SHANGHAI SUMMER

INTERNATIONAL GUIDE BOOK

2024 JUL.- OCT.







上海之夏 SHANGHAI SUMMER

CONTENTS

About Shanghai Summer	01
Welcome to Shanghai	03
Event Calendar	05
Payment Methods	09
Luggage Storage Services	15
Public Transportation	16
Departure Tax Refund	23
Urban Experience	24
Shopping	25
Culture & Tourism	27
Sports Venue & Exhibition	28
Nightlife	30
International Services Shanghai	35

About **Shanghai Summer**

This summer, the Shanghai Municipal People's Government plans to launch a new IP for summer consumption promotion activities in the city - "Shanghai Summer" International Consumption Season, which will feature more than 60 high-quality and high-capacity concerts, music festivals, cultural and art performances, and major sports events with a high tourist flow, and a number of service initiatives that reflect Shanghai's internationalized and top-quality consumption environment will be launched to attract global travelers to come to Shanghai, experience and enjoy the city.





Welcome to Shanghail GUIDEBOOK

GUIDEBOOK | Welcome to Shanghai

Welcome to **Shanghai**

Shanghai, a municipality directly under the central government of China, is a modern international metropolis with a spirit of inclusiveness, pursuit of excellence, broad-mindedness, and humility.

Located at the estuary of the Yangtze River in East China and facing the Pacific Ocean, Shanghai forms part of the Yangtze River Delta, one of China's most robust, open and innovative regions.

As China's largest economic powerhouse and an important international financial center, Shanghai achieved a GDP of 4.72 trillion yuan in 2023, up 5 percent year-on-year.

Shanghai is also a leading international trade and consumption center, with its ports' total throughput the highest in the world. In 2023, Shanghai's total imports and exports amounted to 4.21 trillion yuan, marking a record high, while the city's total retail sales of consumer goods surged by 12.6 percent.

Shanghai is an important global shipping center and an open hub, implementing the RCEP (Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership) agreement and accelerating the construction of the Waigaoqiao and Hongqiao national import trade promotion and innovation demonstration zones.

The city is also making significant progress in building an international science and technology innovation center. The proportion of research and development expenditure to the GDP was around 4.4 percent in 2023, while the number of high-value invention patents per 10,000 people was up to 50.2.

Shanghai is developing toward an internationally influential digital city, strengthening the foundational support for urban digital transformation.

It is one of the country's most international cities, with 962 headquarters of multinational companies and 561 foreign-invested R&D centers established by the end of 2023.

Shanghai is also a world-renowned cultural metropolis and international travel destination, with 239 public libraries, 165 museums and 100 art galleries by the end of 2023.

Shanghai aims to enhance its urban soft power to match its ambition to become a socialist metropolis with global influence. In the future, Shanghai will showcase its character of "International, Innovative and Inclusive", focus on high-quality development, and turn itself into an international economic, financial, trade, shipping, and science and technology innovation center, as well as a global digital city with great influence.

GUIDEBOOK | Event Calendar

Event Calendar | GUIDEBOO

Shanghai SummerEvent Calendar

2024 JUL.- OCT.



Key Events

Shanghai Summer 2024 promises a rich tapestry of events spanning from the first weekend of July to the second weekend of October. The lineup includes seven major internationally influential events:

On Top of the Pyramid: The Civilization of Ancient Egypt



Jul 19th, 2024 to Aug 17th, 2025 (Closed on Mondays except national holidays)



Shanghai Museum

The exhibition unfolds through one historical narrative, "The Land of the Pharaohs," along with two themes: "The Secrets of Saqqara" and "The Age of Tutankhamun." This grand exhibition on ancient Egypt, independently planned by the Shanghai Museum, is not just a milestone in the history of Egypthemed exhibitions but also a watershed moment for Egyptology. Unique interpretations by Chinese scholars will inject more diverse perspectives into our understanding of ancient Egyptian culture and history. Hosting this event will initiate wonderful contacts and exchanges between the two great civilizations, marking the beginning of broader and more extensive humanistic cooperation between the two countries.



01



2024 Shanghai International Cruise Festival



Aug 2nd to Aug 31st, 2024



Shanghai International Cruise Tourist Resort, Wharf 1846,

Shanghai International Cruise Terminal, Shanghai Global Harbour, No.1 Shopping Center(East Nanjing Road, Links Pacal)

The First Shanghai International Cruise Festival will be held in August, spanning the peak months of summer tourism and cruise travel. During the occasion, two key events will be held: the launch ceremony and the achievement release ceremony. Additionally, a series of highly anticipated themed events such as the Cruise Open Day, Cruise Themed Charm Show, Cruise Sports Carnival, Cruise City Walk City Experience Season, and the Old Wharf Summer Cruise Garden Party will be launched to create a summer cruise consumption ambiance and promote consumption vitality.

