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The President's Messages



My dear fellow members, dear university students, it was always my most exciting and expecting moment to gather here with you at the end of each year and to share with you the growth AUSF experienced via its athletic and academic activities.

Let me take a few short moments to reflect on the tremendous success we had with our activities, which including 2nd Asian University Taekwondo Championship (May in Kazakhstan), 1st Asian University Beach Volleyball Championship (July in China) and 1st Asian University Golf Championship (December in Thailand). The Taekwondo Championship was the first event under the aegis of AUSF held in central Asia, a big step to the balanced development of AUSF in 5 sub-regions. Besides the glories in central Asia, it is happy to see the 3rd Arab Universities Sports Federation General Assembly held in U.A.E. and the 4th China - ASEAN Education Cooperation Forum held in China. It is quite cheerful to see sport activities flourishing in each sub region.

Let me also share with you 26th Shenzhen Summer Universiade and 32th General Assembly of FISU (International University Sports Federation). During this biggest sport gala among worldwide youth, Asia, as the host, fully revealed its unity and solidarity to the whole world, which made a series activities including Universiade, FISU General Assembly, FISU Conferences so splendid. I firmly believe that our unity and solidarity tradition would last to Gwangju University and even longer.

With the acceleration process of globalization and the knowledge society, universities matter a lot, university sports and physical education matter a lot and university sports organizations matter a lot, because university is no longer the place that only carry forward disseminating knowledge, but a place of knowledge creating; it is the place that trains our young generation who will decide our future and our wishes; it is becoming the core of city, even the country and region; it is playing an important role in nation building; it is helping with the bonding and unity of a country and region and it is helping with the establishment of innovative and entrepreneurial spirit. Therefore, we should accelerate the development of university sports, in the hope to help university to fulfill its social responsibilities.

In closing, let me state on behalf of all the AUSF Executive Committee members we look forward to meeting and visiting with you next year as we prepare you with numerous events. Your participation is the only way to make these events wonderful and meaningful.

Finally, I would like to take this opportunity to wish you a prosperous and propitious new year academically and athletically. See you in 2012!

Best Regards



ZHANG XINSHENG
AUSF President





Claude-Louis GALLIEN
FISU President

Dear AUSF friends,

The Executive committee of FISU, elected at the General Assembly of Shenzhen, is the expression of the rich diversity and the strong unity of our federation. Four new figures make their way into the team, which is a reasonable substitution rate of 17%. The Executive committee is predominantly European (10 members out of 23), but the representation of Asia (7 members) progresses. Five women are now members of the FISU Executive (21.7%) which is insufficient but shows a steady increase. The Steering committee was substantially revised, with three new entrants, including for the first time, a woman, it is also significantly rejuvenated (average age of 53 years).

At the same time four of the five Continental Associations associate members of the FISU, including AUSF, have changed their representatives to the Executive committee. The new FISU Executive committee that was elected at the General Assembly in Shenzhen reflects a need for change and for progress. Change should not mean rupture, but transition; progress should not mean revolution but evolution. However, the expectation of the FISU membership to build a modern organization must be taken into account by the new board as soon as possible, and made visible through clear decisions and actions.

First, we have to express a constructive vision of FISU's future through an ambitious, innovative and rigorous strategic plan that will include both sport and education, foster excellence, youth and modernity, boost solidarity, develop cooperation and partnership.

Excellence means the highest level in sport and the best that sport can bring to University as a means of education: "Excellence in Mind and Body".

The youth is essential for FISU. This is obvious when we consider the « hungry » student athletes attending Universiades, World University Championships and FISU Forums. But young people should also be involved in the FISU, Continental organizations and NUSFs governing bodies, bringing enthusiasm and desire in the decision making process.

Modernity: The actual generation of students is the first fully native « digital people » ; being so familiar with the tools of the future they are the ones that will contribute to make our organizations enter modernity in a dynamic and proactive way, in particular in the fields of communication and marketing.

Solidarity is one of the main challenges required to update the FISU and strengthen its bases. FISU must develop a strategy of solidarity which is appropriate to the actual realities of the continental, regional and national structures of University Sport. We will invest in the future of University Sport, not only by increasing the financial and logistical support provided to the less favored FISU members, but also by implementing actions to boost the development of the FISU members that are already better structured.

Cooperation and partnership will give added value to FISU activities, both in the field of sport and in the field of education. FISU must be an active and innovative member of the International Sport movement and of the International Higher Education movement. FISU will better reach excellence through the establishment of strong links and the creation of synergies with the IOC, with other International Sports Federations, with WADA, with major Universities and International University networks worldwide.

Everybody can see how emerging and developing students sport is actually in Asia, and how AUSF has done the very best to hold University Sport to the utmost not only in the continent but in the whole world. Five Universiades have been organized in Asia in the past ten years, together with numerous World University Championships, FISU Forums, and remarkable Asian Championships. The representation of Asia in the newly elected FISU Executive board (7 members out of 23) is also very significant of the eminent contribution of AUSF to the development of students sports at the world level.

Be sure that the work we will accomplish together in the four years to come will prove fruitful!

Best Regards

Sincerely

My first personal experience with George dates back to the summer of 2008. By then I was a rookie just entering work field, with little knowledge about what university sport was all about, not to mention the real meaning it brought about.

What George did to a 22-year-old university graduate was to introduce her to a realm that was often ignored or overwhelmed compared with predominant professional sport movement, and to encourage her to explore the true value of this career.

I remember we sat inside a Haagen-Dazs ice cream store in the downtown area of Beijing, with George reminding us of how much more open and metropolitan the Chinese capital had become since its 21st Summer Universiade in the year of 2001 in Beijing. I could recall him meeting with national and international university presidents and educators at a breakfast raising everyone's eyebrow by chanting the glories of developing sports in higher education. Even at a time of the Olympics, he was candid to demonstrate his firm belief that university sport had both a meaning and a future.

And he did what he believed was right. He had a vision and was a persistent groundbreaker. Throughout the years chairing FISU, he carried out such revolutions that greatly lifted FISU to a new height.

He turned the Universiade from a confusing exotic word to a brand-name adored by not only students but the society as a whole. His vision in developing continental organizations of university sport proved to be both provident and rewarding. His equal emphasis on athletics and academics carried forward numerous events such as forums, conferences and seminars. His pursuit to enhance FISU value was echoed and welcomed by FISU partners and prospective corporate sponsors. All these efforts he devoted with full enthusiasm and determination that enlightened and invigorated us all.

Grandiose as his mission was, he never left the young behind. As he patiently explained what I had got was not merely a job but a career in 2008, he did just the same to all his disciples. He's the one who shared food and laughed with students at every Universiade canteen. He's the one who cheered for the winner, consoled the loser and put their hands together in the end. His charisma reveals how youthful and entrepreneurial he is at heart as if he has never had left university. His empathy and fatherhood toward the young is so in-born that no age gap ever exists.

Three years has passed since I was recruited by the AUSF secretariat. I have witnessed this organization grow day by day under the aegis of FISU. George has always been a sedulous gardener, watering and fertilizing AUSF with full dedication, treating AUSF as if it is his own child. Now it is time AUSF pays back to George in the forms of more successful events. And it is time for us to promise George that we will follow the way he has carefully paved for us, towards a career worth our lifetime devotion that's called UNIVERTY SPORT MOVEMENT.

Written by NIU Xiaomu (Yvonne),
From AUSF secretariat



Yvonne (left), Mr. Killian and his wife Marilyn in front of China National Grand Theater

George E. KILLIAN
Former FISU President

Executive Committee Meeting – May in Kazakhstan



AUSF Executive Committee held its first 2-day meeting in May 2011 in Almaty, the former capital of Kazakhstan, the host city of 2017 World Winter Universiade. Executive Committee members, including President ZHANG Xinsheng, Senior Vice President AL-HAI Omar, Vice President CHEN Kunning, Secretary General CHOW Kenny, Vice Secretary General XUE Yanqing, Treasurer SEETOW Cheng Fave, Assessors JARGALSAIKHAN D., IGARASHI Hisato, TALEBPOUR Mahdi and PRAYOONPAT Preecha, Auditors HA Woong Yong and ZAKIRYANOV Kairat participated in this meeting, except for Vice President CHANG Hosung. Besides that, FISU (International University Sports Federation) Assessors CHEN Tai-Cheng and MATYTSIN Oleg (currently as FISU Vice President), and FISU Treasurer DANZANDORJ Bayasgalan were invited by the Organizing Committee, attending the meeting. Some guests from the future Organizing Committee (OC),

including Mr. Prompon and Ms. Paweena from the OC of 1st Asian University Golf Championship, Mr. Hassan and Mr. Mohammad from the OC of 1st Asian University Wrestling Championship attended the meeting and made a presentation on the progress of these two championships respectively.

The main purposes of this meeting are 1) to guarantee the smooth running of AUSF activities in 2011; 2) to open the bidding of events in 2012 or future; 3) to seek the cooperation with the regional organization. By talking about the AUSF 2012 calendar, it was quite happy to see that both Thailand and Korea showed the intention to bid for 3rd Asian University Taekwondo championship, which was the first bidding for AUSF championships. It was quite encouraging, because competitive bid is the most efficient way to cause momentum, not only for

university sports. Besides that, AUSF got its first donation from 3 Korea companies, including MBC Mediatech Co. Ltd, Myoungpum Construction Industry and Digital Co, Ltd, thanks to the great endeavor of AUSF Vice President CHANG Hosung from Korea.

During the meeting, 3 working groups were set up, headed by Mr. AL HAI Omar, Mr. CHEN Kunning and Mr. CHANG Hosung respectively, in charge of the Organizational Development Plan, the Strategic Plan and the Bi-annual Plan, which will direct the development of AUSF in next 5 – 6 years.

The Executive Committee members carefully listened to the reports from each sub-regional chairs and vice chairs, in the hope to know the needs of each fellow member and to do what our fellow members really expected AUSF can do. Later on, Iran made a proposal to set up AUSF sub-committee of university sports study, which was a bid step for AUSF to go forward in both athletic and academic direction.

This Executive Committee meeting finally ended with the reports from the OC of AUSF activities in 2011 and 2012. The AUSF Calendar 2012 will be finalized during next Executive Committee meeting to be held in Hua Hin, Thailand this December.

Executive Committee Meeting – December in Thailand



On 11th Dec. 2011, AUSF Executive Committee had its last meeting of 2011 in Hua Hin, Thailand, a beautiful city next to the sea. Hua Hin was ever the resort place for royal family.

