

 **Faculty-led Chinese Summer Study Abroad Program, MCL, CLASS, UH**

 **APPLICATION FORM**

Name (Exactly the same as on your passport):

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

UH ID: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Passport #: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ F\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email: Note: students will be contacted by email. Please make sure that you give a working

email address.\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: Street \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_City \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_ Zip\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Person to contact in an emergency: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Race or ethnic origin (Optional, for statistical purposes only), Please Check:

African American/Black \_\_, American Native \_\_\_, Asian\_\_\_, Hispanic \_\_, Pacific Islander \_\_\_

White\_\_\_\_

Country of your citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Current UH Status: First year \_\_\_\_ Sophomore\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_Senior\_\_\_ Graduate Student\_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Minor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Overall GPA \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ GPA in Chinese \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Chinese Language Background: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please check 1 to 2 courses you plan to take

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 2311: Intermediate Chinese I

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 2312: Intermediate Chinese II

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 3301: Advanced Chinese I

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 3302: Advanced Chinese II

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 4301: Public Speaking

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 4302: Integrated Chinese

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 3359: Chinese Culture through History

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CHIN 3198: Special Problems

**Note:**

* All the higher-level courses fulfill Chinese Minor or Major Requirements.
* UH grants 2 courses / 6 credit hours for one summer session. Students need a petition from their department if want to take 3 courses.
* **Students with a cumulative GPA below 2.0 are not eligible for participation in learning abroad programs.**
1. Are you allergic to any foods? Please provide a specific list. (“Allergies” is a medical term).
2. Do you have any other allergies in addition to food as specified above?
3. Do you have any health restrictions that may affect your ability to participate in some of the activities in Taiwan?
4. Do you suffer from anxiety, insomnia or other disorders that may affect your mood /wellbeing while in Taiwan?
5. Do you smoke? (when allowed, smoking is absolutely restricted to outdoor areas)

 **IMPORTANT NOTE**

1. In addition to this form, all the participants **must** also complete a Learn Abroad registration with the Office of Learning Abroad by **April 1, 2025**: <http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/start-here/> You must submit all the forms required.

 and the following forms:

1. [Image Release Form](http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/start-here/Image_Release_Form.pdf%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)
2. [Release and Indemnification Form](http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/start-here/Release_and_Idemnification_Form.pdf)
3. [Conduct Affidavit](http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/start-here/conductaffidavit.pdf)
4. [**Learning Abroad GPA Waiver**](http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/start-here/gpa_waiver.docx) (If GPA is 2.0 to 2.499)

(<https://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/policies/>)

1. [Health Disclosure Form](http://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/start-here/Health%20Disclosure%20Updated.pdf)
2. **Photocopy of Passport**

2. If you do not have a passport, UH provides “Passport for Coogs”! Check if your passport is valid if you currently have one. <https://www.uh.edu/learningabroad/passport-for-coogs/>

3. This program meets the learning abroad requirement of the Global Citizens Credential at UH!

4. Scholarship from UH and the Chinese Studies Program are available. Be aware of the application deadlines for the scholarships (See the deadlines below)

**5. Timeline and due days:**

02/10/25 Application **($65.00 application fee**, non-refundable)

03/11/25 Mandatory orientation

03/31/25 Airfare due (not included in the package)

04/01/25 UH Learning Abroad Registration due

04/21/25 Program fee due

07/03/25 Leave for Taiwan

08/04/25 Return to Houston

* After 5/30/2025, no refund for the program fee.
* After 4/21/2025, a late fee charge will be added.

 **PROGRAM AGREEMENT**

 (Please turn it in with program application)

The Chinese Summer Study Abroad Program in MCL is a UH-sponsored educational program. It offers

an opportunity for students to study Chinese language and culture, and explore career development, in

Taiwan. The program is academically vigorous and culturally enriching.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, will abide by the regulations as stated in the Chinese Summer Study

Abroad Program Handbook, and will follow all the university guidelines and procedures as outlined by

the University of Houston Systems Administration. I also understand that any behavior deemed

in appropriate during this visit is subject to disciplinary action by the University of Houston upon us

return to the United States. In any and all cases of misconduct or non-compliance with program

requirements while in Taiwan, I may be subject to disciplinary action which include, but may not be

limited to, early expulsion from the program, non-eligibility for course credit from the University of

Houston, and non-eligibility for participation in the future in this program sponsored by the Chinese

Studies Program, Department of Modern and Classical Languages.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, will abide by the rule that students may not be off campus for more than 16 hours during the summer program.

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, understand that neither the University of Houston nor the Department of Modern and Classical Languages will be held liable for any accidents or cases of physical negligence for the duration of our travel to, from, and throughout Taiwan from **July 3, 2025, to August 4, 2025.**

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Participant’s Signature Date

Please submit the form to your Chinese course instructor, or to place it in Prof. Zhang’s mailbox by **MCL main office coordinator in 613AH.**