

IEEE/ACM Nanoarch 2016 Social Events

There are two events organized: one on the evening of July 19th, 2016, and a second event the morning of July 20th, 2016. Details follow below.

1. Dinner at Bai Jia Da Yuan (Bai Family Mansion) on Tuesday, July 19th 2016

Transportation: Chartered Bus

Pick up place: Sheraton Grand Beijing Dongcheng Hotel at 18:30PM

Event timeframe: 19:00-21:30PM

The Gala dinner will be in the antique courtyard of the Bai Family Mansion. The Mansion was once the house of Prince Li in the Qing Dynasty. In the early 20th century, the master of Tong Ren Tang, a Chinese pharmaceutical company, bought this park as a private garden, and named it “Bai Family Mansion”. Now, it is repaired and becomes an “Official Food Restaurant”, where the visitors can enjoy imperial cuisine and traditional performance.



2. Great Wall Tour on Wednesday, July 20th 2016

Transportation: Chartered Bus

Pick up place: Sheraton Grand Beijing Dongcheng Hotel at 7:00AM

Food: Breakfast (self-serve); Lunch will be provided as part of the tour.

Event timeframe: 7:00AM-12:00PM

The Great Wall of China is a series of fortifications made of stone, brick, tamped earth, wood, and other materials, generally built along an east-to-west line across the historical northern borders of China to protect the Chinese states and empires against the raids and invasions of the various nomadic groups of the Eurasian Steppe. Several walls were being built as early as the 7th century BCE; these, later joined together and made bigger and stronger, are now collectively referred to as the Great Wall. As one of the greatest wonders of the world, it was listed as a World Heritage by UNESCO in 1987. (Source: Wikipedia)

Just like a gigantic dragon, it winds up and down across deserts, grasslands, mountains and plateaus, stretching approximately 13,170 miles (21,196 kilometers). A Chinese saying goes like this, “You are not a true man until you get to the Great Wall.” (不到长城非好汉)