

China

Hangzhou Plant Resources & Ecology Summer Study Abroad

DATES:

May 18 - June 8, 2010
Beijing Option: June 8 - 11

COURSES:

PB 495/595: Plant Resources & Ecology in eastern China.
(3 credits, letter grade or S/F)
Taught in English

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Through lectures and field trips to famous mountains and wetland park and lakes in eastern China, students will gain skills in field botany and knowledge of wetland and lake ecology, plant biodiversity and its uses in China. The course enhances cross-cultural exchange during this 3 week program by having students from Zhejiang University join the class and visits to famous Chinese gardens, markets, and museums in Shanghai, Hangzhou, and Suzhou cities, as well as visits to villages and the Buddhist and Taoist temples in the mountains.



COST:

Estimated at \$1,950 includes:

- Application charge (\$50)
- Tuition for 3 credits
- Housing in double dorm or hotel with private bath and air conditioning
- All meals & planned local transportation, cultural site visits, and entry fees
- Botanical field trips to: Tianmu Shan, Huang Shan, Qiyun Shan, Xixi Wetland Park, and one thousand island lake
- Cultural activities: Trips to Shanghai and Suzhou, visits to West Lake, Dragon Well Tea Plantation, Temples, local residence house and Ancient Villages in Anhui

Note: Payment for this program should be made directly to the Dept. of Plant Biology, not to the Study Abroad Office. International Airfare (ca.\$1000), costs for Beijing option, visa and personal expenses are not included.

APPLY:

Apply online at <http://studyabroad.ncsu.edu> by February 12, 2010. Scholarship information also available online.

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