

# VIA PROGRAMS IN ASIA



PROFESSIONAL



UNIVERSITY



HIGH SCHOOL



CUSTOM

## PROGRAM THEMES

 LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

 GLOBAL LEADERSHIP

 EDUCATION

 SPORTS AND YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

 PUBLIC HEALTH

 ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

 SOCIAL INNOVATION

 TECH FOR SOCIAL GOOD

## ABOUT VIA

VIA provides rich, immersive, cross-cultural learning experiences in the U.S. and Asia that transcend boundaries, transform lives, and strengthen our global community. Founded at Stanford in 1963, VIA is a private, non-profit, and non-religious organization. Our Asia Programs include a Global Community Fellowship for professionals and short-term programs for high school and university students.



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## WHERE WE WORK



CAMBODIA  
CHINA  
INDONESIA  
JAPAN  
LAOS  
MYANMAR  
THAILAND  
VIETNAM

## A RICHER CUSTOM EXPERIENCE

VIA designs and manages custom experiential education programs, ranging from 10 days to 10 weeks. Our programs link individuals, educational institutions, and organizations with VIA's 50+ years of connections and partnerships across Asia. Through these partnerships, we facilitate meaningful grassroots engagement for our participants and their host communities.

## LEARNING OUTCOMES



Learn and share international perspectives on social issues



Gain hands-on experience living in an international context



Enhance cross-cultural communication and teamwork skills



Develop leadership abilities



Connect with a global community of changemakers

## OUR EXPERTISE

VIA has over 50 years of experience managing experiential education programs in Asia for students and professionals. Our staff are seasoned professionals, with years of experience living and working in the countries where we operate. In recent years, we've designed and run programs for Stanford University, the University of California Education Abroad Program, Haverford College, George Mason University, the Department of State, and individual university students.

## OUR PROGRAMS INCLUDE:

- Academic collaboration
- Flexible pricing options
- Course and field trip coordination and implementation
- Pre-departure preparation
- Support with online documents, medical forms, and visas
- 24/7 emergency support
- Comprehensive on-site orientation
- Authentic cultural activities
- Post-program evaluation
- On-site support for student health issues, personal issues, and disciplinary issues
- On-site program management
- Comprehensive emergency medical and evacuation insurance

## PROGRAM MODELS

FACULTY LED 10–28 DAYS

SERVICE PROJECT 2–4 WEEKS

INTERNSHIP 7–10 WEEKS

## GET IN TOUCH

To learn how VIA can help create richer international experiences for you, your students, or your employees, please contact Melissa Golden, Program Operations Director ([melissa@viaprograms.org](mailto:melissa@viaprograms.org)).



GROUP ACTIVITIES



SITE VISITS



ARTS & CULTURE



EXPERT SPEAKERS



STUDENT PROJECTS