SICET 国际华人教育技术协会
Society of International Chinese in Educational Technology

The 6th Summer Fellowship Program Events 2009
Call for Participation

Host Institute 1: The Hong Kong Institute of Education, Hong Kong, China, May 14~16.

Host Institute 2: Sichuan Normal University, Chengdu, Sichuan, P.R. China, May 18~20.

Host Institute 3: Southwest University, Chongqing, P.R. China, May 21~23.

--- To present and discuss your research in China.

--- To update your knowledge of educational technology in China.

--- To make friends in the field of educational technology in China.

General Information

The 6th Annual Summer Fellowship Program Events 2009 will be held in China at The Hong Kong Institute of Education in Hong Kong (May 14th ~ 16th), Sichuan Normal University (四川师范大学) in Chengdu, Sichuan (May 18th ~ May 20th), and at Southwest University (西南大学) in Chongqing (May 21st to May 23rd). The Events are co-organized by the Society of International Chinese in Educational Technology (SICET) and the above host institutes.

The theme for these three Events is "*Educational Technology Research and Development Trends*". Under this theme, following topic areas are suggested for presentation proposals.

Suggested Topic Areas for the Event at The Hong Kong Institute of Education:

1. Mobile learning
2. Social learning
3. Game-based learning
4. Creative learning with technology

Suggested Topic Areas for the Event at Sichuan Normal University:

1. Research on trends and issues of educational technology programs in American universities (major universities, university program course structures, research focus, and prominent professors and their contributions to the field, and etc.).

2. Research on new technologies and new pedagogical possibilities (esp. educational gaming, virtual technology, human performance technology, and etc.).

3. Research on technology integration in science, math., physics, chemistry, and language education.

4. Research on design and development of learning environments (esp. online/virtual learning environments, learning and instruction courseware/platform, and etc.)

5. Research on collaboration, community learning, teaming, peer interaction in distance education and its development trends.

Suggested Topic Areas for the Event at Southwest University:

1. Research on trends and issues of educational technology programs in American universities (major universities, university program course structures, research focus, and prominent professors and their contributions to the field, and etc.).

2. Research on Web 2.0 and Second Life in education.

3. Research on collaboration, community learning, teaming, peer interaction in distance education and its development trends.

The Summer Fellowship Program offers numerous opportunities to share your research with many Chinese professors and graduate students in educational technology and in other related educational fields from Hong Kong, Chengdu and Chongqing areas. Members of SICET are cordially invited to participate in both of the Events.

How to Apply

Submit your presentation proposals as an attachment to "**xwang10@gsu.edu**" using the event place as its email subject such as "**Hong Kong,**" "**Chengdu,**" "**Chongqing,**" or "**Hong Kong & Chengdu,**" and "**Hong Kong, Chengdu & Chongqing**" if your proposals are submitted to more than one Events. You are strongly recommended to submit 2 (preferably 3) (same) presentation proposals an Event. Please also submit a copy of your updated resume together with the proposals. Each presentation proposal should be saved as an individual WORD file that includes the following:

1. A title

2. An abstract of 100 ~150 words with three key words/phrases

3. A body of proposal between 600 to 1000 words.

SICET will form a review committee which will work with host institutes to review the proposals using following criteria:

1. Presentation relevance to the given topics (1-10 points)
2. Presentation contents (1-10 Points)
3. Proposal organization (1-10 points)
4. Proposal clarity (1-10 points)

Travel and Accommodation

Participants of the Events are responsible for their own travel arrangements and travel related expenses (both international and domestic). The Summer Fellowship host institutes will provide the participants with accommodations (lodge and food), and local transportation (Hong Kong, Chengdu and Chongqing, P.R. China).

Important Dates

Submission Deadline: January 30, 2009

Accepted Presentations to be Notified: February 15, 2009

Program Information Update: March 20, 2009

Final Program Confirmation: April 24, 2009

Contact Information

If you have any questions regarding this event, please contact us.

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