Dear BU Alumni and Friends,

China Connoisseur and Tibet

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China, land of legends, architectural wonders, and diverse landscapes, is a country with one of the world's oldest civilizations. Over the centuries, it has produced cultural masterpieces that have fascinated the rest of the world. Today, monumental social and economic transformations are underway with new prosperity in the cities of Shanghai and Beijing.

China is dynamic - ancient and modern -- from the backdrops of the modern exuberance to the tranquility of the moutinous landscapes of Tibet. Contrast the technological advancements of its major cities to the drama and magnificence of the terra cotta army in Xian and the unique beauty of the peaks and grottos of Guilin.

The tour begins in Beijing with visits to the Forbidden City, home to emperors, and the Great Wall, built in 600 B.C. Continue to Xian, a city that once wielded Rome and Constantinople for the title of greatest city in the world. The discovery of more than 6,000 life-size figures of soldiers and their horses is expeditioned. Visit beautifully carved tombs and encounter the enchanting Giant Panda in Chengdu. Spend three nights in Tibet and see unforgettable sites such as the immenent, Passuromablu Potala Palace, residence of the Dalai Lama, and 1,300-year old Jokhang Monastery. The tour concludes in Shanghai, a city whose past was both exotic and refined, where early twentieth century fortunes were made and lost in feverish trading. Now a metropolis of skyscrapers, it is home to one of Asia’s finest travel value.

To enhance your learning and travel experience, a BU host (depends on the participation for the trip) will accompany you on your trip and share insights, knowledge and expertise to complement your experience. This comprehensive BU journey includes them nights in 5-star accommodations and most meals and sightseeing, preserving an excellent travel value. This is one of the most popular BU educational programs. The trip was sold out in 2014 with rave reviews from BU alumni.

Space is limited, please reserve soon. See you soon in China and Tibet!

Steve Hall
Vice President, Alumni Relations
Boston University

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Terms

Price quoted is for one person based on double occupancy, including round-trip class international air, China domestic air, sightseeing, accommodation, all meals excepted lunch and dinner on the tour, entry fees for all indicated sites and performances, guide fees, sightseeing, cultural and social experiences, local guides, which is subject to this agreement. Price and hand-flown are not paid in part or full in the event of any change in currency exchange rates, unlike unchanged dates and other service changes, the trip price will be adjusted.

Baggage: All China tours baggage weight limit (land, coach, air) - 35 lbs. - 20 lbs. - 70 lbs. That is if there are around 100 lbs/15% paid per passenger along with a carry on bag. Extra baggage is not included in the price.

Payment: Payment is required on receipt of deposit for trip. The following is a list of deposit due dates for deposit payment.

1) Deposit: $1,900 due 60 days prior to departure for students and $2,800 due 90 days prior to departure for non-students.

2) Balance: Due 30 days prior to departure.

Final payment is due prior to June 2, 2016 and there will be 5% extra charge for bank fees.

Mexico: single supplement of $1,900.

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Acceptance of Terms & DISCLAIMER

By checking the box I certify that I understand the terms and conditions and hereby agree to accept the terms and conditions set forth above, and to release and hold harmless the program provider or agents and third parties involved with this program from any loss, injury, or damage that may occur to me or others in relation to the program, and for fees of any share to his/her property, however occurring, during any portion of, or in relation to the program.

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- The Terracotta Warriors in Xian, where the legendary Silk Road originated
- The Shanghai Museum referred to as the “New Louvre” by Forbes magazine for its world-class exhibits of bronze, jade and Ming Dynasty furniture
- The picturesque Li River in Guilin, which has inspired a whole school of Chinese painting
- The culmination of this tour is Tibet, known for its exceptional culture, fascinating people, exotic architecture and breathtaking landscape
- Cultural immersion: Beijing old town resident visit; afternoon yak butter tea with people, exotic architecture and breathtaking landscape
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Day-to-Day Itinerary

