

Program Description for Prospective Faculty

Program: CHINA

Approximate Program Dates: Four weeks in May/June (subject to change)

Program Focus:

This program is designed to provide students with a variety of courses while they experience Chinese culture first hand. Trips to cultural sites will also convey important information about both contemporary and historical China. Course proposals are welcome from all academic fields, as long as they relate closely to China.

Program Description:

China is the largest developing country in the world. As China becomes a stronger global and economic force, it is vital that relations between the U.S. and China continue to grow. You will experience globalization in one of the world's most dynamic economies. The TnCIS China program will engage students more deeply in their learning and will contribute to intellectual, professional, and personal growth in unique ways. The program will primarily take place at Lida Polytechnic Institute located in Shanghai, China. The experience will also include excursions to Beijing, Hangzhou, and Suzhou.

Responsibilities Prior to Departure:

Attend Faculty and Student Orientations
Recruit
Provide Syllabus

Responsibilities during the Program:

Teach Course
Assist with Excursions
Assist with Program Operations

Benefits:

Two thousand dollar honorarium (paid through your institution), one single seat round trip airline ticket from Nashville, Tennessee, visitor's visa, all ground transportation, housing, food, excursions including entry fees, and limited health insurance during the program abroad.

Expenses not covered by TnCIS:

Transportation to/from the airport, travel expenses to the faculty/student orientations, passport, full coverage health insurance, non-program sponsored excursions and entry fees, personal spending money.