URPL.GP 2252
Urbanization & Sustainable Development in a Global Context: China
Professor Zhan Guo
2018 Daily Itinerary

Arrival/Check-in: May 28
Course dates: May 29 - June 8 @ Noon
Departure/Check-out: June 8

Hannah Atchison will be in Shanghai for the course and acting as the local coordinator. She will be residing at Tong Mao and will be there early.

TRAVEL NOTES

TRANSPORTATION
- Students should expect to arrive and take a taxi or public transportation to Tong Mao Hotel (1555 Century Avenue, Pudong, Shanghai). Direction cards to Tong Mao Hotel (and to NYU Shanghai) are posted on the NYU Classes Site.
- Private coach bus transportation to class site visits (as noted below) is included in your program fee.

MEALS
- Breakfast/Lunch – you may choose to have breakfast/lunch wherever you wish each day (it is not included in room rate). Breakfast at the hotel is 80RMB/($12) person. The NYU Cafeteria opens at 7:30 am each day on B1 at NYU Shanghai. On May 29 at or after the orientation, NYU Shanghai will show you how to put cash on your NYU ID card to use at the NYU Cafeteria.
- Dinner – typically dinner will be on your own unless otherwise noted in the itinerary. There are many restaurants nearby Tong Mao Hotel and restaurants in the hotel. Feel free to ask the hotel front desk on the day you arrive for information about places to eat.
- Restaurants in the hotel close early.

HOTEL
- The rooms have been paid for so you do not need to make any payments, unless you purchase something from the hotel including meals, beverages, snacks, laundry, phone calls, etc.
- In addition the rooms have: a tea/coffee maker, air conditioning, cable / satellite TV, Internet access, in-house movies, hairdryer, in-room safe, iron and ironing board, washing supplies (but laundry services are not included in your room rate).

MISC
- There is a laundry service nearby that will pick-up your laundry.
- There are grocery stores and a 7-11 nearby for late-night snacks.
MONDAY, MAY 28
ARRIVAL DAY

All day: Students check in to Tong Mao
The room rate for May 28 until June 8 is included in your program fee.

6:30 PM - Dinner with faculty and staff
Professor Zhan Guo and Hannah Atchison will be staying at the same hotel. Students
are invited to meet with Prof. Guo and Hannah at Pyongyang Cafe for dinner (located
in the Tong Mao Hotel) at 6:30pm.

TUESDAY, MAY 29
ORIENTATION DAY

8:25 AM - Travel to breakfast
Meet NYU Shanghai staff (TBD), Professor Zhan Guo, and Hannah in hotel lobby near
front door of hotel. Vouchers will be distributed for breakfast.

8:30 – 9:00 AM - Breakfast in NYU Shanghai Cafeteria (included in student
program fee)

9:00 – 11:30 AM - Orientation
Meet in NYU Shanghai’s academic building in classroom 101 (across from hotel) for
orientation by NYU Shanghai.
  ● Orientation will include: learning key Chinese words and phrases and tips on
    how to navigate Shanghai, Chinese culture, and how to stay safe.
  ● Students will be provided a subway/bus transportation card, map, handbook,
    and other helpful items in the orientation packet.
  ● Steinhardt and SPS students will be joining us for this orientation

11:30 AM – 12:15 PM - History of Planning in Shanghai
Lecture from Professor Guo regarding the history and planning of Shanghai at
classroom 303.

12:00 PM - Lunch on your own

1:00 – 5:30 PM - Bus Tour of Shanghai (included in your program fee)
Meet bus at the north door of NYU Shanghai Academic Building. Students will stop
and visit each location. Locations include: Shanghai Center/Shanghai Financial
Center observatory, People Square+Planning Museum, French Concession + Fuxing
Park, Xintiandi/Tianzifang, Yu Garden, Bund

5:30 – 7:00 PM - Dinner at Shanghainese restaurant 上海老饭店 near Yu
Garden.
The group dinner, except alcohol, is included in your program fee. You will be responsible for any separate bill for alcohol drinks.

7:30 – 8:00 PM: Huangpu River Boat Cruise (included in your program fee)
Group will walk to river for an upper-deck boat ride on Huangpu River. Cruise leaves

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30
Stepping Stone & Elementary School

8:30am – 12:00pm - Lecture
NYU Shanghai classroom 303

12:00 PM - Lunch on your own

2:00 PM - Meet bus at the north door of NYU Shanghai Academic building

2:30 – 4:00 PM - Visit an urban village as an enclave of migrant workers
Location: Hongguang Garden at Hangxin Road and Yanan Elevated Expressway, Minhang District

4:00 PM - Dinner on your own

THURSDAY, MAY 31
Urban Village

8:30am – 12:00pm - Lecture
NYU Shanghai classroom 303

12:00 PM - Lunch on your own

2:00 PM - Meet bus at the north door of NYU Shanghai Academic building

2:30 – 4:00 PM - Visit an urban village as an enclave of migrant workers
Location: Hongguang Garden at Hangxin Road and Yanan Elevated Expressway, Minhang District

4:30 - 5:30 PM – Possible travel to Shanghai Xintiandi/Tianzifang area and back to hotel.

