

# GEOLOGY PROGRAM (14 days)

*Vietnam and Cambodia*



Ho Chi Minh > Mui Ne > Hanoi > Halong > Siem Reap



The best geologists are the ones that have seen the most rocks! Due to the many important geological features reflecting the regional geological evolution, Vietnam and Cambodia have attracted the special attention of numerous geologists from various countries.

This program is designed to experience the geology of Vietnam and Cambodia first-hand through special visits, hikes, activities and discussions with locals including some of the region's top geographical features, such as the Mekong Delta, the Red Dunes, Halong Bay, Cuchi Tunnels and Angkor Wat.

### Academic and professional excursions with special presentations, such as:

- Visit of some local home factories, to view the traditional process of making rice pop corn, coco candies, and dried longan (incl. tasting)

### Cultural excursions and field trips with local bi-lingual guides, such as:

- Guided tour of Ho Chi Minh City
- Admission to the War Museum
- Guided tour of Chinatown and admission to the Jade Emperor Pagoda
- Visit Ben Thanh Market
- Boat trip to the Cai Be floating market
- Visit An Binh Island and Mr. Tam Ho's garden including a tasting of tropical fruits and a traditional music performance
- Visit a local brick and pottery factory
- Visit a dragon fruit farm
- Visit Doi Hong, the beautiful Red Hill
- Visit Bau Trang, the white sand dunes

- Orientation walk of the Old Quarter of Hanoi
- Cyclo tour of the Old Quarter
- Admission to the the Ethnology Museum
- Water puppet show
- Full-day cruise through Halong Bay
- Tai Chi exercise session
- Visit the "Surprise Cave"
- Guided tour of Angkor Wat temple
- Guided tour of the walled city Angkor Thom, including visits to the Terrace of the Leper King, the Terrace of Elephants, and the temple of the Bayon
- Visit the floating village of Chong Kneas and stop at the Gecko Environment Centre
- Visit the Ta Prohm temple
- Visit the giant pyramid of Takeo
- Visit the remains of an old Angkorian bridge

### Entrance fees and reservations to museums and sights

### Accommodation:

- 3 nights at a 3-star hotel in Ho Chi Minh
- 2 nights at a 3-star hotel in Mui Ne
- 3 nights at a 3-star hotel in Hanoi
- 1 night in a boat in Halong Bay
- 2 nights at a 3-star hotel in Siem Reap

### Meals:

- Welcome dinner and orientation session by your on-site coordinator at a local restaurant in Ho Chi Minh
- Farewell dinner in Siem Reap
- 6 additional group lunches and 3 dinners
- Daily breakfast

### Transportation:

- Private coach bus will be chartered for your group
- Flight from Ho Chi Minh City to Hanoi
- Flight from Hanoi to Siem Reap

### On-site emergency support

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## PLEASE CONTACT US FOR A QUOTE!

We will work with you to design an itinerary matching the focus of your course and meeting your individual program goals at an affordable price.

Round trip airfare, classroom space, additional meals or cash allowance, insurance, etc. can be arranged upon request.

## How to Get Started?

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