

## **CHAMBER MISSION TO CHINA, October 2012**

### **Day 1 10/24 JFK/Shanghai/Beijing**

Check in at JFK International Airport for an afternoon flight with China Eastern Airlines MU 588 by 4:35 pm to Beijing. Your adventure begins as you fly trans-Pacific aboard a wide cabin jetliner. Cross the International Dateline.

### **Day 2 10/25 Shanghai/Beijing(King Wing Plaza/5-Star, 17 Dongsanhuannan Rd., Tel: 86-10-67668866)**

Landing at Shanghai at 7:30 pm for custom then take a transit flight MU 5186 9:15 pm and arrive in Beijing at 11:35 pm, the Capital of China at 6:00pm. You will be met by your local tour guide at the airport. Transfer to the hotel.

### **Day 3 10/26 Beijing**

Visit the Tian An Men Square, the largest square in the world, and the Temple of Heaven, built in 1420 A.D., where the emperors prayed to the heaven for a good harvest. Sightseeing also includes the Palace Museum, also known as the Forbidden City, home of 24 emperors with a total space of 9,999 rooms, and the Summer Palace, known for many significance such as the Long Corridor with painted gallery, Kunming Lake and Longevity Hill, Seventeen- Arch Bridge and Marble Boat.

### **Day 4 10/27 Beijing**

Tour bus excursion to the Great Wall, the 4,000- mile long and 2,000 years old construction is said to be the only man-made structure visible by naked eye from the moon. Visit to the Ming Tombs, one of 13 Ming Emperors' Tombs is fully excavated and open for exploration. Roasted Beijing Duck Dinner.

Day 5 10/28 Beijing/Shanghai/Suzhou(Glamor Hotel/5-Star, 68 Tongjingbei Rd., Tel: 86-512-65338811) Morning China Eastern flight to Shanghai, then take the tour bus trip to Suzhou. Afternoon sightseeing to the centuries old Linger Garden, Tiger Hill and Hanshan Temple. Visit to the National Embroidery Institute to see silk embroidery, an important local craft with 1,000 years history. Evening Dinner Show of the traditional Chinese Music.

### **Day 6 10/29 Suzhou/Hangzhou(Regal Hotel/5-Star, 370 Gym Rd., Tel: 86-571-56199999)**

Morning tour bus journey to Hangzhou. Visit to Economic Development Zone. Visit to the centuries old Lingyin Temple, with the main feature of the 64.3 ft-high camphor-wood carved Buddha.

### **Day 7 10/30 Hangzhou/Shanghai(Guangdong Hotel/5-Star, 328 Yixian Rd., Tel: 86-21-51171888)**

Morning boat cruise on West Lake with relaxing stopover at jewel-like pagodas and tea houses. Afternoon tour bus trip to Shanghai.

### **Day 8 10/31 Shanghai**

Sightseeing includes the Yu Garden, a maze of marvelous pavilions, ponds, rocky works and over arching trees. Visit to the Bund, a famous waterfront park. Business visit to the Pudong economic development zone.

### **Day 9 11/1 Shanghai/JFK**

Return flight MU 587 will depart by 12:00 noon for JFK where you will arrive at 2:15 pm on the same day.