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## **Dear Participant:**

Thank you very much for your pre-registration. We are looking forward to seeing you in Shanghai, CHINA, on 16-20, August, 2010.

Your paper is included in the Program which can be found on the website: <u>center.shao.ac.cn/APSG/</u>, and the Book of Abstracts will be available to all participants at the meeting.

#### Registration

You can register at the lobby of Tianwen Mansion of Shanghai Astronomical Observatory (SHAO) on 16, August.

Registration fees: RMB 1400 yuans or USD 200 dollars per participant

RMB 700 yuans or USD 100 dollars per student

#### Accommodation

The LOC of the workshop has reserved the hotels for the participants who had sent a form of the hotel reservation to the LOC. If you have not reserved the hotel yet and need the LOC to reserve the hotel for you, please fill in the **Form for Reservation of Hotel** (see: Appendix 1) and send to LOC as early as possible. The deadline is July 25.

#### Weather

Weather in Shanghai is rather hot in August (average temperature of 28°C), in general, short shirt or T-shirt could be suitable.

#### **Transportation**

There are two international airports and three major railway stations in Shanghai. There are different ways from airport or railway station to SHAO or your hotel.

#### **Pudong International Airport to SHAO or your hotel**

- To take Airport Bus to Xu Jia Hui stop (in the south-west of Shanghai city, one of commerce centers in Shanghai), then take taxi to SHAO or your hotel (only few kilometers)
- To take Metro Line 2 to People's Square Station, change to Metro Line 1 to Xu Jia Hui Station, then walk to SHAO or take taxi to your hotel.
- To take taxi directly to SHAO or your hotel (about 40km).

#### Hongqiao International Airport to SHAO or your hotel

- To take Airport Bus to Xu Jia Hui stop, then take taxi to SHAO or your hotel.
- To take Metro Line 2 to People's Square Station, change to Metro Line 1 to Xu Jia Hui Station, then walk to SHAO or take taxi to your hotel.
- To take taxi directly to SHAO or your hotel (about 15km).

#### Shanghai Railway Station to SHAO or your hotel

- To take Metro Line 1 to Xu Jia Hui Station, then walk to SHAO or take taxi to your hotel.
- To take taxi directly to SHAO or your hotel (about 15km).

#### Shanghai Hongqiao Railway Station to SHAO or your hotel

- To take Metro Line 2 to People's Square Station, change to Metro Line 1 to Xu Jia Hui Station, then walk to SHAO or take taxi to your hotel.
- To take taxi directly to SHAO or your hotel (about 15km).

#### Shangahi South Railway Station to SHAO or your hotel

- To take Metro Line 1 (at Shanghai South Railway Station) to Xu Jia Hui Station, then walk to SHAO or take taxi to your hotel.
- To take taxi directly to SHAO or your hotel (about 7km).

If you lose your way you can show a card (see: Appendix 4) to a staff at airport or railway station, or a policeman, or a taxi driver to ask his helps.

#### To visit the World Expo

We shall organize all participants to visit the World Expo on 20, August. If you need pay a further visit to the World Expo you may do it yourself after the workshop.

#### Tour arrangement

Tour to Huangshan Mountain scenic spots after the workshop would be arranged according to your will. The travel agency will organize the 3-day tour (from 21-23, August) including transportation, accommodation and related tickets of scenic spots with about 800-1000 yuan a person.

Please, fill in the **Form for Reservation of Tour** (see: Appendix 2) and send it to Ms. Ruixian Zhou (Shanghai Astronomical Observatory, Email: <u>zrx@shao.ac.cn</u> or FAX: (86)-21-64696291) by 1, August, so that we would arrange your tour better.

## **Appendix 1 Form for Reservation of Hotel** (The deadline is July 25.)

Name	Arrival Date, Time Flight Number	Departure Date, Time Flight Number	Hotel Reservation (Single) (No. of night)	Hotel Reservation (Double) (No. of night)

Note: If you sent a form of the hotel reservation to the LOC and have confirm the reservation with Ms. Zhou you do not fill in the form.

## **Appendix 2 Form for Reservation of Tour**

Name	Tour to Huangshan Mountain (No. of person)

Note: The tour arrangement will be subjected to the participants and their companions. The final costs of the tour will be determined after the negotiation between the LOC and a tour company.

## Appendix 3 Tour Arrangement Tour to Huangshan Mountain (3-day, 21-23, August)

Huangshan Mountain in the south of Anhui Province, about 350 km far away from Shanghai is one of ten best-known scenic spots in China. It is characterized by the four wonders, namely, odd-shaped pines, grotesque rock formation, seas of clouds and crystal-clear hot springs. Mount Huangshan is celebrated for having all the features of mountain scenery. Known as the No. 1 Mountain Under heaven, it features numerous imposing peaks (77 exceed an altitude of 1,000m), forests of stone pillars and evergreen sturdy pines; other features include rotesquely-shaped rocks (many of which are individually named, such as "pigheaded monk eating water melon"), waterfalls, pools and hot springs. Because of its mists and clouds, natural scenery in the area changes beyond prediction. Xu Xiake, a noted Chinese geologist and traveler in Ming Dynasty, praised Huangshan Mountain as the best of all mountains. Mount Huangshan was listed as one of the World Natural and Cultural Heritages in 1990.

# Appendix 4 Please show the card to someone to ask helps, if you lose your way.

## 请求帮助 (Ask Helps)

#### 我要去: (I want to)

- (1) 中国科学院上海天文台,上海南丹路 80 号 Shanghai Astronomical Observatory (SHAO) 80 Nandan Road,
- (2) 斯波特大酒店,上海南丹路 15 号 Sports Hotel 15 Nandan Road
- (3) 上海东亚体育宾馆,上海中山南二路 1500 号 Shanghai East Asia Athletics Hotel 1500 Shanghai Zhongshan Road (South No. 2),
- (4) 上海金轩大酒店,上海南丹东路 238 号 Shanghai Jinxuan Hotel 238 Nandan Road (East)
- (5) 上海上服假日酒店,上海文定路 218 号 Shanghai Shangfu Holiday Hotel 218 Wending Road
- (6) 蓝天绿地酒店,上海宜山路 250 弄 Naturelnn Hotel 250 Yishan Road,

#### 上海天文台联系人(Contacts in SHAO):

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