Page 7 Page 8

Xiaohongshu City Walk Pro **Festival**



Aug 23rd to Sep 1st, 2024



Across 5+ districts in Shanghai, featuring one central main venue and five themed

Xiaohongshu City Walk Pro Festival is set to launch with an upgrade. Embracing the concept "Life is nearby," choose the everyday streets as main scene once again. This year's festival will span over 5+ districts in Shanghai, including Huangpu, Xuhui, Jing'an, Changning, and Yangpu, fulfilling your dreams of a romantic and ideal lifestyle. The festival will create more than 20 themed streets in various districts of Shanghai, encompassing five major lifestyle categories: music, fashion, art, food, and hobby. Each street will let you experience Shanghai's rich and diverse culture.





ATP World Tour Masters 1000



Sep 30th to Oct 13rd, 2024



Qizhong Tennis Center

The ATP World Tour Masters 1000 is a series of tournaments on the ATP World Tour, often referred to as the "ATP 1000 Masters" or simply "ATP Masters." Comprising nine events across Europe, North America, and Asia (starting from 2009), these tournaments are significant for top male tennis players, ranking second in importance only to the four Grand Slams and the ATP World Tour Finals. The ATP World Tour Masters 1000 offers players more prize money and ranking points than standard competitions.

Most of the finals in this series were best-of-five matches until 2007, but since 2008, all matches have been best-of-three. With the exception of the Monte Carlo Rolex Masters, the other eight Masters tournaments are mandatory for top-ranked players.



2024 Shanghai Tourism Festival



Sep 14th to Oct 6th, 2024 OShanghai



The 2024 Shanghai Tourism Festival, the city's annual tourism extravaganza, is ready to wow residents and travelers from around the world between September spectacular cultural and tourist activities will be rolled out across the city during the period. These activities will be spread over diversified fields from catering and accommodation to shopping and sports.









БНПИБИП | 上海 COMING SOON

G CONTRACT A CHECKER

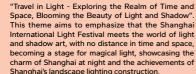
The First Shanghai International **Light Festival in 2024**



Sep 19th to Oct 18th, 2024



Shanghai Exhibition Center











Scan the QR code for details



Cards issued in your home country/region can be accepted if logos of UnionPay, Visa, Mastercard and other payment organizations are displayed at the checkout counter (see picture below). If not, please ask the cashier whether your card is accepted. If you hold a UnionPay card issued outside China's mainland, it can be accepted by any merchant POS terminal in China's mainland.

We accept















GUIDEBOOK | Payment Methods

Cash Payment

If you want to pay in cash, there are two main ways to obtain RMB cash.



Cash Withdrawal

You can withdraw RMB by your bank card at an ATM or CRS with corresponding international payment network logos (see pictures below).











Cash withdrawal using UnionPay cards is supported by all ATMs and CRSs in Shanghai.



Currency Exchange

If you need cash, you can also directly exchange at bank outlets with currency exchange signs, outlets of qualified financial institutions or self-service kiosks. Please consult the staff for currencies available.



UnionPay

#Enjoy Shopping in Shanghai Pay Seamlessly with UnionPay.











Pay with Your UnionPay Cards

Pay with Tour Card in UnionPay App

Cash withdrawal using UnionPay Cards

Pay with Your UnionPay-Powered Wallet Apps

Accepted by all ATM and POS terminals in China's mainland

No foreign exchange loss (*Only applicable to RMB card)

- UnionPay has issued more than 0.23 billion UnionPay cards in more than 81 countries and regions outside the China's mainland.
- UnionPay card is accepted in all merchants with POS terminals in the China's mainland, including merchants in various scenarios, such as hotel, food and beverage, shopping mall, etc.