5:30 PM - Dinner on your own
FRIDAY, JUNE 1
Xinye Village Visit

8:30 AM – 12:00 PM - Lecture
NYU Shanghai classroom 303

12:00 PM - Lunch on your own

1:00 PM - Meet bus at the north door of NYU Shanghai Academic building

1:30 – 5:00 PM - Visit Xinye Village
- During the visit, we will see several sites related to village planning, land reassembly, and residential projects for relocated farmers

5:00 PM - Dinner (included in program fee)
- Dinner at a farmer’s restaurant near Xinye Village, Shanghai

7:00 PM - Return via bus to Shanghai and hotel

SATURDAY, JUNE 2
Field Trip to Jiangsu Province, Huaxi Village

8:00 AM - Meet bus at Tong Mao Hotel

10:00 AM - 5:00 PM - Huaxi Village Visit
During the visit, we will:
- Introduction by Village Secretary and Village show
- Visit Huaxi Industrial Park, resident houses, village museum, the 74-story village tower, etc.

12:30 or 1:00 PM: Group lunch

5:00 PM - Meet at bus and departure for Shanghai

SUNDAY & MONDAY, JUNE 3 & 4
Students on own

Students have these days to self-organize relevant sightseeing. Some suggestions are below.

Marriage Market at People’s Square

Hangzhou
Students may want to self-organize a trip to Hangzhou and the West Lake. Travel
time is just 45 minutes on the high-speed rail. A group of students made this trip last year and it was very successful.

**Suzhou**
Students may want to self-organize a trip to Suzhou and the famous traditional gardens. Travel time is about just 45 minutes on the high-speed rail. You can also visit the silk museum which was quite an experience when we visited there two years ago.

**XintianDi Development and Historical Preservation** *(accessible by subway)*
A mixed use project that balances commercial development and vernacular housing preservation.

**TianziFang Art District** *(accessible by subway)*
Soho in Shanghai

**Jianshan Market** *(accessible by subway)*

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**TUESDAY, JUNE 5**

**Longhu Residence Area**

9:00 AM – 12:15 PM - Lecture  
*NYU Shanghai classroom 303*

12:15 PM - Lunch

1:30 PM - Meet bus at the north door of NYU Shanghai Academic building  
Depart for **Longhu housing estates**

2:00 - 5:00 PM - Visit Three Longhu housing estates  
- We will tour the development, visit several housing prototypes and have a dialogue with the developer

5:30 PM - Dinner and evening on your own

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**WEDNESDAY JUNE 6**

**Shentong Metro**

9:00 AM – 12:15 PM - Lecture  
*NYU Shanghai classroom 303*

12:15 PM - Lunch
2:00 PM - Meet bus at the north door of NYU Shanghai Academic building
Depart for Communications Planning and Design Institute

2:30 – 4:30 PM - Visit to Shentong Metro
● Presentation from Communications Planning and Design Institute and meeting with building science professionals on urban planning, metro system operation, traffic control (air, sea, and land).

5:00 PM - Dinner and evening on your own

THURSDAY, JUNE 7
Baosteel Group

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM - Lectures
NYU Shanghai classroom 303
● Approximately 15 graduate urban planning students from ECNU’s urban and regional economics department will join you for an activity and lecture this morning and for the trip to Baosteel.

12:00 - 1:00 PM - Lunch on your own

1:00 PM - Meet bus at north door of NYU Shanghai

2:00 – 4:30 PM - Shanghai Baosteel Group Corporation tour and lecture (included in your program fee.)
Note: Students must wear closed-toe shoes, and business casual such as khakis/very nice jeans, no shorts or flip flops.

5:30 PM - Return via bus to hotel
7:00 PM - Travel to Celebration Dinner
Hannah & Prof. Guo will be leaving from Tong Mao and taking taxis to dinner at 7:00PM. If you are not meeting us, you will need to find your own way to dinner.

7:30 PM - Celebration Dinner at The Grand Hyatt (included in your program fee)
Address: 88 Century Ave, LuJiaZui, Pudong Xinqu, Shanghai Shi, China, 200000

FRIDAY, JUNE 8
Lecture & Departure

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM - Lectures
Classroom: 303

12:15 PM - Departures