

Join The Greater Bethesda Chamber for an adventure to...

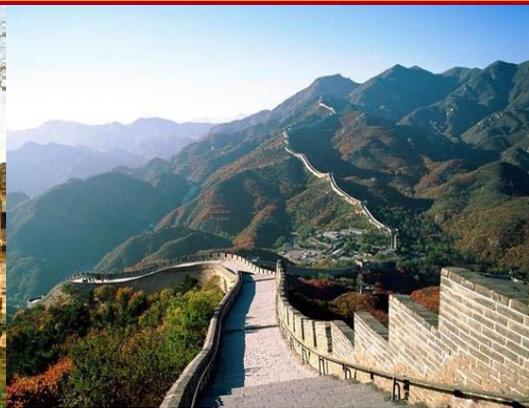
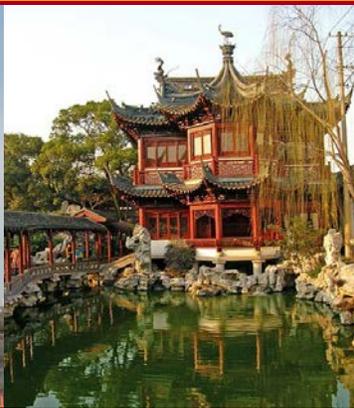
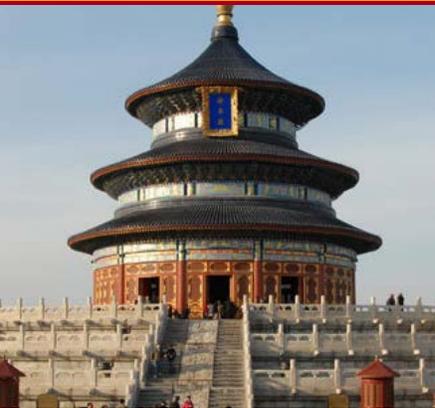
Oct. 19 - 27, 2018

Trip Depart at IAD for only

CHINA

\$2,299

BEIJING • SHANGHAI • SUZHOU • HANGZHOU



Your Trip

- Roundtrip international airfare & Chinese domestic airfare & Tax
- 4-and 5-star hotel accommodations ● 3 meals each day ● Deluxe bus tours
- Fluent English-speaking tour guides ● Entrance fees for attractions

Day 1 – IAD/Beijing

Free shuttle bus service starts from chamber. Check in at IAD International Airport for an afternoon flight to China.

Day 2 - Beijing

Arrive in Beijing, the Capital of China by midnight. You will be met at the airport by your tour guide and transferred to the hotel.

Day 3 - Beijing

Visit the **Tian An Men Square**, the largest square in the world, and the **Temple of Heaven**, built in 1420 A.D., where the emperors prayed to the heavens for a good harvest.

Sightseeing today will continue with a tour of the **Palace Museum**, also known as the **Forbidden City**, home of 24 emperors with a total space of 9,999 rooms, and the **Summer Palace**, featuring the Long Corridor with painted gallery, Kunming Lake and Longevity Hill, Seventeen Arch Bridge and the Marble Boat.

Day 4 - Beijing

Tour bus excursion to the **Great Wall**, the 4,000 mile long and 2,000 year old construction is said to be the only man-made structure visible by the naked eye from the moon. Visit the **Ming Tombs**. One of the 13 Ming Emperors' Tombs is fully excavated and open for exploration.

Day 5 - Beijing/Shanghai/Suzhou

Fly to Shanghai, followed by a bus trip to Suzhou for the **Lingering Garden**, **Tiger Hill**, **Hanshan Temple** and the **National Embroidery Institute** to see silk embroidery, a local craft with thousands of years of history. Dinner this evening will include a show featuring traditional Chinese music.

Day 6 - Suzhou/Hangzhou

Morning tour bus excursion to **Hangzhou** for a visit to the **Economic Development Zone** and the centuries-old **Lingyin Temple**, featuring a 64.3 foot high camphor-wood carving of Buddha.

Day 7 - Hangzhou/Shanghai

Morning boat cruise on **West Lake** with relaxing stopover at jewel-like pagodas and tea houses. Afternoon tour bus trip to Shanghai.

Day 8 - Shanghai

Visit the **Yu Garden**, a maze of marvelous pavilions, ponds, rocky works and overarching trees. Also visit the **Bund**, Shanghai's famous waterfront park. Tour the **Pudong Economic Development Zone**.

