th

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Merit based 3.3 GPA or higher by the end of their Fall semester: \$600

Summer Program Session II:

Sino-American Center, in Suzhou

g-MEO Summer Program Session II will be held in Suzhou at the Sino-American Center located in Dushu Lake Higher Education District, within close proximity two dozen branch campuses of major Chinese universities. The City of Suzhou, on the other hand, is often known as "Venice of the East." It is located in the Greater Shanghai region within 20 minute of train ride to downtown Shanghai. From end of July to mid August, students will enroll 1 to 2 courses during the 4-week program. Course credits are issued by Fairleigh Dickinson University in New Jersey, a well-established, highly accredited university.

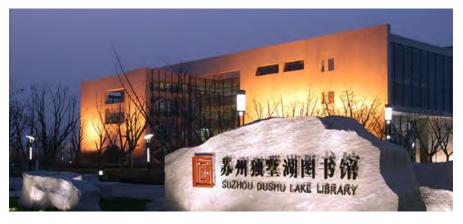
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Internship Programs: Chengdu American Center

Students accepted to study at the Center are eligible to apply to one or more of the unique internships listed on the side of this page. All internships vary from a few hours per week, to weekends, to short-term research and summer-long internships. Students might work closely with a research fellow at the Sichuan Academy of Social Sciences on projects that range from economic development, to migrant education, to earthquake reconstruction to tourism development. Students interested in education and sports education can work in schools in Chengdu and on weekends in youth sports clubs. Students with specific areas of interest not listed can also place a request to help find an internship. All students must complete a statement of purpose, as well as provide a CV and letter of recommendation for review by g-MEO and then by the receiving organization. In some cases an online interview may be requested. Students will receive a letter of recommendation after completion of a successful internship.







INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

Type: Law

DeHeng Law Firm

Type: Research

Sichuan Academy of Social Sciences

Type: Education

Open University of China Zongbei Elementary School Qingsu Vocational School

Type: Marketing/Event

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Type: Health

Lansen Rehabilitation Center

PROGRAM DATES:

March - August

TERMS:

Spring, Summer

CREDIT:

12-18 semester credits

HOUSING:

Single and double occupancy rooms

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION:

English

INTERNSHIP HOTELS:

Ritz-Carlton (5 star) Jinjiang Hotel (5 Star)

STIPENDS:

Small stipends are provided by hotels on a monthly basis. This may include meals available at the respective hotels

Internship Programs:

Chengdu American Center Hospitality Management

Students majoring in Hospitality or Tourism Management have the unique opportunity to engage in an academic semester abroad at the Chengdu American Center for Study Abroad while also completing a professional internship with a 5 star hotel in the city of Chengdu over the summer. Chengdu, home to a population of 14 million, has become an international hub for tourism and business, making the hotel and tourism industry one of the city's key economic sectors.

Once students have completed their courses, internships with their respective hotels become full-time. As professional internships, students are expected to show up for their internships everyday and to conduct themselves in a professional manner. Students will have the opportunity to interview and work for either the Ritz-Carlton or Jinjiang Hotel and upon successful completion of the program may also receive letters of recommendations from their internship supervisors which may later be used for future endeavors.







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Eligibility:	No Mandarin Required Overall GPA:2.5	No Mandarin Reguired Overall GPA:2.5	No Mandarin Required Overall GPA:2.5
Fields of Study:	Criminal Justice Psychology International Studies China Studies Communication Economics International Business Hospitality Management Internships	Business Economics Social Science & Humanities Language Studies Sciences	Business Economics Social Science & Humanities Language Studies Sciences
Terms:	Fall, Spring	Summer	Summer
Credit:	12-18 credits	3-9 credits	3-6 credits
Housing:	Single or Double Occupancies Dorms at Sichuan University	Double Occupancy Dorm Rooms at Sichuan University or Hotel Near Campus	Dormitory Near Sino-American Center
Language of Instruction:	English	English	English
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TAIWAN: Yuan Ze University (Page 13)	SUZHOU: Xi'an Jiaotong- Liverpool University (Page 14)	SHANGHAI: Shanghai Finance University (Page 15)
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Social Sciences Humanities Business Management Science Technology Engineering Math Taiwan Study Internships	Accounting Finance and Economics Computer Science Mathematics Business Pre-Law Engineering English Environmental Studies Chinese Language & Culture China Studies	Business Management Finance and Accounting Economics Marketing Chinese Language & Culture Internship
Fall, Spring	Fall, Spring	Fall, Spring
12-18 credits	12-18 credits	12-18 credits
Off Campus Single Occupancy Dormitories	Single Occupancy Apartments near Campus	On Campus Single- Room Dormitory
English	English	English
Fall: April 15th Spring: November 1st	Fall: April 15th Spring: November 1st	Fall: April 15th Spring: November 1st -