It was the second time for AUSF Executive Committee to get together in Thailand. Last year, nearly at the same time, AUSF EC members had its last meeting of 2010 in Chiang Mai, Thailand. This time, except for Assessor JARGALSAIKHAN Dorjsuren, Assessor Mahdi TALEBPOUR and Auditor Kairat ZAKIRYANOV asking for leave, other 10 members arrived on time. So was Dr. CHUNG Tong Gu, the former Senior Vice President of AUSF, who made the special visit to this meeting. According to the meeting agenda, 11 items were discussed. The most important item was on AUSF

calendar 2012. In 2012, 9 activities would be held under the aegis of AUSF, including:

- 1) 2nd AUSF Women's Volleyball in Mongolia from 9 to 15 April;
- 2) 1st AUSF Futsal Championship in Tehran, Iran from 6 to 12 June;
- 3) AUFS Conference in Tehran, Iran from 7 to 8 June;
- 4) AUSF Executive Committee meeting in Tehran, Iran from 9 to 10 June;
- 5) 2nd AUSF Water Polo Championship in Singapore in June;
- 6) 4th AUSF Men's Basketball Championship in Chinese Taipei in October;
- 7) 3rd AUSF Taekwondo Championship in Sabah, Malaysia in November;
- 8) 2nd AUSF Beach Volleyball Championship in Cha Am, Thailand in November;
- 9) AUSF General Assembly meeting in Cha Am, Thailand in November.

AUSF will break its historical record by hosting the largest number of events in the same year, by hosting its first academic event and by hosting 3 events at the same time in Western Asia, which was really surprising and encouraging.

Therefore, in his welcome address, President ZHANG Xinsheng highlighted the great endeavor of each EC member. Certainly, in his speech, President ZHANG expressed the gratitude to University Sports Board of Thailand under the leadership of Ministry of Education for the hosting of the EC meeting and Golf Championship, for their hospitality towards all the participants and expressed the sympathy to Thai people due to the its worst floods in more than 50 years. Also, he presented a souvenir to Vice President CHANG Hosung in appreciation of his personal donation to AUSF. While, in his report, Secretary General CHOW Kenny reviewed the achievements made by AUSF within the past 3 months since last meeting in Shenzhen this August, including FISU General Election in which 7 members were elected and 1 AUSF representative was nominated and the attribution of FISU Universiade 2017, in which the Winter Universiade was attributed to Almaty, Kazakhstan and Summer Universiade was attributed to Chinese Taipei. In the Treasurer's report, Mr. SEETOW Cheng Fave updated the financial situation of AUSF with the other EC members.



Later on, the EC members had a hot discussion on the layout of AUSF mascot and logo, which was redesigned under the support of Vice President CHANG Hosung. The final version will be presented during next meeting. After that, the new mascot and logo will be put on AUSF website for the comments of all Asian university students.

Before the ending of this meeting, the Secretary General CHOW Kenny left some home work for the Executive Committee members to carefully study the drafted documents, like the regulations on Asian University Championships (AUC), Evaluation on AUCs, Procurement Procedures, Honorary Members, ect. This meeting was quite efficient and productive. All the items expected to be discussed were completed.



Meeting delegates in front of the Golf course



2nd Asian University Taekwondo Championship Almaty, Kazakhstan; 20 – 25 May



Almaty, Kazakhstan hosted the 2nd Asian University Taekwondo Championship from 20 to 25 May, in conjunction with AUSF Executive Committee meeting. 75 participants from 10 AUSF members, including China, Hong Kong, Iran, Korea, Kyrgyz Republic, Malaysia, Mongolia,

Thailand, U.A.E., and Kazakhstan took part in this championship. It was a significant move for AUSF to outreach its effort to stage the first AUSF event in Central Asia. The EC meeting and the Taekwondo Championship proved to be successful for the Federation and good publicity for the Kazakhstan Federation.

The championship was organized by Kazakh Academy of Sports and Tourism and Student Sports Federation of the Republic of Kazakhstan. Comparing with the 1st Asian University Taekwondo

Championship held in Abu Dhabi, U.A.E., women competition was added, with 8 weighting categories for men and women both, like up to 54 kg, +54kg - 58kg, +58kg - 63kg, +63kg - 68kg, +68kg - 74kg, +74kg - 80kg, +80kg - 87kg, +87kg for men and up to 46 kg, +46kg - 49kg, +49kg - 53kg, +53kg - 57kg, +57kg - 62kg, +62kg - 67kg, +67kg - 73kg, +73kg for women.

On 22nd May, the preliminary, semi-final and final matches started in -58, -68, - 80, +87 categories for men and -49, -57,



The Opening Ceremony



-67, +73 categories for women. For Men's -58kg Category, Aslan Batykulov from KAZ won the 1st Place, followed by Shi Yanhui from CHN, the 2nd Place and Denis Chernov from KGZ, the 3rd Place. For Men's -68 Category, Abbas Sheikhi from IRI won, followed by Moho Afifudoin Omar from MAS, the 2nd Place and Tilek Tursunalyev from KGZ, together with Ho Yin Tsoi from HKG, the 3rd Place. For Men's -80 Category, 5 players from KOR, THA, KAZ, IRI and KGZ competed. Finally, Behzad Eikhani from IRI won the 1st Place, followed by Sultan Kassymov from KAZ, the 2nd Place, Rasul Abduraim from KGZ and Sang Hwan Kim from KOR, the 3rd Place. For Men's +87 Categories, Hossein Tajik from IRI won the 1st Place and Marlen Salihov from KAZ won the 2nd Place. For Women's -49 Category, Seyedehfatemeth Nemati from IRI won the 1st Place, Almira Yesmyrzayeva from KAZ the 2nd Place and Prapaporn Sangnarin from THA the 3rd Place. For Women's -57 Category, Yekaterina Dmitriyeva from KAZ won the 1st Place and Natthaya Sangsason from THA won the 2nd Place. For Women's -67 Category, Samaneh Rezaei from IRI won the 1st Place and Zhadyra Kospogorova from KAZ won the 2nd Place. For Women's +73 Category, Liu Xiao

from CHN won the 1st Place, Akram Khodabandeh from IRI the 2nd Place, Zhunusova Mereke from KAZ the 3rd Place.

On 23th May, the preliminary, semi-final and final matches started in Male -54, -63, -74, -87 Categories and in Female -46, -53, -62 Categories. For Men's -54kg Category, Gao Changmin from CHN won the 1st Place, followed by Yevgeni Serebryakov from KAZ, the 2nd Place and Kui Shing Lam from HKG, the 3rd Place. For Men's -63 Category, Nagorn Worawong from THA won, followed by Davoud Abdolrezay from IRI, the 2nd Place and Ruslan Shynybekov from KAZ, together with Wing Hung Chow from HKG, the 3rd Place. For Men's -74 Category, Behnam Bayat from IRI won the 1st Place, followed

Alimjan Tadjibaev from KGZ, the 2nd Place, Mohamad Akmal Omar from MAS the 3rd Place. For Men's -87 Categories, Rouhollah Talebi Kahangi from IRI won the 1st Place and Sergei Pak from KOR the 2nd Place and Beom Jun Kim from KOR the 3rd Place. For Women's -46 Category, Sara Khosh Jamal Fekri from IRI won the 1st Place, Zhang Yanqun from CHN the 2nd Place and Munguntsetseg Serdamba from MAS, together with Abibulla Zhansaya from KAZ the 3rd Place. For Women's -53 Category, Ji Yun Park from KOR won the 1st Place, Xu Yuanzhi from CHN won the 2nd Place and Assylzat Alzhanova from KAZ, together with Cristina Ten from KGZ the 3rd Place. For Women's -62 Category, Min Ji Seo from KOR won the 1st Place and Akbota Ismagulova from KAZ won the 2nd Place.

The 3rd Asian University Taekwondo Championship 2012 will be held in University Malaysia Sabah, Sabah, Malaysia. This university is the ninth public university in Malaysia and has expanded rapidly since its establishment in 1994. Please visit www.ausf.org to update the information on this event.



President Zhang was delivering the closing speech



1st Asian University Beach Volleyball Championship Laizhou, China; 16 – 19 July

The 1st Asian University Beach Volleyball Championship took place in Laizhou, China from 16 to 19 July, less than one month before the 26th Summer Universiade held in Shenzhen, China. This championship was considered by Asian members as the warm-up event for Shenzhen Universiade. 16 men's teams and 19 women's teams from 23 universities of 11 countries and regions, including Hong Kong, Korea, Malaysia, Mongolia, Oman, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Chinese Taipei, U.A.E. and China took part in this championship.

At 16:00 on the afternoon of 16th July, the fantastic Opening Ceremony of 1st Asian University Beach Volleyball was staged in Seagull Square, which was decorated with air balloons. Although it rained a while before the Opening Ceremony, the rain never discouraged the passionate audiences and our participants. Thousands of audiences made the atmosphere more cheerful.

Mr. AL-HAI Omar A., AUSF Senior Vice President, Mr. CHEN Kunning, AUSF Vice President, Mr. CHOW Kenny, AUSF Secretary General,



The Opening Ceremony

and Mr. XUE Yanqing, AUSF Vice Secretary General were invited and attended the Opening Ceremony, on behalf of AUSF Executive Committee. Mr. CHOW Kenny, AUSF Secretary General, delivered a speech, expressing his gratitude to the Organizing Committee for hosting this championship. He said he was sure that the young athletes would make the most of this occasion to strive for the best and to enrich themselves through this championship. This championship was held by China University Sport Federation, together with Laizhou Municipal Government, sponsored by Shandong Gold Group Company Ltd., was a good example of the joint effort among the Government, the commercial sector and national university sport body.