Day 9 - Shanghai/Beijing/IAD

Morning for free. The afternoon flight will depart by 1:30pm for IAD where you will arrive at 10:30am on the same day. Shuttle bus to Chamber.

Price reflects Double occupancy

Add \$500 for single occupancy

Add \$200 to see Terra-Cotta Warriors at Xi'an

All tour attractions on itinerary included

Valid passport and visa required

Free business conference for passenger who requires

Post Departure Travel insurance included

Free shuttle bus on departure day and return day

An orientation meeting will be held

Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2018, 5:30-7:00 p.m. at

The Greater Bethesda Chamber, located at

7910 Woodmont Ave., Bethesda, MD 20814

For more information, contact the Chamber at 301-

652-4900 or staff@greaterbethesdachamber.org. To

register, go to www.greaterbethesdachamber.org.

Plan now to join The Greater Bethesda Chamber group for this once in a life time China adventure. Space is limited. **Call the Chamber for details at 301-652-4900, send registration to email staff@greaterbethesdachamber.org. Website www.greaterbethesdachamber.org**

Tour Operator: Citslinc 1-844-262-1100, Email citslinc@yahoo.com Website www.citslinc.org

REGISTRATION FORM

Please use a separate form for each person traveling.

Contact Information

Full name exactly as it appears on your passport

Please check all that apply:

I will attend the Oct. 19 - 27, 2018 trip

What you'd like your luggage tags to say: _____

I wish to upgrade my airfare to Business Class - \$6,000

Address: _____

Please upgrade me to a single room for an additional \$500. (Accommodations are based on double-bed occupancy).

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

I will attend the side trip to Xi'an for an additional \$200

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

I enclosed with deposit check

E-mail: _____

Who you are sharing a room with: _____

Who you would like to travel with: _____

Type of Room (please check one): 1 King Bed 2 Queen Beds Triple Beds

** When making your reservation, ***IF YOU DO NOT PAY THE SINGLE SUPPLEMENT*** you will be paired with another passenger of same gender who is also traveling alone, that has the same itinerary .

Deposit Information

A non-refundable registration fee of \$300 per person is due with your registration and is included in your total tour fare. The balance is due on or before July 15th, 2018.

Check Enclosed (Payable to Chamber) Check # _____

Credit Card # _____ Exp. Date _____ CVV Code _____ Name on Card _____

Passenger is to prepare for a passport, and a visa before departure (Citslinc visa price is \$155 each).

Signature _____ **Please mail or fax to Chamber.** Tour Operator: Citslinc International, Inc. 108 N. Ynez Ave., # 205, Monterey Park, CA 91754 ♦ Toll Free (844) 262-1100 ♦ FAX (844) 262-9900, Email: citslinc@yahoo.com

A non-refundable registration fee of \$300 per person is required and due at the time you register. This will be deducted from your total tour fare, the balance of which will be due by July 15, 2018. If you need to cancel the trip for any reason after July 15, 2018 you will be at a loss of \$500 on top of the \$300 registration fee, otherwise you will receive a full refund (minus the \$300 non-refundable registration fee).

Securing or updating a passport is your responsibility. Passports must be valid 6 months past travel date. Citslinc will handle visa applications. Cost of visa is \$155. Travelers will need to provide their passport, signed visa application form, copy of driver license or ID, one passport photos and the \$155.00 visa application fee to Citslinc International, Inc.

There will be a valuable pre-tour briefing for all participants; date, time and location will be announced. We will answer all of your questions and familiarize you with details you will need to know. Citslinc International Inc. has 35 years of experience in the China tour business and we are confident we can respond to your inquiries to your satisfaction.

China is a modern country, so you need not feel as though you are preparing to travel back in time, to a less sophisticated society. In many instances, the country is not "behind" so much as "different." For example, you will find very few ATM machines, but travelers' checks and credit cards are accepted everywhere, so leave your checkbooks and check cards behind. The electricity in China is 220 volts and an adapter is required to operate even an American hair dryer. Both the adapter and the hair dryer are available at the hotels in which we will be staying, but it is recommended that you bring your own adapter if you will need to plug anything in. Though you will be treated to sumptuous regional foods, you will also find many American fast-food chains including McDonalds, KFC and Starbucks.