Mapping Social and Environmental Disparities in Cities: An Integrated Field GIS in Shanghai, China

July 9 – 23
3 HOURS CREDIT

Sponsored by the Georgia State University College of Arts and Sciences & School of Public Health

TENTATIVE ITINERARY
Please note: Georgia State reserves the right to alter travel and other arrangements if required by circumstances.

• Travel to Shanghai, China
• Interactions with Shanghai Songjiang District Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, health care professionals
• Environment and public health research field work
• Instruction on geospatial technologies and their application in environmental health and health disparities
• Huangpu River cruise-water tour of Shanghai and dinner on the cruise
• Suzhou city tour
• Shanghai excursions, Jewish museum

Shanghai, China

APPLICATION DEADLINE: December 15, 2014
Because program size is limited, early application is strongly advised. Individual interviews may be scheduled with students upon receipt of application.

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ACCOMMODATIONS
Students will live in the Jin Jiang Pine City Hotel, a four-star business-class hotel, and breakfast and dinner are included. The Pine City Hotel is a 19-story hotel with lush gardens, Chinese and Western restaurants, and a short walk from the commercial district with close access to the metro system linking most parts of Shanghai. It also provides access to a shopping arcade, a gym with sauna, bowling, billiards, chess room, tennis courts, and karaoke.

Disability Accommodations
Students with documented disabilities who may need accommodations during their study abroad experience should discuss these needs with the program director and the Office of Disability Services at the time of application.

ELIGIBILITY
The program is open to undergraduate and graduate students who meet all academic requirements of the Georgia State College of Arts and Sciences and School of Public Health. Priority will be given to graduate students.

CREDITS AND COURSES
Participants who successfully complete the program’s course will receive three semester hours of course credit at Georgia State. Students from other institutions should follow their institution’s regulations concerning transfer credits.

COST
The program cost is tentatively set at $3,760 (this amount may change depending on airfare). PLUS regular Georgia State tuition and fees. Non-resident/out-of-state students will pay in-state tuition plus a $250 fee in addition to the program cost.

FUNDING AND SCHOLARSHIPS
Georgia State students are eligible to apply for the IEF Study Abroad Scholarship, Georgia State University Foundation Scholarship, and may be eligible to apply for the Global Experience Scholarship. Visit mystudyabroad.gsu.edu and select the Scholarships & Financial Aid tab or call the Study Abroad Programs office at 404-413-2529 for more information.

APPLICATION INFORMATION
Students from all majors and degree programs are encouraged to apply. Non-Georgia State participants must first apply for transient student status through Georgia State. Following application, Georgia State and non-Georgia State students must meet with the program director, Dr. Dajun Dai or Dr. Kim Ramsey-White, for a 15-minute interview. Students must also meet with financial aid to ensure necessary funding. Students interested in applying should find this program’s listing at mystudyabroad.gsu.edu and begin an online application.

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