Scan this QR code for more details about payments in China's mainland



Scan this QR code for the user guide of UnionPay Tour Card Payment Methods | GUIDEBOOK

A Global Payment Network

Owww.unionpay.com

Page 13 Page 14

Alipay

Payment Tips



























When shopping at merchants in the Chinese mainland (except for special occasions), if you have AlipayHK, Kakao Pay, Touch'n Go eWallet, OCBC, TrueMoney, MPay, Changi Pay, NAVER Pay, Toss Pay, Hipay or other Alipay+ partner e-wallet on your phone, just open it and pay directly once you see



Bind overseas bank card with Alipay and scan to pay











Weixin Pay



Quick Set-Up in 2 Steps

Step 1 Download WeChat

On your mobile phone, download or update your WeChat app to the latest version. Register or sign in with your phone number.

Step 2 Add a bank card to WeChat

You can add your card in any of the following ways. Simply enter your card number, expiry date, and security code, without filling in identity information to add your international card.

Method 1: Open the WeChat app, on the top right corner. tap [+]>[Scan] to scan the QR code.



Method 2: Tap [Me]>[Services]>[Wallet]>[Bank Cards], and add your card to WeChat.













Public Transportation | GUIDEBOOK



Guide to Luggage Storage Services

in Shanghai's Key Commercial Districts

This guide provides detailed information on luggage storage services offered by 30 shopping malls in eight key commercial zones: East Nanjing Road, West Nanjing Road, Lujiazui, Yu Garden, Middle Huaihai Road, Xujiahui, North Bund, and Hongqiao International Central Business District.

Scan this QR code for more details





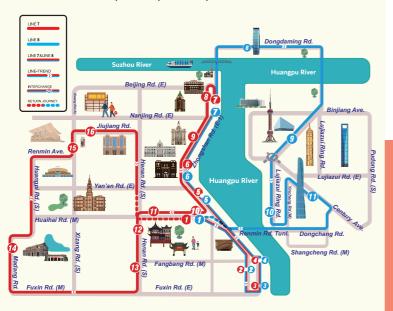


GUIDEBOOK | Public Transportation

Shanghai Sightseeing Bus



with unlimited hop-on hop-off stops



Taxi Booking Service

"Go out and call Qiangsheng Taxi, a familiar ride in Shanghai." For taxi booking, please dial the Qiangsheng service hotline at 62580000 one day in advance. For English assistance, press "5" after the call is connected. Upon successful booking, priority will be given to arranging a driver known for excellent service quality.





Shanghai Metro



Starting from April 15th, all service centers at Shanghai Metro stations will accept foreign banking cards for ticket purchases.

To foster a business-friendly environment and encourage the utilization of international card payment services within the rail transport sector, Shanghai Metro has enhanced its acceptance of both domestic and international bank cards on the existing maglev line and at four airport stations. Starting from April 15, 2024, service centers at all subway stations throughout the network will be outfitted with POS terminals to facilitate the purchase of subway tickets using domestic and international cards via assisted service.

Scope of Acceptance for Domestic and International Bank Card Payments

- Acceptance point: All network station service centers
- Types of tickets available include single one-way tickets, one-day





















Page 19

Public Transportation Guide for International Bank Card Users in Shanghai

Foreign currency cards are accepted for public transportation in Shanghai, accommodating a range of travel needs.

Which products support the use of foreign currency cards?

01 Shanghai Transport Code

Tips 1- Platforms: WeChat Mini Program, Shanghai Public Transport APP, Alipav.

Tips 2- Direct Debit Service for Shanghai Public Transportation: The "Shanghai Transport Code" is a QR code designed for convenient travel on buses, ferries, and other public transportation options throughout Shanghai. Passengers can effortlessly access public transportation by presenting their ride code to the scanning device, eliminating the necessity for advance payment. This "ride first, pay later" service offers a seamless travel experience.

02 NFC Mobile Transportation Card

Tips 1- Platform: Shanghai Public Transportation APP

Tips 2- Mobile Transport Card Recharging: Activate your NFC-enabled mobile traffic card and launch the Shanghai Traffic Card app. Navigate to the [Home] page, tap [Recharge], and choose either WeChat or Alipay for payment, linking it to your foreign currency card. Follow the prompts to complete the top-up with ease.

03 Physical Traffic Card

GUIDEBOOK | Public Transportation

Recharging location: Offline CVM machines

Choose either WeChat or Alipay as your payment platform, linked to your international currency card. Then, position the payment QR code within the scan area to top up the physical card.

• What payment platforms are compatible with international currency cards for transactions?

In Shanghai, you have the option to link your foreign currency card with popular payment platforms like Alipay and WeChat. If you have any questions while using the service, please contact the designated English-speaking support hotline.





