



The Second International Forum on Women, Sport and Culture

Liberal Sport, Fit Females

October 24 – 26, 2006 (Beijing, China)

Host by the Research Centre for Gender, Sport and Society of Peking University

1. Introduction

The First International Forum on Women, Sport and Culture in November, 2005 was highly commented domestically and internationally with massive media coverage by CCTV, China Woman's Daily and many others. The issues of women, fitness, and sports have attracted more and more attention and academic, business and sports communities have shown great enthusiasm. Given the existing stereotypes and customs that inhibit women from realizing their potential in fitness and sport, the following questions have been raised recently:

How should women live a healthy, cheerful and graceful life in the 21st century?

What barriers stop women from taking part in fitness and sport, and how to tackle them?

What popular sports activities are there in different countries and how to plan and manage them?

What impact will the 2008 Olympic Games have on Chinese society, culture and economy?

What part will women play in preparing and organizing the Olympic Games?

How to develop women's leadership through sports?

The Second International Forum on Women, Sport and Culture will provide scholars, experts, practitioners and sports fans with a platform to discuss the above issues in order to raise women's awareness of sport and fitness, to promote quality research on women and sports culture, and build a bridge for cultural exchanges between China and other nations.

2. Forum Topics:

- 1) Sport and Women's Leadership
- 2) The Culture of Fitness Clubs
- 3) Women Sports in Colleges and Universities
- 4) Women's Leisure and Sport
- 5) The Olympic Games and Women
- 6) Others Issues relevant to Women and Sport



3. Forum Model

- Plenary Presentation
- Panel Discussion
- sub-theme Presentation
- Round-table Discussion
- Posters

***Languages:** English, Chinese

4. Call for papers

Colleagues at home and abroad are welcome to register to the Forum and submit abstracts. Deadline for the abstract submission is September 1, 2006 (requirement on abstract is listed on the next page). The names of oral and poster presenters and their assigned time will be announced by September 25, 2006.

5. Registration: (US\$)(Early bird □ prior to Sep. 1st 2006)

	Early bird	Regular
Registration fees	300	350
Students	150	175

*Registration fees include lunches and dinners, admission to all conference sessions, conference proceedings, souvenir and tour to the Great Wall.

On-site registration: 8.00-18.00 Oct. 24, 2006, Peking University

Method of remittance

Directly remit to Agricultural Bank of China

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6. Accommodations: There are several accommodations available: hotels near the university and university guest house. Further information on accommodation will be provided later on <http://www.sportingfemale.com>

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The Second International Forum on Women, Sport and Culture Confirmation Form

Title: Mr. Ms. Dr. Prof. Degree: M.D. Ph.D.

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Topic of Paper:

Title of Paper:

Type of Presentation Oral Poster

Conference Papers Submission Format:

- Prepared in MS-Word
- Formated for A4 size paper
- All text double-spaced; all notes as endnotes (double-spaced as well)
- Top margin: 25mm, bottom margin: 35.4mm, left margin: 22mm, right margin: 22mm, footer: 20mm
- 12-point font for the body of the paper and 14 point for the title; Times Roman font or similar
- Include cover page with presenter's name, institution, and e-mail address, and paper title
- The title and the abstract of the paper should be in both Chinese and English; the body of the paper could be either Chinese or English.
- Abstracts should be submitted electronically to the following e-mail address:
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Sample

TITLE
Name of authors
Company or institution, city, country
Text of abstract should include the research purpose, method, result and analysis and conclusion.