Taiwan:

Yuan Ze University

Yuan Ze University (YZU) is the youngest and most energetic of Taiwan's top universities and is particularly well known for its programs in Business and Finance, Engineering, and the Media Arts. Certain courses will be taught in a combination of lecture and class excursion. An eclectic mix of Chinese, Japanese and Western cultures, Taiwan embodies the idea of tradition meets modernity. Located in Taoyuan, 40 minutes by train from downtown Taipei, and founded in 1989. There are around 9,000 students and over 700 faculty and staff. YZU has rapidly grown into the top private university in Taiwan, and is ranked in the top 400 in Times (London) Higher Education 2011-2012 World University Rankings. It is the first bilingual university in Taiwan, and attracts 250 international students. The curriculum of the School of Management is AACSB accredited. The curriculum of the engineering departments are IEET accredited.







ELIGIBILITY:

No Mandarin Required Overall GPA: 2.5

FIELDS OF STUDY:

Social Sciences and Humanities Business and Management Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math Taiwan Study Internships

TERMS:

Fall, Spring

CREDIT:

12-18 credits

HOUSING:

Off Campus Single
Occupancy Dormitories

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: English

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Fall: April 15th Spring: November 1st

ELIGIBILITY:

No Mandarin Required Overall GPA: 2.5

FIELDS OF STUDY:

Accounting
Finance and Economics
Computer Science
Mathematics
Business
Pre-Law
Engineering
English
Environmental Studies
Chinese Language &
Culture
China Studies

TERMS:

Fall, Spring

CREDIT:

12-18 credits

HOUSING:

Single Occupancy Apartments near Campus

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: English

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Fall: April 15th Spring: November 1st

Suzhou:

Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University

While offering a wide range of courses in a breadth of disciplines, g-MEO's direct enrollment program with Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU) is particularly well suited for students interested in Engineering and Technology who are looking to expand their careers and horizons in Suzhou's brand new technology park. Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU) is a Sino-British joint-venture established in 2006 between two leading institutions -Xi'an Jiaotong University and the University of Liverpool. You will study alongside Chinese and other international students. XJLTU s high caliber academic staff hold PhDs from some of the world's highest ranked universities, and are involved in both teaching and research. In addition, all teaching and assessment at XJTLU are delivered in line with the rigorous standards of the British Quality Assurance Agency (QAA), a national agency responsible for the accreditation of all UK higher degree programs. XJTLU is located in the Suzhou Dushu Lake Science, Innovation and Education District, and is well-connected to the Suzhou Old City by public transportation.







Shanghai:

Shanghai Finance University

Founded 60 years ago, Shanghai Finance University (SHFU) specializes in developing graduates in finance and business management for the rapidly expanding financial industry. SHFU should be considered as a study abroad program option by all students majoring in Business, Finance or Management fields, particularly for taking courses directly related to their majors. Students participating in the program will have the opportunity to engage in simulation exercises related to various departments within financial institutions through SHFU's on campus mock bank. Through such features, the university has earned the name "Cradle of Future Financial Experts." SHFU has more than 8,000 full-time students from 23 provinces in mainland China, Hong Kong, Macau and Taiwan, with whom you will study. Every year about 400 foreign students from around the world are enrolled at SHFU. Located in Shanghai's new Pudong District, SHFU is near other universities and many multinational corporations. This is a great location for students who want to be close to the downtown area of a major metropolitan city, but who prefer a smaller, more rural university campus.







