



Summer 2025 U.S.-China Climate Leadership Program

Host: Guangdong University of Technology

Main activities

01

Opening ceremony and ice-breaking

Invite professional instructors of team quality development to carry out team ability training and quality development for the campers. Through the development activities such as "Ice-breaking Journey", the campers introduce each other, narrow the distance between campers and enhance the team's cooperative spirit.



02

Discuss and exchange with climate change research institutions and expert teams

Visit the national Innovation and Entrepreneurship Education Practice Base- Innovation Valley and the laboratory of the School of Ecology, Environment and Resources. Renowned professors from the university will be invited to have face-to-face exchanges with the campers. Strategies and methods to deal with climate change will be discussed.



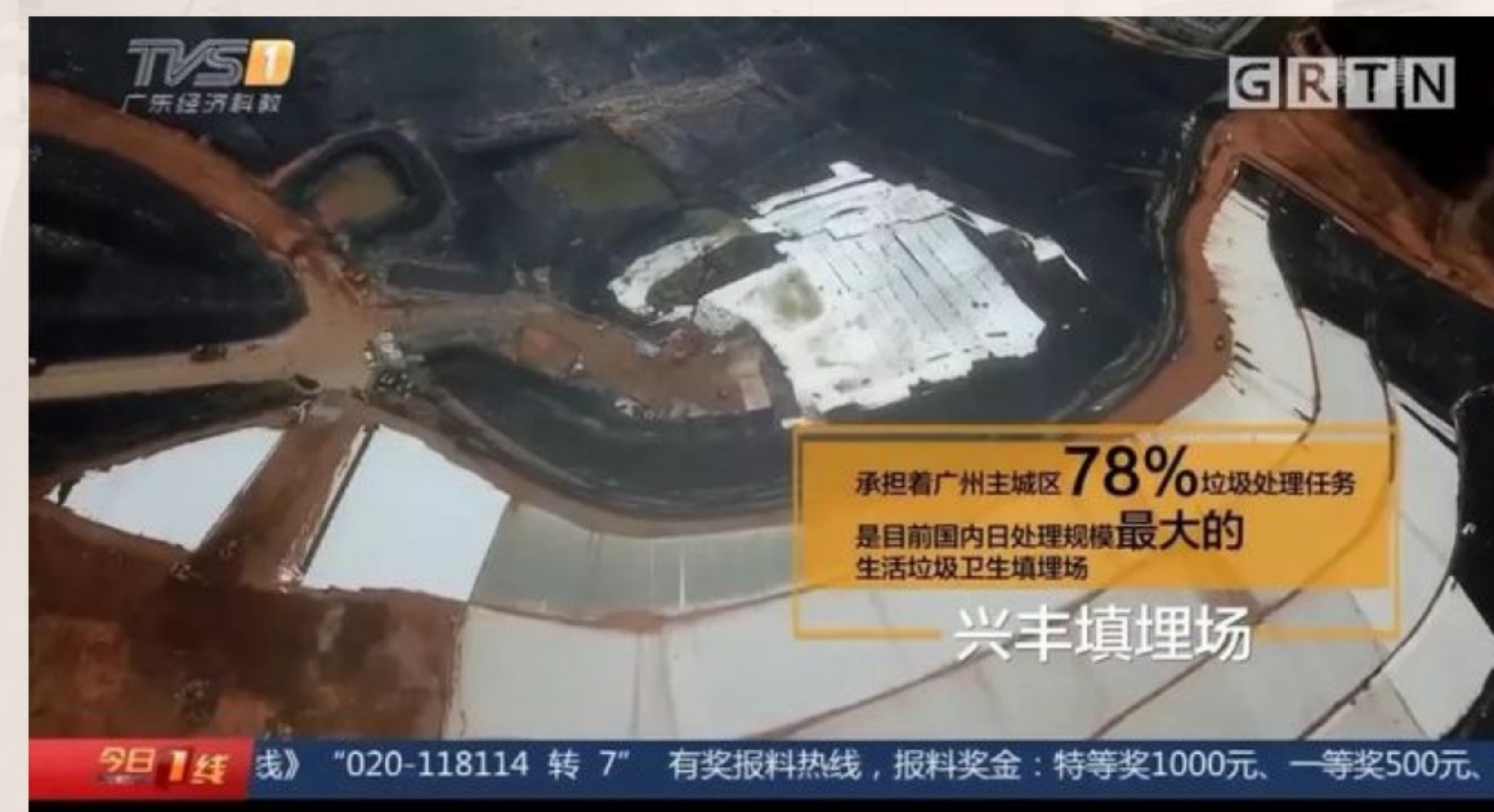
International Students at
GDUT International Exchange Camp



