

Mays Business School China Business Study Abroad

Travel to China for two weeks and earn 3-credit hours. Develop a clear understanding of Chinese business culture and gain valuable insights to the economic environment of the world's largest and most dynamic emerging market. Dr. Gaspar of the Mays Business School will direct the program and accompany the group to Beijing and Xi'an, China with lectures facilitated by Beijing Jiaotong University professors. The following course will be part of your Summer I, 2017 registration.

Program dates: **Summer1: May 12-25, 2017**
(Note: Spring Commencement is May 13)

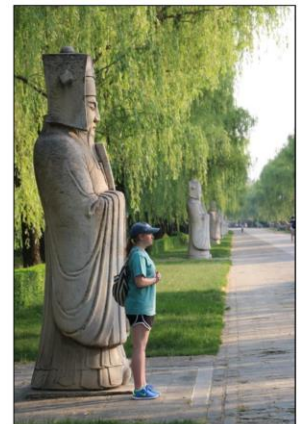
Course: BUSI 4396 Directed Independent Study

Requirements: Business major or minor; min. 2.5 GPA; Attend mandated pre-departure meetings in the spring

Estimated Cost **\$3,800*** (business majors) or **\$4,300*** (business minors)

Questions? Dr. Kent Byus (OCNR 388, Kent.Byus@tamucc.edu)
Visit mays.tamu.edu/china to read about previous trips.

* Estimated cost includes airfare, meals, accommodation, travel documents, study abroad fee, cultural visits, 3-hours in-state TAMU-CC tuition, estimated personal expenses and College of Business subsidy for Business majors.
See reverse for breakdown of expenses.



Applications open in early September. Deadline to apply is November 1, 2016.

Students are accepted on a rolling basis.

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Summer 2017 Program Timeline

Early September - November 1:

Applications accepted for China Business Study Abroad. Apply online at mays.tamu.edu/cibs.

Complete Application:

Applicants are chosen at intervals until program is full. If Selected to participate, you will receive notification from the CIBS office to your TAMU EMAIL ADDRESS. You will have to CONFIRM your participation or WITHDRAW from the program in the study abroad portal.

CONFIRM Participation:

Pay \$700 deposit (non-refundable) accessible through HOWDY. Students who do not make the payment will be dropped from the program.
**Note: remaining program charges billed during spring semester; tuition billed in May. Installment plans can be utilized if enrolled with SBS before Feb 1.*

January 15:

Pay TAMU Study Abroad Fee **\$300**. Non-business majors must also pay the remaining program fee of **\$500**.

February 15:

Deadline for TAMUCC Study Abroad Scholarships.
Visit <http://studyabroad.tamucc.edu/scholarships/index.html>.

February 15:

Pay AIRFARE of approximately **\$1,400**. Fees must be PAID by the TAMU due date or you will be dropped by the Registrar's Office.

Spring:

Attend ALL pre-departure meetings to discuss program details and prepare for your international experience. Meetings will take place in Wehner and are mandatory. Dates and times are as follows.

May 12:

Depart for China! Learn about doing business through classroom instruction, company visits and cultural excursions in Beijing and Xi'an, China.

Late May:

Pay 3 hours of summer tuition for program.

Estimated Program Fee

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| Lodging (shared room) | \$370 |
| Cultural/Corporate Visits | \$480 |
| In Country Transportation | \$ 60 |
| Other Program Expenses | \$290 |
| Less COB Subsidy (Business majors only) | (\$500) |
| Program Fee (billed to TAMU account) | \$700 |

Estimated Additional Cost

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| Tuition for 3 credit hours (Est. in-state) | \$800 |
| Roundtrip Airfare to China | \$1,400 |
| Passport | \$100 |
| China Visa | \$150 |
| TAMU Study Abroad Program fee | \$300 |
| Meals & Personal Expenses | \$350 |
| Additional Costs | \$3,100 |