ELIGIBILITY:

No Mandarin Required Overall GPA: 2.5

FIELDS OF STUDY:

Business Management
Finance and Accounting
Economics
Marketing
Chinese Language &
Culture
Internships

TERMS:

Fall, Spring

CREDIT:

12-18 credits

HOUSING:

On campus single occupancy dormitory

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION: English

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Fall: April 15th Spring: November 1st

What g-MEO Students Think About Studying Abroad in China



"The main goal...I wanted to achieve while abroad in China was to learn extensively about the culture of Chinese people, and I feel I have done so with the usage of books, classes, and [the] cultural excursions that were provided by g-MEO."



"I believe that as a country China is a beautiful place with an extraordinary amount of opportunities for students. The people I have encountered are extremely kind and welcoming, thus I have had a positive perspective towards my stay here."







"I have enjoyed my stay in Chengdu excessively. I did not expect to enjoy my stay as much as I have... Chengdu as a city has provided me with what I feel is the most important experience of my lifetime."

"My goal was to ultimately come back to the U.S. a more well-rounded person. A person with a broader and more open mindset that can be able to adapt to any environment...I believe I have achieved that in a great way by accepting a totally different culture and finding a way to keep my own identity while living happily outside of my comfort zone."



"My goal was to learn more about China and Chinese people by immersing myself in the culture. I think I was able to do that pretty well; I am more than satisfied with my decision of coming here."



The Chinese locals were interested in me and very kind. They made me feel comfortable enough to get used to their culture."

"I wanted to learn how to be independent, and this experience has helped me to do so."







g-MEO Scholarships

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Students who are admitted to the Chengdu American Center program each Fall and Spring semester are eligible to be considered for this scholarship to assist with their living expenses while studying abroad at the Center. The amount of the scholarship ranges from RMB 6,000 - RMB 12,000 and is awarded in monthly installments. Selection of the scholarship recipients will be based on merit and financial need. Applicants should be in good academic standing with their home university and should maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better. Students must submit a 500 word essay detailing why they are interested in studying abroad at the Center and how they expect the experience to enrich their future academic and professional careers. In addition, applicants must prove their financial need by emailing a copy of their most recent Financial Aid Award Letter issued to them by their university.

Chengdu Mayor's Scholarship

All students who attend and successfully complete the g-MEO Chengdu American Center for Study Abroad will be awarded a scholarship in the amount of RMB 15,000 (approximately \$2,300 depending on the exchange rate). This scholarship is being provided to students attending the program by the Mayor's office of the Municipal Government of Chengdu. No additional material is required from students during the application process to receive this scholarship.

Chengdu Center Summer Program Scholarships

Students participating in the Chengdu Center summer program may qualify for two merit based scholarships. Students with a 3.3 or higher GPA at the time of applying will receive a \$600 scholarship.

Students attending the summer program session I in Chengdu may also qualify for the Chengdu Overseas Ambassador Scholarship in the amount of RMB 5000. Please note that this scholarship is only applicable for non-Chinese citizens.

g-MEO Travel Grant

Travel Grant awarded to students admitted to the Chengdu American Center program who demonstrates financial need. Receipts will receive \$500 Travel Grant to assist their trip to Chengdu, China. The Travel Grant is competitive and requires the submission of a 500 word essay.





FAQ

1. Do I need to know any Chinese to study abroad in China?

No. Academic courses are all taught in English, and local staff dealing with international students speak English. If you have not studied Mandarin Chinese, you will be placed in a beginner's level course.

2. I have already studied some Mandarin Chinese. How do I know which level to sign up for?

Previous courses you have taken in Mandarin will be evaluated by professors in China. You will be notified after placement test which level you should sign up for. In the event you register for an inappropriate level, you will be properly placed upon arrival.

3. What GPA is required to attend a program?

GPA requirements are set by your home institution. You must meet these requirements to be able to study abroad.

4. Can my financial aid package be used to cover the costs of studying abroad?

Your home institution is responsible for certifying your financial aid. Most students are able to use their Stafford loans while studying abroad, as long as the credits they earn are approved by their home institution. Please contact your financial aid office for more details.

5. What is g-MEO's refund policy?

If you cancel up to two weeks prior to the first day of on-site orientation, you will receive a 100% refund, and up to one week prior you will receive a 75% refund. After this date no refunds will be granted.

6. How do I apply for a Chinese student visa?

The New York Student Affairs Office can obtain your Chinese student visa on your behalf. Detailed information will be included in your acceptance package.









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