Oct. 3-7, Beijing
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- Oct. 4, visit the Forbidden City, a magnificent palace built between 1406 and 1421, from which 24 emperors ruled China for 500 years. Continue to visit the historic landmark Tian-An-Men Square. Rest in the afternoon.
- Welcome Gourmet Dinner: Beijing Roast Duck B/L/D
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- Welcome Gourmet Dinner: Beijing Roast Duck B/L/D
- Oct. 6, visit the Great Wall, the only visible human construction from the moon. Built in 600 B.C., it once stretched for over 6,000 miles. B/L (dinner not included)
- Oct. 7, take a Rickshaw Hutong Tour among the old courtyard homes bordering the Forbidden City. Visit the Summer Palace. B/L/D
- Oct. 8-10, Tibet
- Lhasa, capital of Tibet, is the home of six million Tibetan Buddhists. The unique spiritual civilization makes the land majestic and beautifully sublime and allows you to feel that the spiritual world seems more real than the world of human being. InterContinental Hotel 3 nights
- Oct. 8, fly to Lhasa. Rest at hotel for adjustment to high altitude. B/D (check on the plane)
- Oct. 9, visit Tibet Museum and the Norbulingka, “the summer palace of Dalai Lama”. Continue to visit the Jokhang Temple, built 1,300 years ago to commemorate the marriage of the Tibetan Princess Wangcholing to the Tibetan King Songtsen Gampo. Followed by a tour to the Barkhor Market and a Tibetan family. B/L-D
- Oct. 10, explore the most famous Potola Palace, one of the 7 world’s architectural wonders. This immense palace is 13 stories high with over 3,000 rooms including Dalai Lama’s residence, temples and numerous prayer halls. Watch Tibetan monks chant prayers at the Sera Monastery. Tibetan Dinner & Dance Performance B/L/D
- Oct. 11, Chengdu
Chengdu, known as the giant panda’s hometown and famous Sichuan food, is the capital city of China’s most populated Sichuan Province. Jin Jiang Hotel, 1 night
- Oct. 11, fly to Chengdu. Sichuan Gourmet Dinner B/L/D
- Oct. 12, explore Giant Panda Breeding Center. Fly to Xian in the evening. B/L/D
- Oct. 12-13, Xian
Xian, the ancient capital for 13 dynasties starting from the 1st Chinese Emperor of the Qin Dynasty to the most prosperous Tang Dynasty in the 9th century, where the legendary Silk Road began. Sheraton Hotel, 2 nights
- Oct. 13, explore the Terra Cotta Warriors, one of the most stunning archaeological discoveries in the 20th century. This legendary, life-size terracotta army was created to protect the tomb of Qin Shi Huang, the 1st emperor of China who conquered six rival kingdoms and united China as one nation in 221 B.C. Visit the Great Mosque (built in 742), Tang Dynasty Music & Dance B/L/D
- Oct. 14-15, Guilin
Guilin, best known for its spectacular limestone karst formations formed millions of years ago and eroded over the ages by the elements, has been the inspiration for generations of Chinese painters and poets. Sheraton Hotel, 2 nights
- Oct. 15, cruise on the Li River from Guilin to Yangshuo. The picturesque Li River winds its way through the pointed, craggy hills, rice paddies, sugar loaves, and beautiful limestone rock formations. End your cruise with an exploration of the small and charming Yangshuo. B/L/D
- Oct. 16, city tour in Guilin. Fly to Shanghai in the evening. B/L/D
- Oct. 16-18, Shanghai
With 18 million residents, Shanghai is the engine and the showcase of tremendous economic development in modern China. Set against 100-year European colony architecture in the Bund, the avant-garde futurist skyscrapers on the seafront of the Huang Pu River reflect its ambitious dream to regain the title of “Oriental Pearl” - the historical Jin Jiang Hotel, 3 nights
- Oct. 17, stroll along the beautiful waterfront Bund and the Old Town Market
- Oct. 18, free. B
Oct. 19, Shanghai/New York
- Morning flight to New York. Arrive in New York JFK the same day. B

Included Features
- Round-trip flights from New York to China, economy class, all tax, fees, fuel surcharge, etc.
- All domestic flights within China, economy class, tax and fees included
- All listed (or similar class) luxury five-star hotel accommodations
- Daily western style breakfast buffet in hotels, all lunches and 13 dinners (B=breakfast, L= lunch, D=dinner)
- English-speaking guide in each city
- All transportation within China
- Entrance fee for sight-seeing
- Ground transportation within China
- Professional local English-speaking guide in each city
- Travel insurance

Not Included
- All personal expenses such as excess baggage, travel insurance, passport, laundry, telephones, excess of meals and beverage, which are not included in the program
- Optional upgrade for hotel room and flights
### China Connoisseur and Tibet

