Holiday Travel Ideas

Wondering what to do over the Holidays? Take a tour or homestay in the USA.

1. Christmas International House
   Christmas International House (not affiliated with Duke International House) is a Christian ministry designed to offer hospitality to students during the Christmas Holidays. Open to all international students and scholars here on an F or J visa.
   3434 Roswell Road
   Atlanta, GA 30305
   Tel. 404.846.4396
   The registration is open September 15th - November 15th (see early registration rates)
   Email: amis@peachtreepres.org
   www.christmasih.org/

2. Connections Inc.
   Connections Inc. is an International Home Stay and Educational Exchange Organization. They have a Home for the Holidays program for students who want a home stay for spring, winter or summer break. They do not share the fees on the website. You have to call or write.
   17324 185th Avenue NE
   Woodinville, WA 98072
   Tel. 425.788.9803
   Email: inquiry@connections-inc.com
   www.elgoodmayo.com

3. InterFACE Ministries
   InterFACE is a nonprofit educational, Christian organization that networks international students and scholars with culturally sensitive Americans who enjoy cross-cultural friendships and the open exchange of ideas. Contact them for more information regarding their trips and activities.
   P.O. Box 450816
   Atlanta, GA 31145
   Tel. 770.934.7797
   http://www.iface.org

4. International Friendship Ministries (IFM)
   IFM offers six - eight trips a year. Most popular is the trip to Washington DC in the first week of July and the trip to Orlando Florida at the end of December. IFM is a private, Christian organization located next to the University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC.
   610 Pickens Street
   Columbia, SC 29201
   Tel. 803.799.3452
   Email: info@ifmusa.org
   www.ifmusa.org