

# GLOBAL ENGINEERING TREKS (GET)

Chile | Taiwan | Türkiye

McCormick Global Initiatives has created several non-credit, global 10-day field-immersion programs for undergraduate students. In these programs, students will visit global companies, start-ups and incubators, research institutes, and universities.

While learning about the global aspects of the field specific to each GET program — energy storage & critical minerals, innovation & high-tech, and quantum — students will also gain exposure to global internship, research, and job opportunities. Trips to cultural, historical, and archaeological sites are also included in the programs.

## TREKS ARE OPEN TO ALL MAJORS

	CHILE MINERALS	TAIWAN HI-TECH	TÜRKİYE QUANTUM
Travel Dates	June 2026	June 2026	Sept 2026
Eligibility	Freshmen, Sophomores	Sophomores, Juniors	Freshmen, Sophomores
Application Deadline	Feb 2026	Feb 2026	March 2026

For more information,  
including the GET online  
application, scan the QR code



## CHILE



### GET Energy Storage & Critical Minerals

#### Themes

- Mineral Mining
- Energy Storage Tech
- Environmental Impacts
- Societal Impacts
- Recycling Technologies

#### Partner Institution:

Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

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## TAIWAN



### GET Innovation and Hi-Tech

#### Themes

- Computer science
- Electronic devices
- Manufacturing
- App development
- Sustainable supply chain management

#### Partner Institution:

National Taiwan University

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## TÜRKİYE



### GET Quantum

#### Themes

- Computing
- Sensing
- Manufacturing and development

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Programs are highly subsidized. All airfare, in-country travel, lodging, and meals will be covered by the program. Need-based financial aid is available.