Flag Handover Ceremony



HoD Meeting

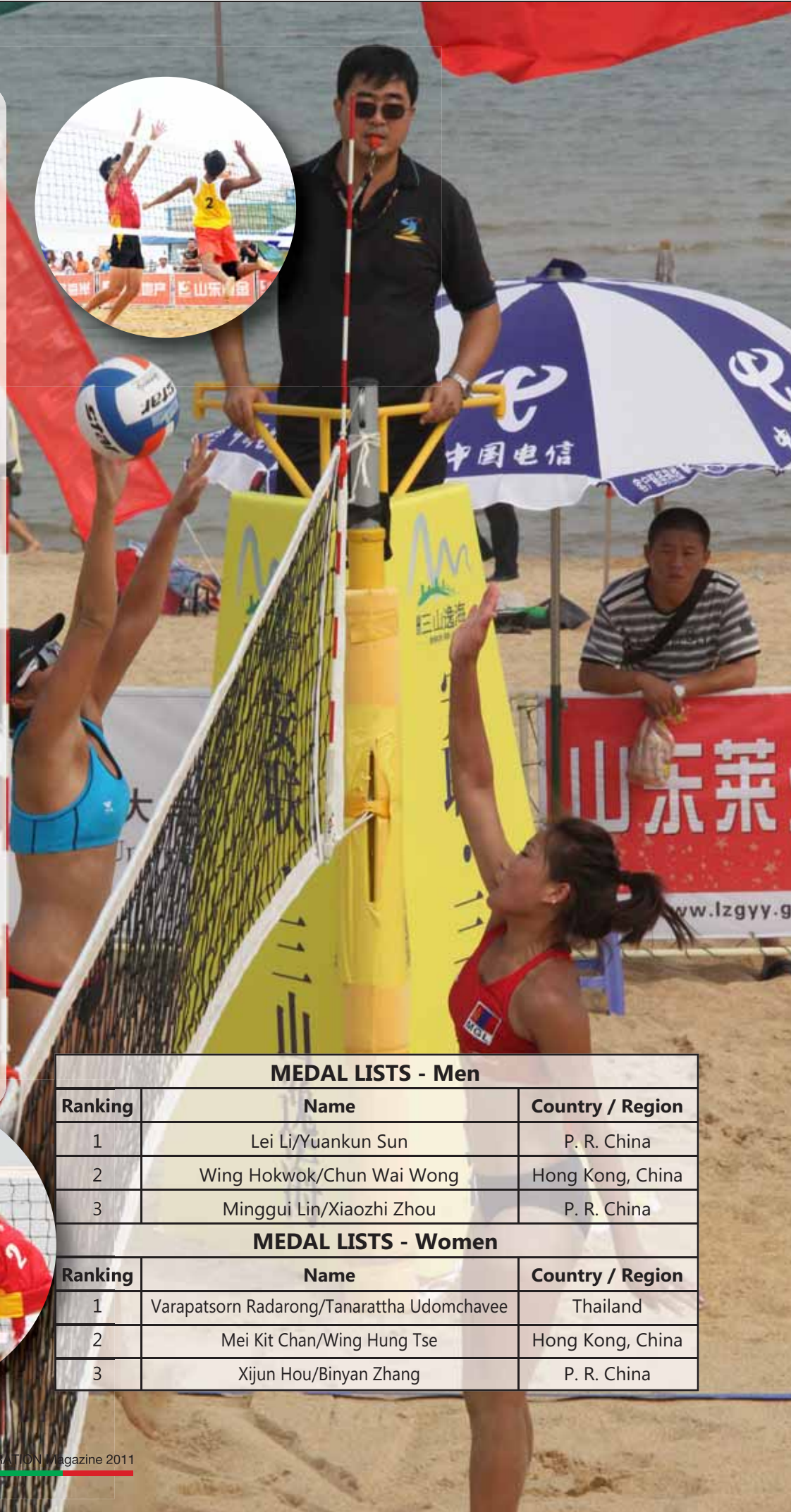


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This championship was in a Round-Robin format. All the participating teams underwent an intensified competition schedule, by playing 3 matches at least every day. Not only athletes but also the officials and referees were exhausted after a whole-day competition. Their best performances sparked with perseverance.

During the Closing Ceremony, Mr. Al-Hai A. Omar said, Laizhou not only left everyone a good memory, but also made us strengthen our friendship. He hoped all the students could be in a more vigorous vitality and vigor, constantly writing a new sports chapter of youth, friendship and harmony.

The 2nd Asian University Beach Volleyball Championship will be held in Cha Am, Thailand in Nov. 2012, in conjunction with the AUSF General Assembly meeting. Please visit www.ausf.org to update the information on this event.



MEDAL LISTS - Men

Ranking	Name	Country / Region
1	Lei Li/Yuankun Sun	P. R. China
2	Wing Hokwok/Chun Wai Wong	Hong Kong, China
3	Minggui Lin/Xiaozhi Zhou	P. R. China

MEDAL LISTS - Women

Ranking	Name	Country / Region
1	Varapatsorn Radarong/Tanarattha Udomchavee	Thailand
2	Mei Kit Chan/Wing Hung Tse	Hong Kong, China
3	Xijun Hou/Binyan Zhang	P. R. China

**1st Asian University Golf Championship
Hua Hin, Thailand; 12 – 16 December**



Opening Ceremony: President Zhang (third from left), Senior Vice President Omar (second from right), USBT President SUEBKA Prasart (second from left)

The 1st Asian University Golf Championships was organized by University Sport Board of Thailand (USBT) and Ramkhamhaeng University from 12 to 16 Dec. in Hua Hin, Thailand, a beautiful city next to the sea. Hua Hin was ever the resort place for royal family. For this championship, 49 student golfers from 6 countries and regions, including China, Korea, Malaysia, Singapore, Chinese Taipei and Thailand, finally made their way to Thailand.

This championship was held in conjunction with AUSF Executive Committee meeting. Most AUSF EC members who participated in the meeting were present at the Opening Ceremony, which was held on the outdoor Golf Course, starting at 17: 15 on the evening of 12th Dec. Three "F"s could be used for this ceremony, fascinating, fashionable and flashing. AUSF President ZHANG Xincheng

delivered a speech, expressing the gratitude to all the participants for their coming from afar for this tournament, gratitude to Ramkhamhaeng University, USBT and Ministry of Education for their hospitality and great endeavor and great wishing to participants for best performance and wishing to this championship for a great success. Three "F"s could be used for this ceremony, fascinating, fashionable and flashing. "Fascinating" referred to its atmosphere. The ceremony was held outdoor, on the golf course and the stage was located facing the sea and mountain. All the participants were attracted by the picturesque scene. "Fashionable" referred to its design. It was the first time to see that the panel of each participating country and region marched into the course taken by cart. "Flashing" referred to its style, the fireworks at the end of the ceremony brightened the sky and the face of each participant, especially after sunset.

The competition was composed of 4 rounds, lasting 4 days. Because the golf course adjoined the sea, which made it quite windy. At the beginning, golfers from other countries and regions did not adapt well with the climate. Thailand team has been taking the top three positions for the first two rounds, especially in men's competition. But in the subsequent rounds, Korea and Chinese Taipei caught up and a Korea woman golfer ever won the best score in the second and third round. The excellent performance and enjoyment of all the golfers aroused the interest of USBT to host the second one.

At the Closing Ceremony, AUSF Flag was passed to University Sports Board of Thailand again. **The 2nd Asian University Golf Championship will be successfully held in Thailand in 2013. Please visit www.ausf.org to update the information on this event.**



Final Ranking

Individual - Men		
Ranking	Name	Country / Region
1	Philip MATSSON	Thailand
2	Min Jun KIM	Korea
3	Young Han SONG	Korea
Individual - Women		
Ranking	Name	Country / Region
1	Aunchisa UTAMA	Thailand
2	Ka Bin SHIM	Korea
3	Saraporn CHAMCHOI	Thailand
Team - Men		
1	Thailand	
2	Korea	
3	Chinese Taipei	
Team - Women		
1	Thailand	
2	Korea	
3	Chinese Taipei	

4th China - ASEAN Education Cooperation Week



On August 18, the Fourth China - ASEAN Education Cooperation Forum concluded in the four main themes in the forum for the exchange between China and ASEAN countries, representatives of colleges and universities came together to exchange and discuss cooperation to form a new consensus cooperation and innovation.

Fourth China - ASEAN education exchange week in Guiyang was held, and made 'towards a more pragmatic and effective in China - ASEAN cooperation in higher education to create an open and innovative platform to promote the further opening of the first university in Guizhou' theme. During the week, as co-organized by the Guizhou University, Guizhou Normal University, Guizhou College of

Finance and the Guizhou Institute for Nationalities hosted China - ASEAN Universities International Forum, China - ASEAN Forum on cross-cultural communication, China - ASEAN 'government, industry, science' Cooperation Forum, China - ASEAN Festival of Youth and Sports four themes forum for the exchange, cut from a different point of view, innovation China - ASEAN education exchange and cooperation mode, open up new space for exchange, to promote the 'two-one hundred thousand student mobility plan' to form a new consensus on cooperation and innovation.

Mr. XUE Yanqing, Vice Secretary General of AUSF, participated in the opening ceremony and delivered a speech on the



cooperation among Asian countries and regions, including ASEAN countries, in the field of university sports.





AUSF – AUCS Collaboration Meeting March in Malaysia

On the afternoon of 26th March 2011, the collaboration meeting between Asian University Sports Federation (AUSF) and ASEAN University Sports Council (AUSC) took place in Penang, Malaysia. Hon. Professor Dato' Omar Osman, AUSC President presented the meeting, with the attendance of Mr. Muhamad Mohd Hanif, AUSC Secretary General and other 8 AUSC members including Brunei,

Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Viet Nam. On behalf of AUSF, Mr. XUE Yanqing, the Vice Secretary General, Mr. SEETOW Cheng Fave, the Treasurer, Mr. HA Woong Yong, the Auditor and Ms. Laura YAN, the General Coordinator participated in the meeting. The meeting was held to follow up the initiative on how to initiate the collaboration between AUSF and AUSC.



In 1980, it was brought out the idea to establish a university sports organization among 10 ASEAN countries, which was known as ASEAN University Sports Council (AUSC). The main product of AUSC is ASEAN University Games. The 15th ASEAN University Games was held in Chiang Mai, Thailand in December 2010. AUSF Executive Committee meeting were invited to the Games. AUSF President ZHANG Xinsheng and AUSC President Hon. Professor Dato' Omar Osman met there, which was the first initiative for AUSF and AUSC to explore the potentiality of cooperation. To follow up the first initiative, AUSF representatives mentioned above were invited to AUSC council meeting, talking about the further collaboration.

who welcomed the coming of all AUSF representatives. In the following, Mr. SEETOW Cheng Fave made introduction on AUSF, including the reviewing of AUSF history, the membership situation, the objectives, the activities held and to be held and the future plan, which gave a clear image of AUSF to AUSC members. Based on the mutual understanding, these two sides had a fruitful discussion on the possibilities for future collaboration, including: 1) to set up a joint commission; 2) to set up a technical committee to work out the possibilities of collaboration and the detailed cooperation; 3) to host joint championships; 4) to have a seat in AUSF Executive Committee for AUSC representative; 5) to hold next AUSF – AUSC collaboration meeting in Shenzhen this August.

The collaboration meeting started with the welcome address from Hon. Professor Dato' Omar Osman,

3rd General Assembly Meeting of Arab Universities Sports Federation



On 26th June 2011, the 3rd General Assembly Meeting of Arab Universities Sports Federation (also short for AUSF) was held in Abu Dhabi, the capital of United Arab Emirates. As one of the most important agenda, the new executive board of AUSF will be elected in a term of 4 years, including President, 3 Vice Presidents, Secretary General and 7 assessors.

During the meeting, Yemen, Algeria, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Sudan, and U.A.E., 12 of 22 Arab Countries were present. Mr. He Abdul Mohesnldossaly, the General Secretary of the General Authority for Youth and Sports and Dr. Saeed Hamad Al Hassani, the Representative of his Highness Shaikh Nahayan Mabarak Al Nahayan, the Minister of Higher Education and the President of Arab University Sports Federation were present in the meeting and presented a souvenir to AUSF representatives and each member country. Geographically speaking, Arab area is quite important, which tightens the relationship between western Asia and northern Africa, thanks to sharing the common language, religious and cultural background.

Mr. XUE Yanqing, AUSF Vice Secretary General, Mr. IGARASHI Hisato, AUSF Assessor and Ms. Laura YAN, AUSF General Coordinator were invited to this meeting, on behalf Asian University Sports Federation (AUSF), to witness the important juncture of a sub-regional sports organization in Asia.

On behalf of AUSF, Mr. IGARASHI delivered a speech, expressing his graduation to Dr. Omar and the U.A.E. Higher Education and his happiness to see that the university sports in Arab area is developing faster and faster, as the AUSF Assessor. He also expressed the

encouragement to have AUSF play an more and more important role in promoting the development of bi-continental university sports in Asia and Africa.