#### Highlights

- The Great Wall and the Forbidden City in Beijing
- The Terracotta Warriors in Xian, where the legendary Silk Road originated
- The Shanghai Museum, noted as the “New Louvre” by Forbes magazine for its world-class exhibits of bronze, jade and Ming Dynasty furniture
- The picturesque Li River in Guilin, which has inspired a whole school of Chinese painting
- Cultural immersion: Beijing old town resident visit; afternoon yak butter tea with people, exotic architecture and breathtaking landscape

#### Day-to-Day Itinerary

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- Oct. 8-10: explore the famous Potala Palace, one of the 7 world’s architectural wonders. This immense palace is 13 stories high with over 3,000 rooms including Dalai Lama’s residence, tombs and numerous prayer halls. Watch Tibet monks chant prayers at the Sera Monastery. Tibetan Dinner & Dance Performance B/L/D

**Oct. 11, Chengdu**

Chengdu, the ancient capital of Sichuan Province, is the capital city of China’s most populated Sichuan Province. Jing Jang Hotel, 1 night

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Xian, the ancient capital for 11 dynasties starting from the 1st Chinese Emperor of the Qin Dynasty to the most prosperous Tang Dynasty in the 9th century, where the legendary Silk Road began. Shangrila Hotel, 2 nights

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**Oct. 16-18, Shanghai**

Guilin, best known for its spectacular limestone karst formations formed millions of years ago and evolved over the ages by the elements, has been the inspiration for generations of Chinese painters and poets. Sheraton Hotel, 2 nights

- Oct. 15: cruise on the Li River from Guilin to Yangshuo. The picturesque Li River winds its way through the pointed, craggy hills, rice paddies, sugar loaves, and beautiful limestone rock formations. End your cruise with an exploration of the small and charming Yangshuo. B/L/D

- Oct. 16: city tour in Guilin. Fly to Shanghai in the evening. B/L/D

- Oct. 17: stroll along the beautiful waterfront Bund and the Old Town of Shanghai

**Oct. 18, New York**

- Morning flight to New York. Arrive in New York JFK the same day. B

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- Ground transportation within China
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- Special evening cultural performances as listed
- One night at the historic Fair Garden

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Day-to-Day Itinerary

Oct. 3, New York to Beijing
Depart from New York JFK airport and take Air China non-stop flight (Boeing-777 300ER) to Beijing. Arrive in Beijing. Meet the guide and transfer to hotel and everything in between. Rice Carbon Hotel, 4 nights

Oct. 4-7, Beijing
Beijing, the 800-year-old ancient capital of China, is the exuberant heart of the Middle Kingdom. With thirteen million residents, it is the living epitome of China’s past, present and everything in between. Rice Carbon Hotel, 4 nights

Oct. 4, arrive in Beijing. Meet the guide and transfer to hotel

Oct. 5, visit the Forbidden City, a magnificent palace built between 1406 and 1421, from which 24 emperors ruled China for 500 years. Continue to visit the historic landmark: Tian-An-Men Square. Rest in the afternoon. Welcome Gourmet Dinner: Beijing Road Duck B/L/D

Oct. 6, climb the Great Wall, the only visible human construction from the moon. Built in 600 B.C., it once stretched for over 6,000 miles. B/L (dinner not included)

Oct. 7, take a Rickshaw Hutong Tour among the old courtyard homes bordering the Forbidden City. Visit the Summer Palace. B/L/D

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Oct. 13, visit the ancient capital for 21 dynasties starting from the 1st Chinese Emperor of the Qing Dynasty is the most prosperous Tang Dynasty in the 9th century, where the legendary Silk Road began. Shangri-La Hotel, 2 nights

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Oct. 17, stroll along the beautiful waterfront Bund and the Old Town with a Tibetan family in Lhasa, known for its exceptional culture, fascinating Tibetan family in Lhasa, the home of six Lama. Continue to visit the Potala Palace. Featuring the small and charming Yanghuo. B/L/D

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Morning flight to New York. Arrive in New York JFK airport and take Air China non-stop flight (Boeing-777 300ER) to Beijing. B/L/D
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-Oct. 18, tour B.
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-Tibet Travel Permit;
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China Connoisseur and Tibet
Highlights
This 17-day journey offers the most splendid highlights of China and Tibet:
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-Special gourmet dinners and cultural performances
-Defeat 5-star hotels throughout

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