An International Symposium

THE OLYMPICS IN EAST ASIA

Nationalism, Regionalism, and Globalism on the Center Stage of World Sports

Organized by William W. Kelly (Yale University) and Susan Brownell (University of Missouri-Saint Louis)
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The 2008 Beijing Summer Olympics have brought East Asia to the center stage of the global Olympic movement, in celebration and in controversy. However, East Asia's involvement in the Olympics is century-old, and the Olympic Games, Summer and Winter, have been held in Japan, South Korea, and China a total of five times in recent decades. This international symposium brings together scholars from three continents to consider the historical contributions of East Asian nations to the Olympics and the impact of the Olympics on these East Asian societies.

All members of Yale University and the community are welcome at the sessions and the reception.

SESSION ONE: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2008

JAPAN, KOREA & EAST ASIAN OLYMPIC HISTORY

2:00 PM - 5:30 PM, Henry R. Luce Hall Auditorium 34 Hillhouse Avenue, New Haven, CT

William W. KELLY - Anthropology, Yale University, USA

Christian TAGSOLD - Japanese Studies, Heinrich Heine University of Dusseldorf, Germany

Andreas NIEHAUS - Anthropology, University of Ghent, Belgium

SHIMIZU Satoshi - Sport Sociology, University of Tsukuba, Japan

OK Gwang - Exercise Science, Chungbuk National University, Republic of Korea

Wolfram MANZENREITER - Anthropology, University of Vienna, Austria

WELCOME RECEPTION: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2008 5:30 PM-7:00 PM, 2nd Floor Common Room, Henry R. Luce Hall, 34 Hillhouse Avenue, New Haven, CT

SESSION TWO: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2008
CHINA & THE EAST ASIAN OLYMPIC FUTURE

9:00 AM - 12:30 PM, Room 101, Anthropology Building 10 Sachem Street, New Haven, CT

Susan BROWNELL - Anthropology, University of Missouri-Saint Louis, USA

DONG Jinxia - Physical Education, Peking University, PRC

HSU Li-Hong (Leo) - Sports Management, Da-Yeh University,

HWANG (Tony) Dong-Jhy - Physical Education, National College of Physical Education & Sports, Taiwan

LAU (Patrick) Wing Chung - Physical Education, Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong

XU Xin - Government, Cornell University, USA

BU Yu - Staff Member, Beijing Olympic Organizing Committee and Sports Producer, CCTV

DONG Qian - Commentator and Reporter, CCTV