Courses:
Two faculty-led courses will be offered in summer I, 2015 to study, live, travel, and volunteer teaching in Taiwan and China: (no prerequisite needed)
- SOCI 4365, Chinese Society
- SOCI 4300, Food, Ethnicity, and Culture

Time:
Summer I, 2015
June 8 – 28, 2015 (21 days)

Coverage:
The travel cost will cover flights (international & domestic), local transportation, lodging, language learning, one-on-one interaction with NCKU students, local teaching experiences, and attraction tickets for all field trip and Beijing tour.

Contact:
Scholarships from LU Study Abroad Office and Taiwan government are available for application, funding opportunity is limited. Please contact—Dr. Chiung-Fang Chang at cchang2@lamar.edu
Or program website at http://studyinchina-2015.simdif.com/
Study Language and Culture
You’ll spend one week practicing Chinese conversation skills and learning about traditional Chinese cultural practices (e.g. Calligraphy, Painting, Tea Ceremonies, Stamp Engraving, and Chinese Opera) at National Cheng Kung University in Taiwan.

Have a Local Experience
Live on NCKU’s campus and experience campus life, plus enjoy a weekend stay with Taiwanese host family. You’ll have one-on-one cultural experiences with NCKU students and spend one or two days volunteering as an English teacher in a local high school and interacting with local teenagers.

Learn about Regional Cuisines
Both China and Taiwan are famous for their unique cuisines. China can be divided into many geographical areas, and each area has a distinct style of cooking. The ingredients used in the food are based on the natural agricultural products of the region. Taiwanese food blends a variety of Chinese styles, Japanese food styles, Hakka, and aboriginal minorities cooking techniques and ingredients.

Enjoy Tours and Field Trips
More than 7 days of field trips to the cities of Taipei, Hualian, and Tainan in Taiwan and a 6 day tour to Beijing, China are included in the program. You will visit world famous attractions including the Forbidden City, Taipei 101, the Great Wall, Taluko National Park, and the National Museum.