During the meeting, the final reports were heard from Jordan for Basketball Championship, from Oman for Beach Volleyball Championship, from Egypt for the 2nd Arab University Games with 1338 athletes from 17 Arab countries participated, from U.A.E. for the Futsal Championship with 9 countries participated.

After the reports, the new AUSF Executive Committee was elected.

The New Executive Committee:

President	Shaikh Nahayan Mabarak Al Nahayan (U.A.E.)
Vice President	Dr. Saeed Hamad Al Hassani (U.A.E.) Mr. Hassan Chikh (Algeria) Dr. Mohamed Sobhi Ahmed Hassanein (Egypt)
Secretary General	Dr. Omar A. AL-Hai (U.A.E.)
Assessor	Prof. Abedesalm Adaileh (Jordan) Dr. Mostafa Denial (Morocco) Dr. Salim Khamis Al-Araimi (Oman) Dr. Abdulkarim Ahmed Al-Subbary (Yemen) Dr. Amer Tlas (Syria) Dr. Abdullah Albagami (Saudi Arabia) Dr. Eman A. Zoon (Iraq)



From left to right: Xue Yanqing, AUSF Vice Secretary General, IGARASHI Hisato, AUSF Assessor, Dr. Saeed Hamad Al Hassani and AUSF Senior Vice President AL-HAI Omar

AUSC Sports Science Conference 2012 in Laos

The President of ASEAN University Sports Council (AUSC), Prof. Dato. Omar Osman has officially passed the baton to Prof. Datuk Dr. Kassim Mansor of Malaysia with a simple ceremony during the AUSC meeting held in Laos on 1st December 2011. Prof. Dato. Omar has served AUSC since 2008 and has assumed the duties of Vice-Chancellor of University Sains Malaysia in Penang. Prof. Datuk Dr. Kassim was his deputy and he is the Deputy Vice Chancellor (Student Affairs), University Malaysia Sabah.

Both Dato. Omar and Datuk Kassim expressed deep appreciation and admiration on the existing close cooperation and understanding expressed by

nations in the ASEAN region in handling all matters relating to the Sports Council and they believed that whatever activities undertaken by AUSC will further stimulate and encourage healthy participation among students. Certainly these activities will help in the exchange of ideas and to develop a network of ideas.

The 9th AUSC meeting held in Vientiane, Laos discussed at length all preparation for the coming 16th ASEAN University Games (AUG) which Laos will host in December 2012. The meeting also agreed on the Sports Science Conference to be held in conjunction with the AUG and this seminar is scheduled tentatively on the 11th till 16th December 2012.



AUSC Meeting in Laos

National University Sports Federation of I. R. IRAN

International activities

Attending the 25th Winter Universiade for First Time:

For the first time, Iranian delegation participated in Winter Universiade which was held in Turkey, Erzurum from January 27th to February 6th, 2011. Iranian delegation was composed of 4 athletes (3 male and 1 female) and 4 officials. Participation in the 25th Winter Universiade was a fabulous experience and achievement for Iranian university students.

Iranian Students took 1st place in the 2nd Asian University Taekwondo Championship 2011

The 2nd Asian University Taekwondo Championship was held in Kazakhstan 22 - 24 may 2011. Iranian 8 students out of 10 won gold medals and the other 2 students won silver medals. The Iranian authorities considered a bright future for Taekwondo and actually tried to do their best for getting more hope-inspiring results.



The sports included of taekwondo, archery, shooting, golf, athletics, artistic gymnastics, aerobic gymnastics, cycling, volleyball and weightlifting. In taekwondo kyorugi, Mr. Mehran Asgari achieved gold medal and Mr. Rouhollah Talebi was the bronze medalist. In taekwondo poomsae, Mr. Ali Nadali was in the bronze medalist and Ms. Mahsa Mardani won the silver medal, while in team poomsae tournament, taekwondo players decorated with one silver and one bronze medals. Also in archery Mr. Milad Vaziri was in the 5th place and team archers won the 6th place.



Iranian gold medalist

The 26th Summer Universiade:

Iran was present in the 26th Summer Universiade with 131 participants among whom 80 were athletes. In comparison with the 24th Universiade that 48 people from Iran attended, it has a progressive, salient development. It should be also added that in 24th Universiade Iran participated in 6 sport events, while that in the last tournaments the number of sport events increased into 12.



Iranian silver medalist



Presentation of Iran NUSF President and International Affairs Deputy in FISU conference

A high point for Iranian people is that in the FISU Conference 20 articles presented by Iranian active researchers. This subject made obvious that Iranian people not only care about sport and cultivating athletes, but also extremely pay attention to achieve more knowledge about physical education and so on.

National Activities

Establishment of Iran NUSF's Provincial Committees:

By virtue of the appropriate planning and strengthen the national university sport activities, Iran NUSF decided to establish provincial sport committees with the following objectives:

- To create a unified approach in sport activities and avoid parallel activities.
- To create shared sport understanding and cooperation among university students.
- To make efficient use of resources and talents in sports.
- To organize university sport activities in a suitable manner.

Therefore every province constituted a committee consisting of the President, the Secretary General, the federation representative and other members.



The first meeting of Provincial committees presidents

All committees try to promote the aims of Iran National University Sports Federation. The Iran NUSF president Dr. Mahdi Talebpour asked all provincial committees to provide comprehensive and useful scientific projects every year. The committees also have some joint meetings in which they discuss about university sports' complications, give their progress reports and make decisions for the advancement of Iran NUSF goals.

National Sport Championships:

In line with national federation policies on development of university sport activities, each year some tournaments would be held all over the country. This year the volleyball tournament was held in Hamedan province, table tennis, mountain climbing, volleyball and futsal matches were held in Markazi Province and futsal was held in Boushehr province. These kinds of activities bring freshness, vitality and wellbeing to students.



Award Ceremony of Iranian Student Sport Champions 2010

Award Ceremony was held for appreciation from student champions and medalists of Asian and World University Sports Championships in the year of 2010. The Minister of Science, Research and Technology, Secretary General of National Olympic Committee, the President of Physical Education Organization, President of National University Sports Federation, Deputies of Physical Education Organization and Science Ministry and Presidents of different federations attended in this ceremony. They all appreciate the hard work of university student athletes and wished more and more success for industrious young athletes. This meeting and the promising speeches of authorities motivated students to come to scene and try more than past to achieve world places in different fields.



Futsal competition

Sport Development in Nepal



Development is a process of enlarging people's choices and increasing the opportunities available to all members of society. Based on the principles of inclusion, equity and sustainability, emphasis is on the importance of increasing opportunities for the current generation as well as generations to come. The basic human capabilities that are necessary for this, are to lead long and healthy lives, to be knowledgeable, to have access to the resources needed for a decent standard of living and to be able to participate in the life of community. Sport can directly help build these capabilities. Sport and development is when we use sport as a tool to address challenging developmental issues facing various populations. Development of core sport is a precondition to use sport as a tool for development. Without the pure joy of participating in sport as a foundation, we don't have the tool needed to accomplish development.

With an aim to promote the sports and take it up to the international level, USAN was established in 2007. Since its establishment it has been continuously struggling to improve the present condition and make the sports of Nepal really a promising, competent and professional. It has tried its best to bring forth the sport talent of the university students. Nepal is still far behind in the sports sector in comparison to the international level. It could not flourish especially during the period of civil war that continued for more than ten years. As elsewhere there was the sense of insecurity among the sportsmen too. Immediately after the peace process there was a sign of relief in this field, too. Till now university students did not have chance to expose their talent in sports. To end this situation, with the support and cooperation of five universities of Nepal, USAN was established. USAN has been playing a significant role to develop the sports and make it effective to raise it up to international standard. With strong determination, courage and passion, it is marching ahead. National and international support has added natural strength in it. It is greatly indebted to them. To kiss the mission such a support and co-operation are the must. The support of FISU and AUSF is inexplicable in words. USAN, without any doubt, move ahead with confidence and strength and will be able to reach the destination with the constant support of such sports associations. With this faith it is moving its steps forward.



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University Sports in Japan

Background

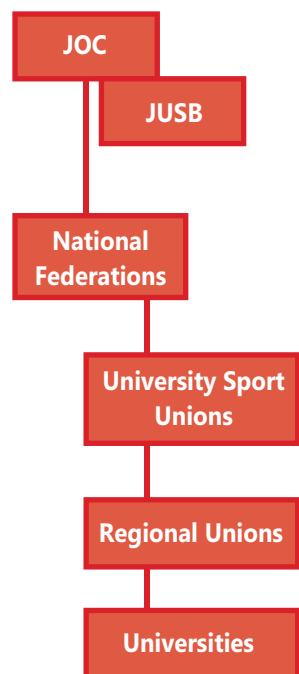
Japan has hosted several Universiade Games in past both for Summer and Winter, and some of university sports, for instance athletics, baseball, rugby in particular, are very popular in Japan and have many TV viewers.

University Sport Structure

The Japanese University Sport Board (JUSB) is the governing body of University sports in Japan. The JUSB is operated as one of the committees of the Japanese Olympic Committee (JOC), and all administration is in fact managed by the JOC secretariats. JUSB is not an independent organization in Japan.

National sport organizations and federations that govern the relevant sport in Japan are affiliated to the JOC. There are 35 University Sport Unions underneath the national sport federations respectively. In general, as in the same manner as for the JUSB that is placed under the JOC, most of University Sport Unions are organized by the relevant National Sport Federation. In fact, each University Sports Union operates under the umbrella of the related National Sports Federation.

The chart(right) is the descriptions about the case of university athletics sport in Japan.



Case study – Inter-University Athletics Union

The national governing body for athletics is the Japan Association of Athletics Federation (JAAF). The Inter-University Athletic Union of Japan functions as one of the JAAF affiliations and manages university athletics events.

University's athletic teams across Japan belong to one of 8 regional unions that affiliate to the Inter-University Athletic Union. There are 459 member universities as of 2010 and the figure is one of the highest among all university sports.

Regional university unions manage the university sport events/competitions in their regions, while the Inter-University Athletic Union of Japan organizes national University Championships and other nation-wide competitions. The number of such national competitions is around 10 per year and more than 70 regional events across Japan in total.

One of the most famous competitions is the Hakone Ekiden (long distance relay race), or Tokyo-Hakone Round-Trip College Ekiden Race, that is held during the New Year of every year. The audiences pack the roadsides all through the race course and TV covers the whole race for 6 to 7 hours each for two day race. The viewer rate hits up to 30%. It is also notable that this event is organized by a regional University Athletic Union in Kanto (Tokyo and suburb) area.

Other Sports

Apart from such particular case of the Hakone Ekiden, there are several other popular university sports in Japan. Those are Baseball and Rugby, for instance. They have league tournaments in the Kanto (Tokyo and its suburb) area and their games are televised and have steadily many viewers.

On the other hand, most of university sports in fact are not so popular in Japan. The development and promotion of those sports are the common challenge to the University Sport Unions and their National Sport Federations.



