

中国高等教育学会大学素质教育研究分会

Chinese Association for Liberal Education of CAHE

Chinese Association for Liberal Education 2016 Annual Conference

5th Senior Forum on Liberal Education

April 21-23, 2016, Xi'an, Shannxi, China

China has come to a new stage of development and the government has pledged to build an innovation-driven economy. Concerning education, implementing Liberal Education comprehensively becomes the strategic theme of education reforms. Higher education institutes should take up the mission of nurturing first-class academics and innovators for our national economic and social development. In accordance with this mission, CALE 2016 Annual Conference will be held on April 21-23, 2016 in Xi'an, Shaanxi Province, China. This conference is hosted by Chinese Association of Liberal Education, a nation-wide academic organization dedicated to promoting suzhi education in Mainland China and affiliated to China Association of Higher Education, and organized by Xi'an Jiaotong University, a world-famous one located in Xi'an.

Conference Schedule

April 21, 2016 Thursday

Full day Registration

April 22, 2016 Friday

Morning Plenary Sessions

Afternoon Parallel Sessions

Evening Interactive workshops and roundtable discussions

April 23, 2016 Saturday

Morning Plenary Sessions

(Participants are free to leave after 12:30.)

Conference Theme

The theme of this annual conference is **Liberal Education and Cultivation of Innovative Talents**, which is a response to Chinese Government's call for mass innovation and entrepreneurship. The sub-themes are as follows:

a. Liberal Education and Innovation and Entrepreneurship Education

Concentrate on the characteristics of innovative and entrepreneurial talents, the formation of innovation spirits and career consciousness, the attainment of innovation and entrepreneurial abilities (First and Second Class Buildings), as well as how to advance teacher quality and how to breed innovative and entrepreneurial talents.

b. Liberal Education Enhancement in Engineering Education

Explore the approaches of enhancing liberal education in engineering education by reflecting the influence on engineering education produced by the new round of industrial revolution, and industrial manufacturing 2015.

c. General Education and Innovating the Mode of Talents Cultivation

Discuss general education curricular development, teaching method improvement, reform of major selection system and student-centered educational reform by reviewing hot issues and difficulties relating to educating and teaching.

d. Leading and Management of Suzhi Education

Mainly probe into the construction of nurturing base of culture quality and undergraduate schools, and the renewing of Chinese ancient academies as well as explore the effective ways to manage liberal education.

e. Thoughts and Practices of Suzhi Education with Chinese Characteristics

Sum up practical experience in implementing suzhi education in the last 20 years, and summarize ideological systems related to suzhi education so as to construct higher education discourse system with Chinese characteristics.

Registration

All participants are required to complete registration before March 21, 2016 by filling the attached **CALE 2016 Registration Form** and sending it to **cale_2011@163.com**. Please note that the deadline for registration is **March 21, 2016**. The registration fee (800 RMB) should be paid by cash or credit card at the Registration Desk on April 21, 2016.

Paper Submission and Oral Presentation Application

CALE 2016 Secretariat would like to invite scholars, researchers and other professionals from around the world to submit papers under the conference theme (sub-themes) for the purpose of sharing their knowledge, experiences and successful researches. Papers could be submitted by mail to **cale_2011@163.com** before March 21, 2016. CALE will award the chosen excellent papers among the submitted ones.

More information on the full paper template and submission guidelines will be found in the attached file **CALE 2016 Full Paper Template**.

Participants are also warmly invited for oral presentations which address the overall conference theme and one of the sub-themes. Applications can be made in **CALE**

2016 Registration Form. CALE committee members will review all papers and applications for presentations. Acceptance notification will be sent to the applicants by mail. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Transportation from the Airport

The organizing committee will pick up international participants and transport them directly to the Registration Desk (or the hotel). During the stay, volunteers will be available for international attendees who need help. Drop-offs will also be provided for those needed. Participants that request the free service should send related information (flight no., arrival/departure time, terminal, etc.) at least three days before arrival.

Accommodation

Secretariat of CALE 2016 will reserve hotel accommodation for participants who request for reservation. Accommodation will be paid upon check in. Participants will receive negotiated competitive rates of about 500 RMB per room per night.

Contact us

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Enclosures:

1. CALE 2016 Registration Form
2. CALE 2016 Full Paper Template

Enclosure 1

CALE 2016 Registration Form

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| City | | State/Prov. | | Country | | Post Code | |
| Phone | | | | Email | | | |
| Personal Profile | | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I wish to be a regular participant but not an oral speaker. <input type="checkbox"/> I wish to make an oral presentation at the conference in the form of <input type="checkbox"/> Research Report <input type="checkbox"/> Interactive Workshop <input type="checkbox"/> Roundtable Discussion | | | | | | | |
| Presentation Title & Abstract (within 300 words) | | | | | | | |

Note: 1. Please complete the form and email to **cale_2011@163.com** before March 21, 2016.

2. If you have any concern in filling the form or others, please contact us at **cale_2011@163.com**

Enclosure 2

The Title of your Paper goes here with the First Letter of Major Words Capitalized

Name¹, Name²

¹ A Dept. name of organization, Name of organization, Country

² B Dept. name of organization, Name of organization, Country

Abstract

This sheet represents the standard font and layout for individual paragraphs. To prepare your manuscript, you are encouraged to replace the text in this template with your text. Abstract must be written in English and should be within 300 words on A4 size paper in single spacing. The paper margin should be 25 mm at the top and bottom, and 20 mm on the both sides. Acceptable file format is Adobe Acrobat PDF only. The file must be within 10MB.

Keywords: up to three words, word1, word2, word3

1. Introduction

Chinese Association for Liberal Education 2016 Annual Conference (CALE 2016) will be held in Xi'an on April 21-23, 2016. CALE 2016 is an international conference focusing on Liberal Education. The theme of this conference is "Liberal Education and Cultivation of Innovative Talents".

2. Paper Size, Margins and Typeface

Full paper must be written in Chinese or English and should be maximum 6 PAGES on A4 size paper in single spacing, with a one line between paragraphs. The paper margin should be 25 mm at the top and bottom, and 20 mm on the both sides. Use Times New Roman type 11 point font.

3. Figures

Use only those figures that are necessary to illustrate the meaning of the text. All figures must be numbered consecutively with Arabic numerals, identified by a caption, and cited in order within the text. Figures may be incorporated directly into the body of the text, or they may be grouped following the text.



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4. Tables

All tables must be numbered consecutively with Arabic numerals, identified by a title, and cited (in

order) within the text. The title should be typed below the table and aligned on the left side of the page.

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5. Submission

Full paper not more than 6 PAGES on A4 size paper words in written Chinese or English should be sent to cale_2011@163.com.

6. Conference Registration

Please complete your registration before March 21, 2016 by resending the filled Registration Form.

7. References

All references within the text should be numbered consecutively with the numbers in parentheses as shown at the end of this sentence [1]. Complete citations should appear at the end of the text. Use the reference style that is shown below for all references. [1] Use Times New Roman, 11 points (references)