

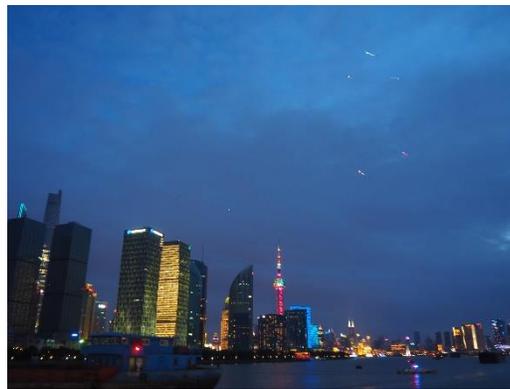
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Walk along the bund

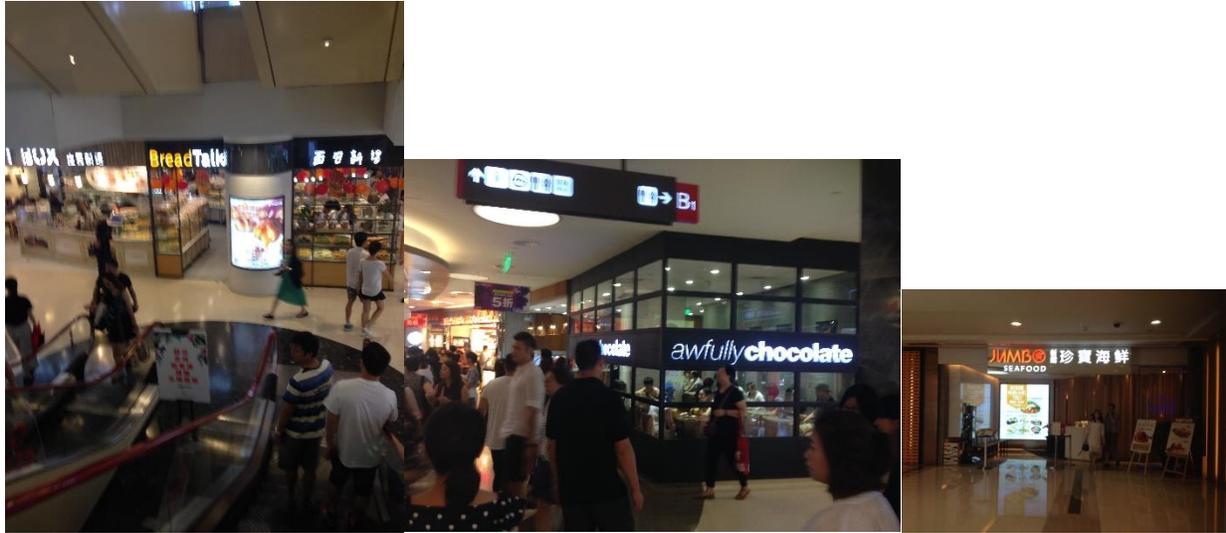


Before going onto the River Cruise, we stopped by the Bund where the River Cruise would be departing. It was a nice walk along the bund, with the cool evening wind and the view of the Shanghai city centre landscape. The buildings even lit up and you can see words like 'I love Shanghai' appearing on the buildings. The view made me wonder that Shanghai does have its modern side as well.

HuangPu River Cruise



On the cruise, I was able to take in the nice views of the Shanghai landscape. I met a Scottish friend as well, who is on the same course as me in East China University of Political Science and Law. He requested for me to translate most of the Mandarin words and speeches for him, while he told me more about Shanghai itself. Overall, it was a very nice way and a very nice way to end the day.



We took a bus there alighted and then walked for about 15 minutes to the museum. The only thing was that when we arrived that, the queue was very long, maybe because it was a weekend, so Ken decided to continue queuing, while I decided not to go, and perhaps go on a weekday instead, and headed to the malls nearby. There was a Capitaland Mall, Raffles City, a Singaporean company in Shanghai, and I was pleasantly surprised yet quite happy and decided to go in. The mall was very new and very similar to the one in Singapore in terms of architecture and design. There were many Singaporean stalls as well, like Pedro, Breadtalk, Awfully Chocolate and Jumbo Seafood, and I was quite happy and surprised to know that they even expanded to Shanghai. I walked around the mall, went to shops, and was quite tired so I went back after that. The expedition fund definitely gave me some pocket money to be able to travel, and to get some things needed, and sometimes wanted as well.



This was the last lunch we had together. We had it in the mall very nearby our university, and coincidentally was the restaurant that I accidentally stumbled and ate at on the first day of the programme. It was memorable, happy and yet we are all going to miss each other. In the end, David and Chelsea

bought flowers for Julie, who has been really good during the whole programme. We agreed to continue to stay in touch after the programme and perhaps meet up once again in the future. The past three week has been awesome, and not only has it been discovering the Shanghai city, seeing whats it is like to work in a Shanghai law firm, but the biggest takeaway must have been the friendships made during the programme. I have learnt so much over the past three weeks, and has been definitely the best summer school attended.

The summer programme is definitely an experience not to be missed, and would recommend it to anyone wishing to undertake it.