

# 2016 APCAC BUSINESS CONFERENCE SIGHTSEEING PROGRAM



### **Conference Partner Program Thursday April 14th**



#### **Morning: Layers of Beijing Walking Tour**

Explore Beijing's hutongs with a Danish historian who has conducted years of firsthand research and interviews with the local residents that live in them. You'll have the unique opportunity to understand the city's history through the personal stories, trials and tribulations of everyday people - from the founding of the People's Republic to the present day.



#### Lunch at Dali Courtyard

A true hidden gem, Dali is a beautiful little courtyard restaurant that serves tasty food from China's southern Yunnan Province.



#### Afternoon: Tour of the Summer Palace

Dating back to the 13th century, the vast Summer Palace complex served as an imperial retreat during Beijing's hot summer months. This is your opportunity to learn about its history while exploring its beautiful lakes, gardens, rockeries and pagodas with your Chinese guide.





### **Conference Partner Program** Friday April 15th



#### Morning: Tai Chi in the Temple of Heaven The Temple of Heaven is one of Beijing's most rewarding early morning sights - a great place to witness Beijing's old folk singing songs and playing games. You'll take a relaxing hour-long tai chi class among the temple's centuries-old cypresses with a former Shaolin monk and learn about the philosophy behind this ancient martial art to boot.



#### Lunch at TRB Bites

Perched at the edge of the Forbidden City's moat, restaurant of the moment TRB Bites offers laid back fine dining in the most spectacular of settings.



#### **Afternoon: Hidden Beijing Boutiques**

Accompanied by our shopping expert, this tour offers you the chance to shop Bespoke's hand-picked selection of the city's best independent boutiques and souvenir streets. Expect everything from Mao memorabilia and tea, to gorgeous ceramics, traditional snacks and clothes.

APR 15TH COST: 2,200 RMB / PERSON (APPROX 335 USD)

### Post Conference Program (All) Saturday April 16th



#### Morning: The Great Wall at Mutianyu

Enjoy an hour hiking China's most famous monument with a guide who will dispel the myths and reveal the Wall's fascinating history. We love this section for its mixture of old and restored ramparts and – this is the fun part – the toboggan ride down! (Don't worry, there's a chairlift too)



#### Lunch at Xiaolumian

Located in a weathered stone farmhouse on a hill overlooking the Great Wall at Mutianyu, Xiaolumian offers a step up from traditional homemade Chinese noodles. A hearty lunch to keep you going until dinner!



#### **Afternoon: Tour the Forbidden City**

The jewel in Beijing's crown, the Forbidden City housed 24 emperors over the course of 500 years. The palace's history is rich with stories of murder, intrigue and betrayal - all of which will be bought to life by your guide - an American historian specializing late

Imperial and modern Chinese history.

#### APR 16TH COST: 1,014 RMB / PERSON

(APPROX 155 USD)

## How to Sign Up:

These tours have been custom designed for conference participants and their partners. To join any or all of the tours, please contact The Bespoke Travel Company directly to sign up, mentioning the APCAC conference:

You will then be sent a secure payment link with which to pay by credit card online (all cards accepted). The company also accepts bank transfers.

Sign up by March 1st to secure a 10% discount on each day. Just email the address above to get in touch.

## Final Deadline for Sign Ups:

Thursday 7th April, 2016. Please note that after this date you are still welcome to join the tour but may not be guaranteed a spot.

### **Private Post-Conference Tours**

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