

# INTERNSHIP COMBINED PROGRAM



SHANGHAI + HONG KONG  
3 months + 3 months

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## Two internships, one unique experience

### The course

The language and inter-cultural training before the internship will take place in the first two weeks in Shanghai. The Chinese language course is basic level and recommended to those who understand the importance of the basics of communication for better integration in China, even if they don't aspire to use the language daily. A real cultural mediation course which will touch all areas: language, tourism, the approach in business, negotiation, art, etc. It will allow participants to raise their awareness and develop a deeper understanding of the country for both personal and professional enrichment.

**Intensive Chinese language course:** 40 hours of Chinese lessons to get you through everyday life: the basic everyday needs from shopping, ordering in a restaurant, calling a taxi to asking for information, moreover, notions of Chinese for work and other topics.

**Seminars:** interns will participate to business-oriented conferences held by both Western and Chinese professionals. The seminars will deal with topics such as: the Chinese protocol, relating with Chinese colleagues and customers, being a businessman in China, the Internet in China, the Chinese Political System, negotiations in China, whether to negotiate or not to negotiate, etc.

**Chinese language course certificate:** participants will receive a certificate stating the hours of Chinese lessons attended and the language level reached.

## Two Internships

**Placement:** FourStars, on the basis of its know-how in the field of recruitment and placement, will provide you two different internship courses, the first in Shanghai and the second in Hong Kong, according to your profile and your expectations. Our network in China consists of western and Chinese companies. Our staff, in China as in Italy, is made up of HR Specialists with strengthened experience. They will be the link between you and our partner companies.

**Resume and application coaching:** our staff will meet you in Skype, providing you with a business coaching aimed at equalizing your resume to make it competitive with current trends in the Chinese market and prepare you for job interviews with hosting companies. This coaching will continue throughout your internship by monthly monitoring meetings.

**Introduction to the company:** before the start of both internships, in Shanghai and then in Hong Kong, we accompany you to the company to introduce you to the structure.

**Networking events and training of career development:** we promote events and other activities to enrich your experience during your stay in China. These events are a way to get in touch with other young professionals, both international and Chinese, and to meet new people from different sectors and backgrounds.

**Periodic monitoring meetings:** an essential part of our coaching, monitoring and career development will be to regularly check-up on the performance of the two internship courses, to verify that the working experiences are up to your expectations.

**Certificate of internship:** at the end of your internship experiences, you will receive two certificates attesting the execution of your activities. They will be issued by FourStars China, and will attest the duration of both the internship courses, the working positions held and the acquired skills.

## 360° support

**Flight:** Four Stars will take care of all the administrative and economic management of the practice of issuing tickets to Shanghai and Hong Kong.

The flight to Shanghai will depart from Milan and the flight to Hong Kong will depart directly from Shanghai returning to Milan.

**Visa:** it is not so simple to get a Chinese visa. FourStars grants you a visa for both Shanghai and Hong Kong. It is essential for you to have a passport with at least six months of validity from the moment the visa is required. Be sure that there are also enough blank pages in it.

**Accommodation in Shanghai:** candidates will be housed in European standard shared apartments. Direct costs are not included.

**Accommodation in Hong Kong:** candidates will be housed in European standard studios with private bathroom, kitchenette and double bed. Direct costs and Wi-Fi are included. The studios are located a few steps away from the Metro line.

**Pick up at the airport:** our staff will welcome you at the international airport of Shanghai, and then in Hong Kong, and will take you to your apartment.

**Welcome Kit:** when you arrive in China you will receive a kit including a Chinese SIM card, a prepaid public transport card, a map of Shanghai and linguistic pocket guide for daily survival.

**Registration:** we will accompany you to the Police District Office in Shanghai, to handle regularization and formalities required by the Chinese government within 24 hours from your entrance in China.

**24/7 Support:** For all emergencies and assistance relating to your accommodation, from Monday to Sunday, you will be able to contact us on a designated phone number which is always operative.

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