SH MaaS

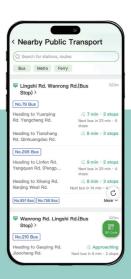
SH MaaS APP English Version



SH MaaS APP English Version unveils its new "Real-Time Bus" tracking feature

To further enhance the convenience of public transportation services for foreign nationals, the English version of the Shanghai "Mobility as a Service" (MaaS) platform, SH MaaS, has launched a "Real-Time Bus" information inquiry service.





Foreign travelers and expatriates in Shanghai can access real-time transit information for the metro, buses, and ferries through the SH MaaS app. Additionally, they can use the "SH MaaS Code" (Shanghai Transport Code) and "One-Code Access" for seamless access and enjoy the same discounts as local residents.

The SH MaaS app now supports multiple payment channels including Alipay, Wexin Pay, and UnionPay.

For binding international cards with app payments, if users have already linked their international cards with Alipay, Wexin Pay, or UnionPay, they can directly use the "One-Code Access" service through the SH MaaS app.

Public Transportation | GUIDEBOO



As the premier gateway into Shanghai, the airport group is dedicated to fostering a unique culture of business and travel. Keeping pace with the latest trends in modern consumer behavior, it strives to deliver an innovative and festive experience for all visitors.

Airport as First Stop of Service

Shanghai Airports now offer a seamless one-stop service area tailored for inbound passengers, conveniently located in the corridor and baggage claim as well as the public area. This comprehensive zone boasts a suite of services, including WIFI access, transportation card purchases, support for Alipay transactions, banking with Shanghai Pudong Development Bank, UnionPay facilities, SIM card sales, efficient currency exchange, ATM withdrawals for RMB by using foreign banking card, detailed tourism information, and prompt on-site inquiries. These thoughtful enhancements significantly elevate the convenience of services provided to arriving travelers.

Airport as the Premier Destination for Consumption

The two international airports in Shanghai are rolling out a suite of engaging initiatives, including coffee culture festivals, substantial in-terminal discounts, special payment incentives upon reaching spending thresholds, third-party points redemption options, and dynamic merchant flash promotions.

CHINA EASTERN AIRLINES



WORLD-CLASS HOSPITALITY WITH EASTERN CHARM

As soon as you step out of your home, China Eastern Airline's smart travel service will be there to accompany you throughout your journey. Use this itinerary guide to explore the marvels of Shanghai with China Eastern Airlines!

Book your flight tickets on the official website and enjoy attentive service.





China Eastern Airlines' official global website (https://www.ceair.com/?site=en_CN) and mobile app offer services in English. Additionally, passengers from 16 countries and regions, such as France and Germany, may take advantage of localized websites featuring tailored products.

Ticket Purchase Seat Selection Online Check-In

Itinerary Membership Services Flight Status

GUIDEBOOK | Departure Tax Refund

Departure Tax Refund Service

for International visitors shopping in Shanghai



Step 1- Shopping:

- 1 Make purchase in TFS stores.
- 2 Ask for a Tax Refund Application Form and VAT invoice.

Step 2- Stamp:

- 1 Before check-in luggage, please go to the customs, present your VAT invoice(s) along with the Tax Refund Application Form(s), a valid passport or ID and the purchased goods.
- 2 Get the customs stamp on your Tax Refund Application Form(s).

Step 3- Claim:

- 1 After security, please present your valid personal passport or ID, and stamped Tax Refund Application Form(s) to get your refund.
- 2 If the refund amount does not exceed RMB10,000, you can choose either a cash or a credit card refund. If the refund amount exceeds RMB10,000, you can only choose credit card refund.



Page 25

International Shopping Malls



Taikoo Li Oiantan

No. 500 Dongyu Road, Pudong New Area

PUDONG NEW AREA

Bicester Village Shanghai

No. 88 East Shendi Road, Pudong New Area

FLORENTIA VILLAGE

No.1-365 Zhuoyao Road, Pudong New Area

Shanghai ifc mall

No.8 Century Avenue, Lujiazui, Pudong New Area

HUANGPU DISTRICT Shanghai NewWorldDaimaru Department Store

No.228 East Nanjing Road, Huangpu District

Shanghai New World City

No.2-28 West Nanjing Road, Huangpu District

JIUGUANG CENTER

JING AN KERRY CENTRE

No.2188 Gonghexin Road, Jing'an District

JING'AN DISTRICT

No.1515 West Nanjing Road, Jing'an District

Grand Gateway 66

No.1 Hongqiao Road, Xuhui District

L'AVENUE Shanghai

No.99 Xianxia Road, Changning District

CHANGNING

Shanghai TAKASHIMAYA

No.1438 Hongqiao Road, Changning District

DISTRICT

GLOBAL HARBOR

No.3300 North Zhongshan Road, Putuo District

BAILIAN OUTLETS PLAZA (QINGPU-SHANGHAI)