Canton Tower is located at an intersection of Guangzhou New City Central Axis and Pearl River, facing directly Haixinsha Island and Zhujiang New Town. It is currently the highest tower in China and the third highest tower in the world. Canton Tower is 600 meters high, with 450 meters of its main body and 150 meters of its antenna, which makes it the highest tower in China and third highest in the world. The tower shows a spirit of dynamic Guangzhou welcoming challenges and embracing the world. The Canton Tower is a comprehensive sightseeing building as well as a renowned tourist attraction with the multi-functions of sightseeing, adventure, food & beverage, wedding, MICE, 4D cinema, sci-tech, education and shopping. It has been entitled as the National AAAA Level Tourist Attraction, the most valuable member of World Federation of Great Towers. Canton Tower Cultural Tourism Development Co., Ltd. is committed to make Canton Tower into a world-famous tourist attraction.

Visit green and low-carbon industries, communities and renewable energy bases

Organize visits to the Near-zero Carbon E-commerce park, Guangzhou Sewage Purification Company, Guangzhou Xingfeng Municipal Solid Waste Landfill, Guangzhou Emission Exchange, and other enterprises in the ecological environment sector, as well as the near-zero carbon emission demonstration community of Xiaolan Town, Zhongshan City. Engage with technical personnel and management staff to closely experience the practice cases of climate change response and sustainable development in the Greater Bay Area.



Climate change and new energy enterprise inspection activities

Visit new energy vehicle manufacturing enterprises such as GAC Group, have a dialogue with entrepreneurs, and gain a deep understanding of the practical cases of enterprises' participation in climate change governance.

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Ecological construction achievement investigation activities

Visit Haizhu Wetland Park, conduct field research on the success of China's ecological civilization construction, and have an in-depth understanding of China's determination and measures to actively deal with climate change and tackle global ecological civilization.



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Project discussion and exchange

Organize the project design activity of near-zero carbon emission transition path. Through the combination of visits and practical experience, students will discuss the near-zero carbon emission transition path of schools, industrial parks and communities, and work in groups to design projects, discuss and present results to reinforce knowledge and skills related to climate change.