Thailand University Games and the University Sports Board of Thailand



Princess Sirindhorn, chair person to the Opening Ceremony of 38th Thailand University Games 2011, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok

More than 40 years that Thailand University Games (TUG) has started, since the 1st Game held at Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai province (Northern part of Thailand) in 1970. The University Sports Board of Thailand (USBT) takes significant parts in order to guarantee that the competition will meet the international standard and achieve the fundamental principle of the competition. Thus, USBT will provide not only the financial support to organize the competition, but also technical

support such as selecting a host university, declaring the regulations and providing required assistance to the host university.

Thailand University Games is the major sports competition among higher education student-athletes. The competition is organized annually. Every year, the host university will be rotated every part around the country. Until now, latest Thailand University Games 2011 has been held in central Bangkok at Chulalongkorn

University with 117 participating universities. The competition consists of at least 15 sports categorized as follow: 5 compulsory sports (athletics, swimming, basketball, football and volleyball), 9 selective sports and 1 selective Thai cultural sport.

For financial support, USBT, in corporate with the Office of Higher Education Commission (OHEC), distributes 12 million baht to support the host university which will be separated to 5 million baht

for organizing management, 5 million baht for renovation of competition venues and 2 million baht for doping control.

Due to the huge amount of participants, TUG was divided into 2 rounds: the elimination round and final round. Each year more than 20,000 athlete-students will participate in the competition. Some popular team sports for example Football, Basketball, Volleyball, Sepak Takraw, Beach Volleyball, Petanque and Rugby need to be qualified. Only maximum 24 teams will be allowed to enter the final round. However, for the individual sports, all athletes can go to the final round without elimination. Therefore, it could be named that TUG is one of the most successful sport events of the country.

The 39th Thailand University Games will be held on May 1 - 8, 2012 with 26 sports events in Prince of Songkhla University, (Had Yai Campus) Songkhla Province (southern part of Thailand).



2015 Summer Universiade Tells EPIC Story



Gwangju, a relatively small city in Asia with wonders quite unrevealed to the world, is set to reach out to the young people of the world. The concept of the 2015 Gwangju Universiade is EPIC. Epic symbolizes the special story of the city of Gwangju and its dedication to the Universiade. As the acronym for Eco-friendliness, Peace, IT and Culture, EPIC strives toward great epic poetry filled with striking impressions and fervent passion. These four visions are the principal concepts of the Universiade.

Eco-versiade ... for sustainable development

The indispensable factor in modern-day sporting events is the preservation of the environment. Gwangju Universiade has formulated a strategy that combines the reduction of costs and preservation of the environment by minimizing new

construction. Of the 77 competition venues (42 competition venues, 35 training venues) needed during the Universiade, 97.4% of the venues will be refurbished. Only the competition venues for swimming and gymnastics have not met the international standards and will be newly constructed. The first strategy in making preparations for Gwangju Universiade is to minimize the financial burden while enhancing economic efficiency through the implementation of environment-friendly and sustainable methods.

Peace-versiade ... declaring the values of democracy, human rights and peace to the world

Gwangju is a historic city that advanced Korea's democratization process through the democratization movement of May 18, 1980. The spirit of Gwangju citizens dedicated to democracy,

human rights and peace rising up against the regime of dictatorship has become the model of democracy in Asia. A single inter-Korean team will be organized in the city of Gwangju where the festival of peace will unfold. The young people of South and North Korea, the only divided nation on earth, will participate as one team to leave a deep impression on people around the world, and make progress for achieving peace on the Korean peninsula.

IT-versiade ... a ubiquitous sporting event enjoyed anytime, anywhere

The Gwangju Universiade will hold the most efficient IT sporting event by broadly applying cutting-edge telecommunications technology of the Republic of Korea and the state-of-the-art photonics representing Gwangju. Details on the operation of the Universiade including the schedule and results of the sports events as well as the management and information on the Universiade will be integrated to be organically linked to the Internet interface and mobile information management system. The Total Integration Management System (TIMS) enabling service anytime, anywhere by any device will be instituted.

Culture-versiade ... a feast of global culture unfolded in the cultural city of Asia

Gwangju is Korea's representative city on art and has turned out

quite a number of renowned artists. Gwangju Biennale, held since 1995 with the vision of passing on the tradition of art, is considered as one of the world's three major biennales. With the opening of the Asian Culture Complex in 2014, Gwangju is poised to take a quantum leap forward as the cultural hub of the world. The 2015 Gwangju Universiade will become the sports and cultural festival for university students worldwide. It will offer them the opportunity to experience the diverse culture and art of Korea as well as to share and enjoy the diverse culture of the world by integrating the cultural contents of the Asian Culture Complex. Gwangju Universiade will become a cultural Universiade that is rich in culture and filled with more artistic enjoyment than any other sporting event staged to date.

Volunteering Work

Foreign Language School for Volunteers

"We will take good care of our foreign guests", interpretation volunteers are full of passion.

One by one, students enter the university campus at the time of sunset. They are headed towards the Language Education Center. Inside their bags are the English textbooks that they had long ago deserted. The people who fill the classroom in the late evening are the students of the Universiade Foreign Language School.

Students with diverse backgrounds including office workers, housewives and retired persons are listening attentively to the lecturer.

The zeal for the Universiade Foreign Language School, in its second year of operation this year, is intense. The first task that the GUOC set out to foster the volunteers who will play an essential role in running the Universiade was the establishment of the Foreign Language School. The GUOC believes that the success of the Universiade depends on the ability to communicate with the foreigners visiting Gwangju from various parts of the world. Language proficiency, however, does not come overnight. It is an area that requires strenuous efforts and investment over a lengthy period of time.

The GUOC formulated a plan to conduct language education for volunteers five years ago and has put the plan into action. This longest-lasting citizen education project which is quite unprecedented in the history of Korea's sports competition has begun.





Last year, more than 3,500 students comprised the student body of middle school students who would become university students in 2015 as well as Gwangju citizens graduated from the English Language Schools conducted in the Language Education Centers of seven universities and middle schools. This year, Chinese, French and Spanish were added to enable the future volunteers to take courses in the Language Education Centers in regional universities. In addition to the EBS educational channel, an on-line learning system was also developed to enable future volunteers to learn 14 foreign languages including English anytime, anywhere. On-line educational courses include English, Japanese, French, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian, Vietnamese and Arabic language offered free of charge, and anyone with determination and passion can take the course. The biggest advantage is that students who go through the Universiade Foreign Language School can work in international events held in Gwangju as volunteers and build up a solid body of experience.

Of those who underwent language training last year, more than 200 registered as volunteers for interpretation and translation at the Gwangju Volunteer Center

through the GUOC and performed the role of volunteer interpreters even before the Universiade. One such volunteer is Lee Mi-sook (51-year-old housewife) who is attending the Highly Advanced

Class at Gwangju Women's University. "I want to do some volunteer work during the 2015 Gwangju Universiade and make Korea and Gwangju known to the world," says Lee, who has demonstrated her language proficiency while undertaking foreign language volunteer work including interpretation during the opening ceremony of the 2011 Gwangju Design Biennale. The "students" of the Foreign Language School are filled with passion and zeal for providing volunteer interpretation during the Universiade, just like Lee. Although their ages and occupations are diverse, they all share one vision to tirelessly study the language and play a vital role in the successful staging of the Universiade.

Koh Jae-joong (76-year-old), who is the oldest student attending the Foreign Language School, is currently serving as a cultural and tourism guide of Gwangju city after retiring as the principal of a middle school. Koh says, "I want to contribute to the successful staging of the Universiade by offering friendly information service to the athletes coming to Gwangju." English language education experts impart great inspiration to the Universiade Foreign Language School that has ignited a frenzy of learning foreign languages in Gwangju.

Professor Lee Ki-jung, Department of English Literature at Hanyang University said, "Various local governments have hosted international events but I believe Gwangju was the first to systematically build the foreign language enhancement program since about five years ago." He went on to say, "Securing talented individuals who are proficient in foreign languages is essential for the successful hosting of any international event. In this regard, the meticulous preparations made by Gwangju are magnificent." The goal of the Gwangju Universiade Organizing Committee is to train some 20,000 volunteers by the year 2015. In addition to training the citizens and young people, the GUOC, from next year, plans to gradually expand education on the fields of expertise for university students, professional interpreters and translators and those engaged in the tourism industry that will play the pivotal role in the success of the Universiade.



2015 GWANGJU SUMMER UNIVERSIADE
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DYNAMIC ACTION
POWERFUL STORY
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2015 GWANGJU SUMMER UNIVERSIADE

Period_ July, 2015 (13 days) / **Venue_** Gwangju and Nearby Counties / **Host_** International University Sports Federation (FISU)
Organizers_ Korea University Sports Board(KUSB), 2015 Gwangju Summer Universiade Organizing Committee
Sports_ 21 (compulsory 13 / optional 8) / **compulsory sports_** Athletics / Basketball / Fencing / Football / Gymnastics(2) / Aquatic Sports(3) / Tennis / Volleyball / Judo / Table tennis / **optional sports_** Taekwondo / Badminton / Golf / Handball / Archery / Sport-shooting / Rowing / Baseball
Participants_ 20,000 people from 170 countries

FISU Conference in Turkey

From January 24th to 26th, the 2nd FISU Winter Universiade Sport and Science Conference organized by the Ataturk University in Erzurum has offered to its 280 participants a very high level of scientific presentations (80 oral contributions and 50 posters) on the general theme: "The Impact of University Sport on Regional Development and Health".

Prof. Dr. Hikmet Koçak, Rector of the Atatürk University and Chairman of the Conference welcomed the attendants and the FISU Executive Committee members. 'Sport has a multi-dimensional importance in human life', the Rector said in his speech. 'Since the beginning of mankind, sport is used for personal benefits such as health and entertainment, international activities like competitions and even international trade. Sport is especially important for developing youth. It is proven that students engaging in sportive activities are more successful in cognitive behavior. My colleagues and I are giving the utmost importance in supporting sports events and related scientific activities.'

After a welcome speech from the Governor, the floor was given to 1st Vice-President Gallien, former Chair of the CESU. 'University Sport is much more than sport. University Sport intends to maximize the positive impact of sport, and to minimize the negative impact of globalization on cultural, social, economical and environmental patterns. University Sport also intends to contribute in protecting the health, wellness and lifestyle of the humans', Mr. Gallien said.

During this conference, the following topics will be discussed:

- The importance of the Winter Universiades in the program and history of FISU;
- The economical and social potential impact of mega sporting events like the Winter Universiade on the organizing cities and regions, with special attention for the contribution of University Sports in Turkey,
- How it is increasingly essential to give ethics and sports values a prominent place in education and to protect human individuals' health, human societies and human environment from the disorders linked with the excesses of global world values.



Ethics was one of the major topics in discussion with a keynote presentation by Pr Ohran Güvenen (Bilkent University – Turkey) who demonstrated that ethics is a necessary condition for any system optimal at the individual, corporation, national state and international sphere levels.

Dr. Zerihun Jemaneh (Ethiopian Higher Education Sport Association) stated that for education, university sports and sport in general, ethics is equally a necessary condition of optimizing the system.