No.2888 Huqingping Highway, Qingpu District

QINGPU DISTRICT

FENGXIAN DISTRICT

BaiLian NanQiao Shopping Mall

No.588 Baigi Road, Nangiao Town, Fengxian District



SHANG-HIGH SPORTS

Recommended by Shanghai Administration of Sports

Xujiahui Sports Park

Situated in the heart of Xuhui District and spanning 35.96 hectares, Xujiahui Sports Park features key facilities including the Shanghai Stadium, Shanghai Gymnasium, Shanghai Swimming Pool, and the Comprehensive Hall. It stands as one of Shanghai's most fully-equipped areas for sports and culture, and proudly hosts the Chinese Football Association Super League and the Chinese Basketball Association's Men's Professional League as their shared home grounds.



Huangpu Riverside Skateboard Extreme Park

The Park is situated at No.1 Dock in the Huangpu River Expo Park, spanning nearly 10,000 square meters. Out of this, the skateboarding competition zone occupies over 3,000 square meters. It was expertly crafted by the design team responsible for the Tokyo Olympic Skateboarding venue, making it the most expansive skateboarding-themed park within the central districts of the global major cities.

The Yaoxue Ice and Snow World

The Yaoxue Ice and Snow World project, situated in the 101 Core Area of Lin-gang Special Area of China (Shanghai) Pilot Free Trade Zone, strives to establish a premier, one-stop urban ice and snow resort that stands as the largest indoor ski destination globally. This comprehensive entertainment hub combines tourism, leisure, sports, and diverse business offerings to forge a multifaceted ice and snow ecosystem. It spearheads the emergence of a new urban trend in ice and snow cultural tourism.



SUIDEBOOK | Urban

The Shanghai Sports Museum

The Shanghai Sports Museum spans roughly 2,000 square meters and features four permanent exhibition halls: "A Retrospect of the History", "Olympic Glory of Shanghai", "A City Full of Vitality", and "A Window of the Future", In addition, there is an entrance hall and a space for temporary exhibits. The museum boasts a collection of $% \left\{ 1,2,\ldots ,n\right\}$ $4,\!900$ sets and $8,\!334$ individual pieces. Interactive offerings include VR experiences, film screenings, multidimensional space exhibits, trivia quizzes, tactile sand table displays, and sports information services. Guests are invited to immerse themselves in the evolution $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$ and culture of Shanghai's sporting history through engaging visual, auditory, and tactile encounters.





The Shanghai Sports Show



From November 28 to 30, the Shanghai Sports Show will be held at the Shanghai World Expo Exhibition and Convention Center. It is the first large-scale sports expo in China that integrates sports events, sports culture, sports industry, and sports consumption.



Yuanshen Sports Center

Situated in the Pudong Lujiazui Financial and Trade Zone, the Yuanshen Gymnasium stands as a multifaceted public sports complex designed like a park within the Pudong New Area. This newly constructed sports facility was crafted for the Special Olympics and spans an area of roughly 35,000 square meters, featuring both a gymnasium and a swimming pool. It incorporates an array of energy-efficient designs while showcasing a stunning architectural aesthetic of "three-sided transparency" and a "celestial circle on an earthly square".



The guide not only offers comprehensive insights into the city's nightlife activities but also provides exclusive discounts from popular merchants, adding extra sparkle to your night out. Come and join us in savoring the enchanting charm of Shanghai Nightlife.

1. KEV

- No. 18 East Zhongshan No. 1 Road, Huangpu District
- (1) Monday-Sunday, 20:00-04:00

The legendary rooftop of the Bund 18 returns to reignite the nightlife with KEV. The 565 m² terrace captures the diverse architectural wonders of the bund and the iconic Lujiazui skyline.



2. THE UPPER ROOM

- 7F, Somekh Building, No. 190 North Beijing Road, Huangpu District
- (1) Tuesday-Sunday, 12:00-01:30

Nestled atop the Somekh Building, THE UPPER ROOM maintains the classical architectural style of 1918. It not only features a romantic terrace but also offers a stunning



No. 423 Julu Road, Huangpu District

(1:00-01:30) Monday-Sunday, 11:00-01:30

TAGSIU is a brand dedicated to craft beer. The fourstory villa features a cinema, private rooms, balconies, and art spaces.