Pearl River Night Cruise

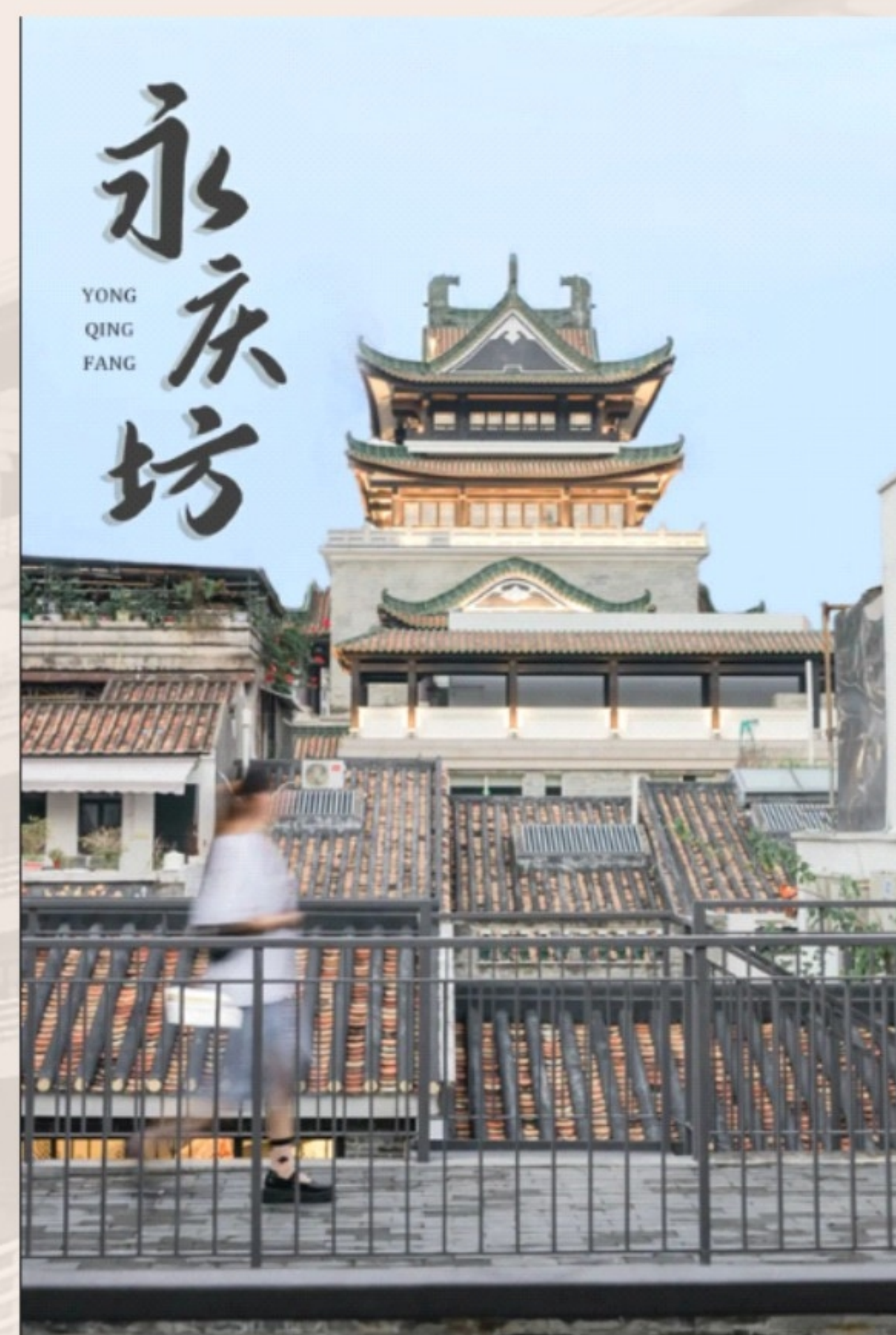
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Chinese historical and cultural study activities

Organize visits to Guangzhou's landmark buildings (such as Canton Tower, Zhujiang New City CBD), Xiguan Yongqingfang, experience the night cruise on the Pearl River, learn about Lingnan intangible cultural heritage (such as Cantonese porcelain, Cantonese embroidery, enamel, bone carving, wood carving and lion dance), feel the charm of Guangzhou culture and Lingnan art and culture, and have a deep understanding of Chinese history and culture.



