Accounting and Finance Summer Program
July 28 - August 18, 2018

University of Illinois Global Education & Training (GET) would like to invite you to study this summer at the world-famous University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. The University of Illinois is consistently ranked as one of the top public universities in the United States and in the world, and the University of Illinois College of Business also proudly boasts a top-ranked undergraduate accounting program in the U.S. and a highly competitive finance program.

Here is an outstanding opportunity for you to study at our campus for two weeks, experience the teaching methods of U.S. higher education faculty, and complete two courses. You will also learn, first-hand, about the academic life and culture at an American university campus. Following your stay at the U of I, you will spend one week visiting New York City and Washington D.C.

The University of Illinois is situated in the middle of a vibrant community, rich in culture, with plenty of activities suitable to your interests. Please use the following link to access more detailed information about our campus and community: www.illinois.edu.

Program Overview

Classroom Study

Each course includes 16 hours of instruction, delivered in 2 hour morning and afternoon segments. The instructors will lead students through discussions of complex accounting & finance topics. Classes will culminate with a final exam. All classes will be in English. Certificates will be awarded upon successful completion.

Cultural Visits

GET staff will plan and accompany the group on field trips to famous modern and historical attractions in Chicago and Springfield.

Supervised Out-Of-State Travel

Following the end of the program, students will have a 7-day trip with a chaperone from GET. Students will visit key tourist sites, world-class universities, and government organizations in Chicago, Washington D.C., and New York City before departing for China.
The Courses

Financial Management

The financial management course examines topics in general and corporate finance, including time value of money, asset evaluation, risk and return, and risk management. We will examine the valuation of equities, bonds, projects, and entire firms.

Instructor: Mark K. Smith, Ph.D., MBA, Lecturer of Finance, Department of Finance, College of Business

Accounting Theory - Special Topics

This course introduces students to the role of accounting information as a tool used by decision makers for resource allocation and by the firm to control its broader organizational units. Students will develop a deeper appreciation for the qualities of useful information, business environments, and risk.

Instructor: Julia Shapland, Senior Lecturer of Accountancy and Director of Accountancy Internship Program

Entrepreneurship

The goal of this course is to learn to use financial statements as tools to help manage a business, to learn some of the contemporary methods of financing small businesses, to understand the business environment, the problems of start-up ventures, and more. The student will assume the role and attitude of the owner-manager of a business.

Instructor: George Krueger, CEO of Bigg Success Lecturer, Department of Finance

Important Dates

Sat, July 28 - Arrive at Chicago O'Hare airport. Pickup by GET staff.
Sun, July 29 - Campus tour
Mon, July 30 - Orientation and Intro to campus
Tue, July 31 - Fri, Aug 3 - Classes in session
Sat, Aug 4 - Field trip to Springfield
Mon, Aug 6 - Thur, Aug 9 - Classes in session
Fri, Aug 10 - Final Exams and Graduation Lunch
Sat, Aug 11 - Depart for Chicago
Sun, Aug 12 - Depart for Washington, D.C.
Tue, Aug 14 - Depart for NYC
Fri, Aug 17 - Depart for China

Program Fees

Program Fee includes tuition, training materials, cultural activities, and local transportation through mass-transit bus system.

$3100 per person

Campus Housing Fee (14 days on campus)
Shared room: $350 per person
Single room: $480 per person

Campus Meal Fee includes breakfast and dinner at University residence halls. All other meals at additional expense. $240 / person

Cultural Travel Fee (optional) includes 7-day group trip with GET chaperone to NYC and Washington D.C. Airfare and meals not included. $900 per person

TOTAL PER STUDENT: $4,590.00

*Amount is with shared room. Students will also pay for airfare, health insurance, and textbooks.