GUIDEBOOK | Urban Experience

4. CARTER



- No. 50 Fengxian Road, Jing'an District
- Monday-Wednesday, Sunday: 19:00-01:30 Friday & Saturday: 19:00-03:00 Thursday: 19:00-02:00

CARTER is hidden in an old English-style apartment that built in 1932. The space preserves the original Art Deco style of the building. The cocktail menu is equally unique, blending British style with Shanghai flavors.

5. Cheng Long Hang · Yifeng Garden

- **Q** 3F, Podium Building of Huaihai Plaza, No. 1 Fenyang Road, Xuhui District
- Monday-Sunday, 11:00-22:00

Cheng Long Hang, which has been focusing on crab feasts for more than 20 years, has won one Michelin star for five consecutive years. It even brought the Chinese crab feast abroad to Tokyo, Japan.



6. ATELIER NO.3



- A109, No. 291 Fumin Road, Xuhui District
- Monday: 17:30-02:00Tuesday-Sunday: 12:00-02:00

Every creation by ATELIER gains huge success. The new ATELIER NO.3 introduces a fusion menu centered around charcoal grilling. The drink list, including signature cocktails, barrel-aged cocktails, and classic cocktails, is not to be missed.

Scan the QR code to get the full version guide with Wechat





Get a 66PASS Card with Alipay's Blue-Fireworks and enjoy Up to 34% Off in Shanghai Nightlife with Your Friends.

Instantly get your 66PASS card with no strings attached and embark on a journey through Shanghai's vibrant nightlife. Numerous entertainment destinations and exciting nightlife events await you!



[Scan QR Code]

GUIDEBOOK | Urban Experience

Night in Huangpu



Recommended by **Huangpu District Commission of Commerce**



Route of Happy Night Shopping 📵 — 📵

Bund Financial Center (BFC) - Shanghai New World Daimaru - Bailian ZX Creative Center - Shanghai First Food Mall - Shanghai No.1 Department Store - New World City - Hong Kong Plaza - Shanghai K11 - Huaihai Parkson - ASE Mall - One East



Route of Gluttonous Night Dining 29 – 29

Peace Hotel - Xinghualou - Wangbaohe Restaurant - Xinya Cantonese Restaurant - Park Hotel - Guangmingcun - Jin Jiang Hotel - Garden Hotel



Route of Immersive Night Tour 39 - 39

Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street - Bund Huangpu River Cruise Terminal -Yu Garden - Middle Huaihai Road



Route of Wonderful Night Entertainment 🐠 – 😁

The Cool Docks – Found158 – Xintiandi – Bailian TX Huaihai – INS LAND

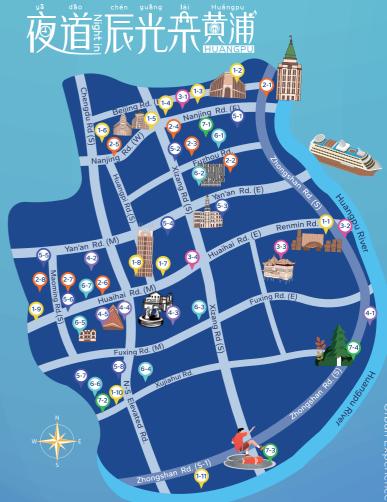


Jazz At Lincoln Center Shanghai - Tianchan Yifu Theater - Shanghai Great World - Shanghai Concert Hall - Lyceum Theatre - Cathay Theatre -Shanghai Culture Square - Baiyulan Theatre



Route of Cultural Night Reading 📵 — 😏

Baixin Bookstore - Shanghai Bookstore - Tangning Books - To You Books Sinan Books - PoemsForYou Bookstore - Joint Publishing (Hong Kong)





Route of Energetic Night Sports 9 - 9



Huangpu Citizen Fitness Center - Luwan Gymnasium - Huangpu Riverside Skateboarding Park - Shanghai Expo Huangpu Sports Park

Urban Experience | GUIDEBOO

GUIDEBOOK | International Services Shanghai

International Services Shanghai



Scan the QR code to view the website

AN ALL-IN-ONE GUIDE TO SHANGHAI FOR EXPATS



english.shanghai.gov.cn



FOLLOW US ON



@IntlServicesSH



@Intl Services Shanghai



@Intl Services Shangha