A very original study about sport and nationality in the media was presented by Arnaud Richard (FF Sport-U). It deals with categorization processes in televised live commentaries and demonstrates the strong influence of local and national ideologies on popular sports rhetoric.

Pr Carmen de Jong (Université de Savoie, France) made an exciting presentation about sustainable development and environmental concerns, that could be considered as part of ethics and essential when considering long term Regional development, and opened the door to the keynote presentation

made by Pr Onur Özoy (Ankara University) who discussed the impact of the 25th Winter Universiade on Erzurum's economy and Regional development.

Mrs Kairis Ulp, FISU Assessor and Chair SU Winter, underlined the importance of the Winter Universiade in the programme and history of FISU and for the organizers, and presented a comparative parallel between Winter Universiade and winter Olympics.

Dr Janice Harvey (Mc Master University, Canada and CESU Medical committee), made a link between Health concerns and ethics in sports by presenting the antidoping control in an Olympic perspective: the Vancouver Games. She insisted on the importance of developing and implementing an educational antidoping program, and promoting ethical values of the « doping free » sport. Renata Kopczyk (University of Wroclaw, Poland) presented the concept of ethics in sports and dangers of moderns a sport by focusing on the legal aspects of the fight against doping.

Pr Dr Gyongyi Foldesi (CESU member) opened a passionate debate with the audience about the question : « Who is responsible of the promotion of the students health by sport at the international, national, university and individual levels ?

Pr Dr Bingshu Zhong (Beijing Sports University, China) introduced the development of health-oriented university sport reform in China, and gave an analysis of the problems facing university sport today in China.



FISU Conference in China

From August 13th to 16th, the Conference of the Shenzhen Universiade took place at the Shenzhen University (SZU) founded in 1983. Over 400 participants from 42 countries and regions participated in this Conference and the Organizing Committee of the Conference has received 830 abstracts from which 400 were selected.

The Universiade is not only a multisport event but also an educational event giving the opportunity to the students-athletes and officials of the delegation to take part in an international academic conference supervised by FISU and hosted by the university of the host city of the Games.

The importance of combining sport and academic events was underlined by Mr. Claude-Louis Gallien, FISU President and Chair of the Committee for the Study of University Sports (CESU) in charge of the educational activities in FISU, when he wrote: "... sport might play a major role in education; university sport must be a school for the decision makers of tomorrow".

The main topic of this Conference is "University Sport: From Culture of the 'How' to Culture of the 'Why'. The Future Starts Here". Five subthemes have also been defined:

1. Impact of great sports events- Olympic Games and Universiades

2. Education, Ethics and sport
3. Healthy lifestyle promotion at university: education research and strategies for preventive and therapeutic intervention
4. Anticipating new practices and events in university sports
5. University Sport Industry: Development through positive exploration

Opening Speech of Mr. Claude-Louis Gallien :
 "It is a great pleasure and an honour for FISU to be once again here in China, the land where successful answers are given to the challenges of coupling modernity with rich and original traditions, and to achieve holistic technological, economical and social development.



Shenzhen is a « green » city, a young city with a young population, a city open to the world, a city facing toward the future. In fact, « The future starts here » in Shenzhen, and the 2011 FISU Summer Universiade Conference intends to be a milestone in that process.

Which future ?

The french writer André Malraux said: "The 21st century will be spiritual or will not be".

In fact, making ethics and value systems endogenous to the decision systems is an urgent necessity for world stability, sustainability, wealth and peace. An imperative condition for our societies to meet the expectations of future is to develop higher education projects that promote global consciousness and accountability among the students, who will be tomorrow the decision makers.

The traditional university model, based on partitioning of disciplines, focusing on technology and economy and promoting unified "global cultural criteria" as universal values, with little reference to the rich cultural diversity of humanity, has failed.

An alternative university project would be to integrate a multicultural and participatory approach in academic programs, with a continuing obligation of excellence in every way (excellence in mind and body). Combining sciences, cultures, arts and sports in university programs conveying



ethical values, would promote and foster a spirit of curiosity, originality and transversality, and make the students more active by arousing their questioning.

The affirmation of Asia on the international scene, with its five thousand years of history, highlights a worldview that is not that of the « global thought », but that of the cultural diversity. The integration of Asian thought (non-dual, impermanent, cyclic, morphologic) and Occidental thought (dual, permanent, linear, teleologic) can be fertile, as well as teaching the "how?" can be coordinated with teaching of the "why?".

The 2011 FISU Summer Universiade Conference intends to be the starting point for a new educational concept linking :

- High technologies and environmental concerns,
- Economy and ethics,
- Culture of the « How » and culture

- of the « Why »,
- Culture of the « I » and culture of the « We »,
- Tradition and innovation,
- Competition and cooperation,
- Sport, education and health!

Shenzhen University, our host for this conference, is in the best position to play the winning cards of transdisciplinarity, ethics, culture and sport to initiate a revolution in higher education at the world level."

Dr. Alison Odell, CESU vice-chair and new elected 1st FISU assessor presented the 1st key-note speech "London 2012: Shaping legacy". Sustainability, partnership, cohesion, inclusivity have appeared as key elements while preparing strategy for the organisation of the 2012 Olympics and Paralympics Games in London.

Dr. Zhang Bigong, President of Shenzhen University, stated the Cultural difference between China and West from University Sports

Education. His presentation helped the participants to understand the changes that have affected recently the Chinese model of the education in sports: from prescriptive education, which is strongly connected to the 5000 years old Chinese tradition and culture, unified courses and standardized examination to more self-decided courses and flexible examination. The reforms have been made in order to encourage students not only to practice sport at the university but also to help them to develop hobby for long-term physical exercise and strengthen body for long life benefits.

Dr. Lawrence D. Rink, chairman of the FISU Medical Committee gave an overview of the activities and projects that were carried out by the Medical Committee at FISU games. Ensuring medical care and assistance at such big international events involved many areas not directly connected to the medicine such as security, knowledge of languages and religious customs etc. Although there are 18 committee members specialized in various areas of medicine and health care, a close cooperation with the OC was a must. In Shenzhen, there is an entire new hospital built inside a village with equipment and personnel ready to respond to all kind of needs. A 24 hours open pharmacy was operating inside the village; emergency numbers: 110, 120 were being clearly communicated to the head of delegations and Universiade participants. Apart these measures, FISU had developed monitoring program



XU Qin, Mayor of Shenzhen (left), together with ZHANG Bigong, President of Shenzhen University (right), met Claude-Louis Gallien, FISU President (middle)

that allowed predicting number of visits before even the Universiade was held.

In case of Shenzhen the medical committee predicted 7000 medical visits: 50% injuries (including heat injuries) and 50% illness.

Anti-doping controls were also organised under responsibility of the medical committee whose chairman underlined the need for FISU to develop communication and education in that area.

Education of sports managers and staff appeared as a very important element in the presentation given

by Margo Lynn Mountjoy. The topic Sexual harassment and abuse in sport: the team physician's role had raised many questions and feedbacks in the audience.

It was demonstrated that first, the sexual harassment and abuse happened at all levels in sports, including children, youth and elite sport; secondly, passive attitude by people in positions of power in sports increased the psychological harm of the victims. There is a necessity to establish and introduce in the management system codes of conducts for sports managers and staff. Sport manager and especially sport physician, as his/her

task is to preserve the health and welfare of the athlete, has ethical responsibility to play a role in the prevention, early identification and management of SHA in sports.

Professor Ren Hai from Beijing Sport University demonstrated how extensive social impact the Beijing Olympic Games have left to Beijing and China. It helped to reshape the national cultural identity, provided unique organizational legacies and created Chinese model for organisation of mega-events. National Fitness Day set on 8th of August in commemoration of Beijing Olympic Games and National Human Rights Action Plan are one of the examples

about how "Humanistic Olympics" had an impact on "Humanistic Beijing". In the similar way "Green Olympics" concept is leading Beijing city development and national green economy. In 2009 Beijing received the Award of Sport and Environment by IOC during a conference organised jointly with United Nations Environment Program. It was the first time in a history that such award has been attributed.



ZHANG Bigong, President of Shenzhen University (left) presented a souvenir to Claude-Louis Gallien, FISU President

FISU Activities Review in 2011

By Christian Pierre & Yvan Dufour



HU Jintao, President of P. R. China (right) met with Claude-Louis Gallien, FISU President (left), George E. Killian, former FISU President

FISU GENERAL ASSEMBLY ELECTS NEW PRESIDENT

On August 9th, the FISU Member Associations elected a new Executive Committee at the 32nd General Assembly in Shenzhen, China. The board will be chaired by the French Claude-Louis Gallien, former 1st Vice-President of the federation. The former French University Hammer Throwing Champion won the election against incumbent George Killian (USA) with 76 votes to 67. There were four candidates for the FISU Presidency. Next to Killian and Gallien, Stefan Bergh (SWE) and Risto Nieminen (FIN) had been nominated by their respective National University Sports Federations. However, right before the vote, both federations withdrew their candidates for the presidency to 'maintain the unity in FISU', as their respective presidents Akseli Hakala (FIN) and Johanna St:Clair Renard (SWE) announced prior to the election. Just shy of his 69th birthday, Mr Gallien holds a PhD in Biology and a State Doctorate in Natural Sciences. Shortly after the vote result, Mr. Gallien addressed the General Assembly, thanking them for their vote of confidence. His first speech as the FISU President was followed by a rousing applause.

The FISU Executive Committee for 2011-2015:

- President:** Claude-Louis Gallien (FRA)
- 1st Vice-President:** Oleg Matytsin (RUS)
- Vice-Presidents:** Stefan Bergh (SWE), Zhang Xinseng (CHN), Leonz Eder (SUI), Luciano Cabral (BRA)
- Treasurer:** Danzandorj Bayasgalan (MGL)
- 1st Assessor:** Alison Odell (GBR)
- Assessors:** Kim Chong Yang(KOR), Isato Igarashi (JPN), Kemal Tamer (TUR), Verena Burk (GER), David Cabelo (ESP), Marian Dymalski (POL), Tai-Cheng Chen (TPE), Omar Al Hai (UAE), Kairis Ulp (EST), Peninah Kabenga (UGA), Ralethe Malumbete (RSA), Hasan Chikh (ALG), Kenny Chow (HKG), Rosaura Mendez (CRC) and Leopold Senghor (SEN).
- Internal Auditor:** Adrian Gagea (ROU)
- Representatives of the Continental Associations:**
 - AUSF - Seetow Chun Fave (SIN)
 - EUSA - Roberto Gualtieri (ITA)
 - FASU - Jakob Nteere (KEN)
 - ODUPA - Sotero Vasquez (DOM)
 - OUSA - Martin Doulton (AUS)

26TH SUMMER UNIVERSIADE SETS NEW RECORDS

The 26th Summer Universiade in Shenzhen, China, successfully came to a conclusion on August 23rd, setting new records in the history of these FISU Games. Without doubt, the 2011 edition of the Universiade as well as the young and dynamic city of Shenzhen will be in the memories of all participants. For the first time in FISU history the participation number crossed the magic threshold of 10,000 participants, i.e. 10,622 to be exact, originating from 151 countries of the five continents. 7,142 athletes and 3,480 Officials participated in the biggest Universiade ever, competing in 24 sports, another record for the 26th edition, which

was declared open by Chinese President Hu Jintao on August 12th at the Opening Ceremony in the splendid 'Spring Cocoon' venue. As it was a great honor for FISU to have the President of China open the Universiade, seven other heads of state were present at the Opening Ceremony, i.e. the Prime Minister of Hungary, the Prime Minister of Ethiopia, the President of Sri Lanka, the President of Fiji, the President of Bolivia, the President of Mozambique and the President of Tatarstan.

