



Hotel ibis Lobby

Additional Details about Student Housing

As mentioned in our previous newsletter, our students for the Fall of 2010 will have the privilege of staying at Hotel ibis, a world-wide hotel chain based in France, during their first year of study at China Medical University (CMU). The hotel is conveniently located across the street from CMU campus. Under special arrangement by CMU and Hotel ibis, students will have access to an exclusive kitchen and laundry facility. A 24-hour snack bar is also available in the hotel for student access.

“...Obtaining U.S. clinical experience and credential evaluation by AACRAO will allow our students to be at equal footing with U.S. educated medical students when they apply for Residency match.”

CMU Registration on 9/30

Students will be leaving for China on September 28th, in preparation for their Fall 2010 semester. Beth Healthcare's management staff will also be leaving for China on September 26th. Student registration will be on September 30th at China Medical University campus. First day of instruction will be on Monday, October 11th, after a one-week holiday celebration for the National Day for the People's Republic of China. The one-week holiday will allow our students to get familiarize with the environment and have time to adjust to their jet lag.

Events Schedule

We are currently lined up with events for Fall of 2011 student recruitment. For the months of September and October, we will be recruiting at Cal State Fullerton, UCSD, Cal State Dominguez Hills, and UCLA, just to name a few. Students are encouraged to drop by for additional information about our program and to meet our friendly staff.

Student Orientation and White Coat Ceremony

Student Orientation and the White Coat Ceremony will be held on Saturday, September 18th. All students are required to attend the Student Orientation, held at La Quinta Inn & Suites Irvine Spectrum at 9:30AM. The dress code for the Student Orientation will be business casual, and the admittance fee is \$20.

The Student Orientation will end around 5PM and will be followed by a White Coat Ceremony celebration dinner at Crystal Jade Asian Fine Dining in Irvine at 6:00PM. The dress code for the White Coat Ceremony will be business attire, and the admittance fee will be \$35 per person. During the White Coat Ceremony, students will be joined by family and friends to celebrate the start of their medical career. Beth Healthcare will be giving each student a white coat as a gift and blessing for their achievements.

Title IV Application Submitted

There are approximately three steps in applying for the Title IV status needed for Federal Student Loan eligibility. Since China Medical University is considered as a foreign medical school, there are additional questionnaire and forms that we have to complete. The first step of applying for Title IV is to apply for an OPE ID. We are happy to announce that we have submitted our form for obtaining an OPE ID and are now waiting for a response from the Department of Education. Once we have received the OPE ID, we can then proceed with the final application process.