

Post Visit Report

(Study trip of 15 students to China)

Back Ground:

“China Developmental Experience” was offered to Economic 2015 students as optional subject with 2 credit hours weightage. 63 students from section A & B. We taught how China developed so rapidly, while wests took a century to reach this stage and China took only 30 years to become 2nd largest economy of the world. Which policies and reforms made China to boost its economy, work ethics, hard work of people and Governments vision played how much contribution etc. In the beginning of the semester, we promised with the students, brilliant students will be chosen to go to China on Study trip. We utilized our links and personal relations to get sponsored local hospitality, while cost of air ticket was borne by each individual student.

19 February to 1 March 2017:

Based on merit, 15 students were selected for this trip. We traveled to China 19 February 2017 and returned back on 1 March 2017. We have visited: Beijing, Hangzhou, Zhoushan, Yiwu and Shanghai.

Learning Aspects:

Visited Zhe Jiang University of Science and Technology. Also visited Zhoushan Institute of Tourism and Health. Visited Yiwu, export city of China and learned International trade, especially export business process. Visited Shanghai Stock Exchange, the importance of Stock Exchange for Students of economics is vital. Visited Alibaba Head Office, e-commerce process etc.

Sight Seeing:

Visited, West Lake, Buddhist Shine, and city center in Hangzhou. Spent time in Zhoushan, most beautiful islands in East China Sea, a most attractive holidays resort. Visited TV tower, Huangpo River, Nanjing Road Shopping area and Financial Dist of Shanghai. In Beijing, visited old city, historical Forbidden City, Tianmen Square, Qian Men market, Sanlitun model village etc.

Shopping:

Silk market and Night Market in Hangzhou. Yiwu export market. Shanghai Nanjing street market, Beijing Sanlitun shopping area.

Message:

Transfer traditional friendship between China and Pakistan to next generation.

Recommendations:

- Make study trip to China on regular basis.
- NUST may support and facilitate such trips
- Number of students and duration of stay may be increased
- Organize specific trips with pre-set objectives
- Students may be encouraged to learn Chinese Language
- Students may be motivated to involve in CPEC