AMBITIOUS

The sports program of these Games was indeed very ambitious. The rigor of the organization and the efficiency

of technical support must be highlighted, even more than the exceptional quality of the sports facilities. It is indeed a real challenge to manage so many people while coordinating so many events within such a tight schedule. The Organizing Committee has perfectly taken up this challenge by offering our athletes excellent conditions of competition.

It is clear that the city of Shenzhen has gained fantastic sports facilities, as well as the adapted know-how. FISU is quite proud to leave such a legacy, which will, no doubt, benefit Shenzhen's young people, as well as the city, in the framework of the organization of future international events.



Mr. Yang Liguo (left), Vice President of Federation of University Sports of China, Mr. Yuan Guiren (middle), Minister of Education of China, Mr. Hao Ping (right), Vice Minister of Education of China.

RECORD BREAKERS

During the 11 days competition, 14 Universiade records were shattered by athletes from China, the U.S., Australia, South Korea and Lithuania in swimming, archery and cycling track. The Universiade swimmers broke 7 records, all by female athletes from China, the U.S. and Australia, while cycling track witnessed 6 records by athletes from China, Russia and Lithuania. Jennifer Connolly, the U.S short course swimmer, broke the Universiade record at the heats of the women's 50m backstroke and refreshed it again in the final. Lithuanian rider Vilijia Sereikaite also shattered the record twice in the women's 3km individual pursuit.

OLYMPICS QUALIFIERS & CHAMPIONS

Thirty-eight swimmers from 16 countries and regions qualified for next year's London Olympic Games by hitting FINA's standards. Swimming at the Shenzhen Universiade was recognized as the official Olympics qualifying event by FINA. The United States and Japan both have nine qualified swimmers to lead the list, yet only one American swimmer Michael Klueh made a double-spot in 400m free and 1,500m free while each of three Japanese swimmers, Satomi Suzuki, Yuya



Horiyata and Shiho Sakai won two qualifications.

2008 Olympic Champions Nelso Evora (Triple Jump) and Evgeniya Kanaeva (Rhythmic Gymnastics) did not disappoint prolonged their 2009 Universiade titles in Shenzhen winning another gold in their sports discipline.

CHINESE DELEGATION

The Chinese delegation, consisting of 494 athletes, created the most splendid record in Universiade history, leading the medal table. Winning 75 golds, 39 silvers and 31 bronze medals, the host athletes harvested their major victories in track and field, diving and gymnastics. However, China gave up its domination on some of its traditionally strong sports like badminton as it had not sent its best athletes, while focusing on sharing the happiness with athletes around the world has become the first priority.

UNIVERSIADE VILLAGE

Home to more than 10,000 athletes and officials from 151 countries and regions around the world, the Shenzhen Universiade Village has become the largest and most diverse cultured Athletes' Village ever in Universiade history. During the 12 days Universiade, more than 100 cultural activities were held. Merely in the Universiade Village, around 80 live shows were performed including fashion, music and drama. Apart from these shows, the 'Cultural Experiencing Zone' in the Village also provided a favorable

place for athletes to experience different cultures and communicate with others during the games. Even in the delegation's meeting room, indoor performances had been hitting the stage every night, traditional Chinese dance, Shaolin Kung Fu and acrobatics attracted many. The Village, which closed on August 26th, will now be incorporated into the Shenzhen Institute of Information Technology campus, establishing another great Universiade legacy.

VOLUNTEERS

Our games would not be the same without the support of the many cheerful volunteers, who form the spine of this huge organization. 'I would like to pay tribute to the unflinching volunteer support throughout these past two weeks', the newly elected FISU President Claude-Louis Gallien remarked at his closing press conference. Indeed, the ever joyful volunteers did a terrific job.

MEDIA

Also the media coverage of the 26th Universiade set a new record. In Shenzhen we experienced the biggest TV coverage so far in FISU history. UBS as Host broadcaster provided live feeds of 20 sports (out of 24) to more than 70 countries and regions in the world, with a total of more than 300 hours of live signals. For the first time, FISU offered on its dedicated www.livefisu.tv website, more than 150 hours of live streaming and 30 hours of Video on Demand content, including Daily highlights (2 times per day, 26 min. each).

CONFERENCE & YOUNG REPORTERS' PROGRAM

FISU is not only about sport, but also about education and culture. In this context the FISU Conference once again was a great success. Featuring the theme "University Sport: From Culture of the 'How' to Culture of the 'Why', the conference gathered over 400 participants (from 43 countries and regions) who came to listen to 50 speakers during four days. Finally, the Young Reporters' Program, which was set up in collaboration with AIPS and the Organizing Committee, enabled 60 young journalists to take an active part in our Universiade. During this event they have gained a unique experience, which will be of great value in their professional life.

GREEN LEGACY

These Games were also Green Games. Not only decided the OC not to stage the illustrious Chinese fireworks at the Opening Ceremony, several measures were made during the Universiade to

make the Games greener. Upon taking a closer look at some of the cars parked around Shenzhen, one could notice a rather unusual bumper sticker - a green ribbon. These weren't decorations, however, instead indicated the driver's willingness to spend less time on the road during the Universiade. According to the Organizing Committee, more than 400,000 car owners volunteered to give up driving during the Universiade. The host city also launched its own carbon-trading program, and the money raised from these carbon sales will be used to plant trees, build energy saving-facilities and fund environmental research projects.



COMING UP

Our attention is now turned towards the bidding cities for the 2017 Universiades and the upcoming World University Championship year with 29 events scheduled for 2012. During the FISU EC meeting on November 29th in Brussels, it were Almaty of Kazakhstan and Taipei city of Chinese Taipei that finally won the hosting right of Winter Universiade and Summer Universiade 2017 respectively.



The Splendid Opening Ceremony of 26th Summer Universiade

March Pass of Participants from 151 Countries and Regions



GOODBYE SHENZHEN, HELLO KAZAN

When the Universiade flame was extinguished at the Closing Ceremony, the Shenzhen Mayor Xu Qin returned the FISU flag to FISU President Gallien who handed it over to Ilsur Metshin, the Mayor of Kazan, the host city of the 27th Summer Universiade in 2013. Mayor Metshin then handed the FISU flag over to the 1st Deputy Prime Minister of the Russian Federation, Mr. Igor Shuvalov, who passed the flag to Oleg Matytsin, FISU 1st Vice-President and President of the Russian University Sport Federation. In his speech Mr. Shuvalov congratulated the Shenzhen organizers for the successful Games and welcomed the FISU Family to Kazan. Mrs. Liu Yandong, State Councilor and highest authority present at the Closing Ceremony officially closed the 26th Summer Universiade. 'The Shenzhen Universiade has made a difference', she said. 'The Summer Universiade has given Shenzhen, a young city, a chance to gain international recognition. I am confident that the friendly people of Shenzhen will leave a lasting impression in everyone's memory.'

Rendez-vous for the 27th Summer Universiade in Kazan, Russia in 2013!



AUSF - EUSA Collaboration Meeting January in Erzurum, Turkey



Mr. Zhang Xinsheng, AUSF President (left) and Mr. Alberto Gualtieri, EUSA President were signing the protocol

managing and leadership staff as well as the exchange of knowledge, information, publications or other documentation related to university sport. The protocol also defines joint promotion of activities of the organizations among members, universities and students and coordination in representation of interests of continental university sports federations in the international university sport movement.

Present at the signing were also Vice-Presidents, Secretary Generals and members of the Executive Committees of both federations, as well as the Vice-President and Secretary-General of FISU, Mr Stefan Bergh and Mr Eric Saintrond and some Executive Committee Members of FISU.

Following the desire to encourage and promote mutual cooperation in university sports, Mr Alberto Gualtieri, President of the European University Sports Association (EUSA) and Mr Xinsheng Zhang, President of the Asian University Sports Federation (AUSF) signed on January 27th, 2011 the Protocol on cooperation between EUSA and AUSF.

The protocol foresees the cooperation on the fields of organization of Intercontinental Universities Competitions between selected universities from the continents in various sports, organization of joint conferences and seminars in the university sports matters, exchange of experts, researchers, specialists, students,



EUSA – European University Sports Association

Ground-breaking season

The year 2011 has been very successful for the European University Sports Association in many ways, but perhaps most important and visible in terms of EUSA sporting events and participation at the European Universities Championships.

Sixteen editions of European Universities Championships took place this year across Europe, with over 3, 600 students participating at EUSA sports events, representing over 470 universities from 37 European countries, breaking the current participation numbers.

EUSA is proud that our events do not just emphasise quantity, but also quality. In this respect we organise a convention for our event organisers, to provide guidelines and tools for successful events. Participants of the conventions – the organisers of the European Universities Championships and Games have a chance to meet EUSA technical delegates, medical and student commission members, our staff, as well as EUSA Executive Committee representatives and invited observers, to systematically plan the event and provide best experience for the sports event participants.

Overview of the 2011 European Universities Championships

Football	Istanbul, TUR	19.06.-26.06.
Badminton	Kharkov, UKR	20.06.-25.06.
Judo	Sarajevo, BIH	23.06.-26.06.
Rugby 7s	Lille, FRA	29.06.-02.07.
Volleyball	Kragujevac, SRB	10.07.-17.07.
Basketball	Cordoba, ESP	13.07.-20.07.
Beach-Volleyball	Malaga, ESP	17.07.-22.07.
Futsal	Tampere, FIN	17.07.-24.07.
Handball	Rijeka, CRO	17.07.-24.07.
Table Tennis	Madeira, POR	19.07.-23.07.
Karate	Sarajevo, BIH	22.07.-25.07.
Rowing	Moscow, RUS	30.08.-02.09.
Tennis	St. Gallen, SUI	04.09.-10.09.
Golf	Otocec, SLO	06.09.-10.09.
Bridge	Warsaw, POL	19.09.-24.09.
Taekwondo	Braga, POR	13.12.-15.12.





EUSA member countries were also widely represented at the 2011 Winter and Summer Universiades, respectively held in Erzurum, Turkey and Shenzhen, China. Not only was EUSA the most represented continental organisation, but its members were very successful as well - 31 countries won at least one medal.

In 2009, EUSA celebrated its ten years of existence and following this celebration, a book about the first 10 years of the association's activities was published. The book, released in 2011 during the General Assembly held in Eilat, Israel, gives a tour of EUSA's journey since 1999.