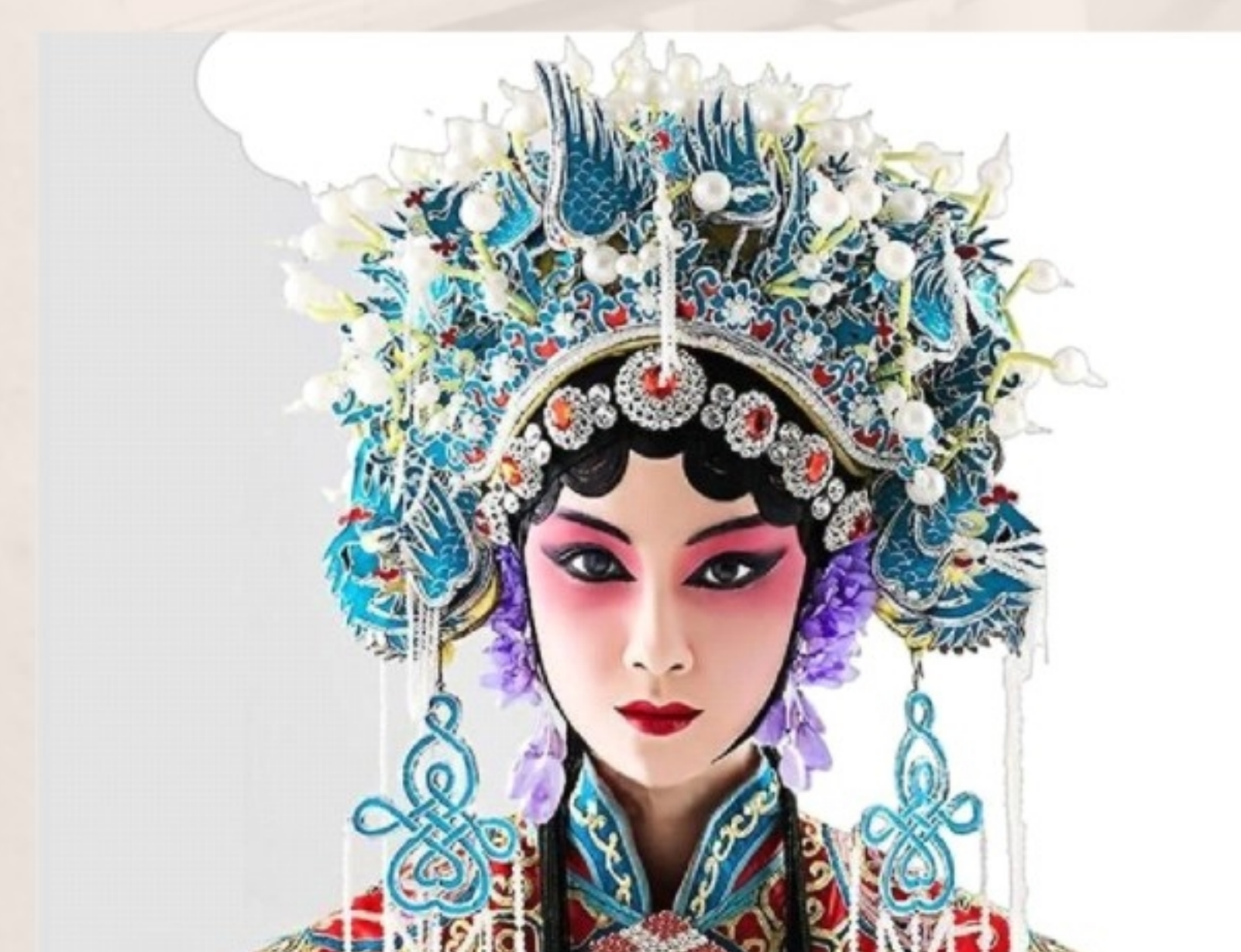
Xiguan



Yongqing Fang



Cantonese Morning Tea



Cantonese Opera

Closing ceremony

A closing ceremony will be organized where participants receive certificates.

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Cantonese porcelain



Lion dance



Bone carving



Enamel

Schedule (For reference)

Date		Arrangements
6.16 Mon.	Morning	Opening Ceremony , Ice-breaking Activities
	Afternoon	Campus Visit:Labs at School of Ecology, Environment and Resources, GDUT Innovation Hub
6.17 Tue.	Morning	Company Visit:Guangzhou Emission Exchange
	Afternoon	Company Visit:Guangzhou Sewage Purification, Haizhu Branch Park Visit:Haizhu Wetland Park
	Evening	Project Design: Design an near zero Carbon Emission project
6.18 Wed.	Morning	Company Visit: Guangzhou Xinfeng Municipal Solid Waste Sanitary Landfill
	Afternoon	Company Visit: Guangzhou Zhuangyuangu Valley、 E-commerce Industrial Park
	Evening	Basketball matches

Date		Arrangements
6.19 Thur.	Morning	Cultural Experience:Cantonese Morning Tea、Yongqingfang historical blocks,Xiguan
	Afternoon	Cultural Experience:Zhujiang New Town CBD、 Canton Tower
	Evening	Pearl River Night Cruise
6.20 Fri.	Morning	the Near-Zero Carbon Emission demonstration Community--Zhongshan Xiaolan
	Afternoon	Company Visit: GAC Group
	Evening	Continue to improve the near-zero Carbon Emission project
6.21 Sat.	Morning	Group Presentation of the near-zero Carbon Emission Projects
	Afternoon	Preparation and Rehearsal for Closing Ceremony
6.22 Sun.	Morning	Closing Ceremony
	Afternoon	Departure