Agricultural Management Summer Program

July 7 - July 27, 2018

University of Illinois Global Education & Training 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 Agricultural, Consumer, and Environmental Sciences (ACES) is ranked highly nationally.

Here is an outstanding opportunity for you to study at our campus for three 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.

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.

Classroom Study

Students will have the opportunity to learn from top faculty at the University of Illinois during this short-term training program. Faculty from the College of Business and the Department of Agricultural and Consumer Economics will present on topics ranging from International Trade to current affairs affecting U.S. and global agriculture. The program will culminate with a final presentation by all students. All courses will be in English.

Business Visits

Students will visit local farms and participate in meetings with executives from key Illinois corporations, prized for their economic development strategies, social responsibility, and employee satisfaction.

Cultural Visits

GET staff will plan and accompany the group on field trips to famous modern and historical attractions in Chicago, St. Louis, and Springfield.
Sample of Course Topics

- Overview of U.S. Agricultural Standardization
- Overview of Current Macroeconomics Trends
- Food Processing and Safety Regulations in the U.S.
- Lending Issues in Agriculture, Agribusiness, and Small Business
- Government Support of U.S. Agriculture
- International Trade Institutions and International Trade in Major Agricultural Commodities
- Global Agribusiness Management

Sample of Visits & Activities

- U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)
- Archer Daniels Midland (ADM)
- Caterpillar Headquarters
- John Deere Headquarters
- Monsanto Seed Production Facility
- Illinois Farm Bureau
- Farm Credit Services of Illinois
- Operations of a local farm
- U of I Experimental Dairy Farm
- Meat Science Lab - Slaughter demonstration
- Midwest Inland Port
- Growmark Headquarters
- Andersons Grain Elevator

Important Dates

- Sat, July 7 - Arrive at Chicago O'Hare airport. Pickup by GET staff.
- Sun, July 8 - Campus tour
- Mon, July 9 - Orientation and Intro to campus
- Tue, July 10 - Fri, July 13 - Classes in session
- Sat, July 14 - Field trip to Springfield
- Mon, July 16 - Thurs, July 19 - Classes in session
- Fri, July 20 - Field trip to Chicago
- Weekend - Free
- Mon, July 23 - Wed, July 25 - Classes in session
- Thurs, July 26 - Final Presentations and Graduation Lunch
- Fri, July 27 - 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** (21 days on campus)
- Shared room: **$480 per person**
- Single room: **$680 per person**

**Campus Meal Fee** includes breakfast and dinner at University residence halls. All other meals at additional expense. **$350 / person**

TOTAL PER STUDENT: **$3,930.00**

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