However, the most exciting things don't lie in the past but in the future, both near and far. Nearest to us is the staging of the 1st ever European Universities Games that will be held in the Spanish city of Cordoba between July 9 and 24, 2012. The hard working organising committee is expecting over 2500 participants, competing in 10 different sports. Thus, it is expected to be one of the largest sports events to be held in Europe in 2012 along with the London Olympic Games and the 1st Winter Youth Olympic Games in Innsbruck. To get an overview of what's going to happen, check out the official website www.eusagames2012.com.

The extended future of European University sport also looks bright as EUSA has already attributed practically all of the 16 European Universities Championships for 2013, as well as the 2nd European Universities Games, to be held in Rotterdam, the Netherlands in 2014.

EUSA also carries out several other projects, among which we can mention especially the Volunteer Training Programme and Photo Competition, which are carried out within our organisation in cooperation of EUSA event organisers. In cooperation with other international organisations and partners EUSA is currently also an active partner in two projects funded by the European Commission: European Anti-Doping Initiative (EADIn), promoting healthy sports participation without drugs and Prevention of sexualized violence in Sports, promoting an open, secure and sound sporting environment in Europe.

To stay updated about all EUSA activities, visit our website: www.eusa.eu or our facebook page: <http://www.facebook.com/eusa.university.sport>.

The latest news about the first edition of the Games can be found here: <http://www.eusagames2012.com/>

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FASU: Federation of University Sports in Africa

Launch of New Website

FASU, the Continental University Sport Federation of Africa, has launched its revamped website. With the new information technology system, this website is aimed at providing up to date information about all university sports activities on the African continent. It also gives you a tour of FASU's journey since 1971. You can access it from the following <http://www.africauniversitysports.com>.

On the website the latest updates on happenings regarding University Sport on the African continent can be found.

Launch of Strategic Plan in Shenzhen

The FASU has launched a one-year strategic plan after their extraordinary meeting at the ongoing 26th Summer Universiade in Shenzhen, China.

According to FASU's Secretary General, Peninah Kabenge, the program launch aimed at involving all the 53 African countries in a bid to promote a platform for

cooperation, mutual friendship brotherhood and peace through competition.

FASU currently has only 26 countries as member federations, however, the new plan included an immediate call for the other countries to embrace this opportunity with a deadline of September 2012. "One of our biggest problems is communication because most African countries are either Anglo-phone or Franco-phone so we have decided first as executive members that we shall be able to speak both English and French by September next year," Kabenge said.

Most of the member countries hail from West Africa, i.e. Nigeria, Senegal, Ghana and East Africa which has Kenya, Uganda and Tanzania among others. The Arab world has only Egypt and Algeria as member federations. Kabenge further added that, "We really want to encourage North African countries like Morocco, Tunisia, Central Africa Republic and Congo Brazaville to join FASU."

FASU President, South Africa's Ralethe Malumbethe confirmed that there was need for positive change and that FASU was also looking at Africa's biggest shortcoming at university level - financial constraints.

FASU Executive Committee: 2010 - 2014

President	Dr. Malumbete RALETHE
1st Vice President	Mr. Leopold SENGHOR
2nd Vice President	Prof. Jacob S. NTEERE
Secretary General	Mrs. Penninah KABENGE
Assistant Secretary General	Mr. Boubacar GANSORE
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	Mr. Ben NAOBEB (CUCSA)
	Prof. Lusun EMIOLA (WAUG)
FASU Staff	Mr. Hannington MUSOKE (Administrative Assistant)



ODUPA: Pan-American University Sport Organization

ODUCC Conference: Women's Leadership in University Sports



On May 28th, the Student Sport Federation of the Dutch Caribbean hosted during the 2nd ODUPA Championship the conference 'Women's Leadership in University Sports' in Curaçao.

7 Keynote speeches were given by:

- Mrs. Maida Cijntje – Curacao – Executive board member of SSFDC regarding the Structure of the SSFDC for the 5 islands of the Caribbean.
- Mrs. Sonia Stapf – Panama, vice president of ODUCC – The work and goals of the regional organization the last 40 years.
- Mrs. Rosaura Mendez – Costa Rica – liaison officer for ODUPA to FISU Woman's Commission – Females in the Leadership of University Sport in the Americas.
- Mrs. Nicole Hoevertsz – Aruba – Member of the IOC – Woman's in leadership positions in the Olympic Movement – Challenge and strategies for the future.
- Mrs. June Caddle – Barbados – The woman's in Key role functions in University Sport in the Caribbean.
- Mrs. Helena Williams – Ghana – Liaison officer for Africa with the FISU Woman's Commission – The Threats for female leadership in University Sport in Africa.
- Mrs. Carole Beckford – Jamaica – Supports from Governments in the Caribbean.

The congress was opened by the Minister of education of Curacao, Mr. Lionel Jansen, where he talked about the importance of University sport for the community.

The congress was closed by the Vice Prime Minister Charles Cooper and he stressed that sport is one of the tools for his government to work at healthier people for his country.

In total 62 people from 15 countries attended the conference.

Special guest were:

- ODUCC Sotero Vasquez of Santo Domingo;
- Clovis Morales, President of the University Sport Federation of Honduras and next organizer of the ODUCC Games;
- Eldis Barnes, vice rector of the University of Panama.

After the congress ODUCC President Sotero Vasquez inaugurated the first ODUCC Woman's Commission with the following Members:

- Maida Cijntje – Curacao;
- Mirjam Lieuw Kie Song – Suriname;
- Carole Beckford – Jamaica;
- Sonia Stapf – Panama.

Advisor of this group is Mrs. Nicole Hoevertsz from Aruba and member of the IOC.

During the Conference in Curaçao, the vice Rector of the University of Panama, Mr. Eldis Barnis, also visited the rector of the University of Curaçao, Mr. Dr. M. Goede.

Please log on www.odupa.org for more information



OUSA: Oceania University Sport Association

OUSA Members Plan to be Part of a Brighter FISU Future

During the 2010-11 period some of the highlights for FISU- Oceania were;

- the FISU-Oceania membership grew by one member with the foundation (and full FISU) members from Australia, Cook Islands, Fiji, New Zealand, Northern Mariana Islands, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, American Samoa, Guam and Federated State of Micronesia welcoming New Caledonia into FISU family at the 2013 OUSA General assembly held in Shenzhen, China.
- FISU –Oceania also had the great privilege of having Mr Alf Lazer inducted as Emeritus Honorary Life Member of FISU at the 2013 FISU General Assembly in Shenzhen, China.
- A record number of 223 Athletes and 8 delegations from FISU- Oceania member countries participated in the 2013 World University Summer Games in Shenzhen. The 2013 WUSG were also the most successful for FISU-Oceania Member with 28 medals being won of which 7 were Gold.
- The FISU World University Championship –Squash (the first to be held in the Oceania region since 1993) was successfully held in Melbourne Australia between 10-17 July 2010 with 38 students from 11 Countries competing.
- OUSA with the support of Papua New Guinea University Sports Association and Australian University Sport, delivered an Event Management and Team Leadership workshop for 50 students and University sport managers at the University of Technology, Lae Papua New Guinea as the pilot to a program that will roll out to all FISU-Oceania member countries during 2012-13.
- The FISU-Oceania members would also like to pay tribute to the sterling efforts of OUSA President Karen Nelson who resigned her role on 28th June 2011 due to family circumstances. Congratulations also to Mr Ray Preston (Cook Islands) who stepped so seamlessly into the void left by Mrs Nelson and was installed as OUSA President for the remainder of this current mandate (till 2014).
- The 2011 FISU –Oceania General Assembly also confirmed the appointments to the OUSA Executive and to commence the FISU-OUSA Strategic Planning process for the next FISU mandate period and some very bold steps to ensure that the Continental Association fulfils the role FISU envisages for it and also best serve the Oceania member countries of FISU.

As the youngest member of the FISU Continental Associations, the Oceania University Sport Association has only just started to hit its strap's with regards to the role that it (OUSA) plays in connecting the members with the FISU family.

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AUSF CALENDAR 2012

Championships

Events	Place	Time
Women's Volleyball	Mongolia	9 th – 15 th April
Futsal	Iran	6 th – 12 th June
Water Polo	Singapore	13 th – 21 st June
Taekwondo	Malaysia	November
Men's Basketball	Chinese Taipei	November
Beach Volleyball	Thailand	November

Conference

Events	Place	Time
AUSF Conference	Iran	7 th – 8 th June
Executive Committee Meeting	Iran	9 th – 10 th June
Executive Committee Meeting	Thailand	November
General Assembly	Thailand	November



FISU CALENDAR 2012

Championships

Events	Place	Time
Archery	Spain	4 th – 7 th July
Badminton	Korea	6 th – 11 th Nov.
Baseball	Chinese Taipei	13 th – 22 nd July
Basketball 3-on-3	Serbia	10 th – 17 th July
Beach Volleyball	Brazil	12 th – 16 th July
Bridge	France	10 th – 15 th July
Chess	Portugal	19 th – 26 th Aug.
Cross Country	Poland	TBD
Equestrian	Germany	22 nd – 26 th Aug.
Floorball	Czech Rep.	23 rd – 27 th May
Futsal	Portugal	18 th – 25 th Aug.
Golf	Czech Rep.	2 nd – 7 th July
Handball	Brazil	21 st June – 1 st July
Karate	Slovakia	12 th – 15 th July
Match Racing	France	3 rd – 8 th Sep.
Netball	South Africa	2 nd – 7 th July
Orienteering	Spain	2 nd – 6 th July
Rowing	Russia	7 th – 9 th Sep.
Rugby Seven	France	11 th – 13 th July
Softball	USA	4 th – 10 th Apr.
Long Track Speed Skating	Poland	18 th – 22 nd Dec.
Sport Shooting	Russia	4 th – 9 th Sep.
Canoe Sprint	Russia	27 th – 31 st Aug.
Taekwondo	Korea	25 th – 30 th May
Triathlon	Chinese Taipei	29 th – 30 th June
Water Ski	Chili	12 th – 15 th Jan.
Weightlifting	Israel	6 th – 9 th Nov.
Wrestling	Finland	2 nd – 9 th Nov.

Conference

Events	Place	Time
FISU Forum	Chinese Taipei	26 th – 30 th Mar.
Steering Committee Meeting	Kazan	9 th – 14 th May
Executive Committee Meeting	Kazan	9 th – 14 th May
Executive Committee Meeting	Maribor/ Brussels	22 nd – 25 th Nov.

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(Updated on 8th Oct. 2010)

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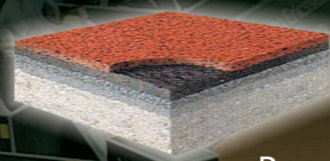
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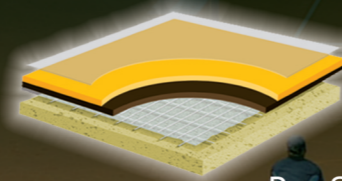
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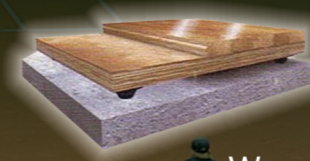
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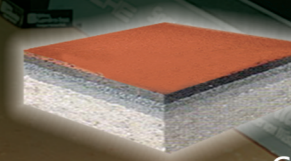
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