

3rd International Phenomenology and Pedagogy Conference

Conference theme: “Phenomenology of Professional Practice”

18-20 September 2015, College of Education
Capital Normal University (CNU), Beijing, China
<http://www.icfpp2015.com>



Phenomenology of Professional Practice

“Phenomenology” is not only a name of philosophic traditions, but also a source of human science research method that wonders, reflects and explores the meanings and existential complexities of professional and everyday experience. The theme of this 3rd International Phenomenology and Pedagogy Conference is “Phenomenology of Professional Practice”.

This 2015 conference acknowledges the challenging landscapes of education, health science, and other helping professions. It is within this context that human science research evolves in the face of rapid change, global fiscal restraints, environmental degradation, and the imperatives of technology. The conference aims to provoke thoughtful presentations, conversations, dialogues, and critiques against a background of an increasingly instrumental, corporate, and politically polemic environment.

Like the 1st and 2nd International Phenomenology and Pedagogy Conference (in 2006 and 2010), the 3rd International Phenomenology and Pedagogy Conference is dedicated to serve as a central venue promoting phenomenology and human science research in the Chinese speaking world. The conference invites Chinese, East Asian, and overseas researchers and practitioners to address the shared

challenges and paradoxes in professional practice.

The Conference organizers invite delegates with expertise in Education, Pedagogy, Health Science, Psychology, or Social Work from around China and overseas. Delegates include professional practitioners, academics, clinicians, and other professionals from a range of disciplines through which human science research is being advanced. There will be a range of sessions including international and local speakers, research workshops, debates on topical issues, poster displays, and exhibitions. The conference sessions will be held in Chinese and English language. Translators will be present during keynote and plenary sessions.

Sub-themes of the Conference:

The Conference includes topic report, sub-theme reports, workshops, brainstorming, etc.

Sub-themes include:

1. Phenomenology and the Teachers' Professional Practice
2. Phenomenology and Education Technology Practice
3. Phenomenology and other professional practice (Psychology, Medical Science, Nursing, Social Service and so on)
4. Phenomenology, the humanities research methods and Phenomenological writing
5. The complexity between the ethics and inter-subject of the human sciences research
6. The professional movement under the background of phenomenological research and instrumentalism as well as science and technology

Keynote Speakers:

The conference has tentatively identified the following keynote speakers:

Dr. Alphonso Lingis: The Enigma and Power of Passions and Compassions.
Professor Emeritus of Philosophy, Pennsylvania State University, USA

Dr. Catherine Adams: In Search of the Secret Body of the Digital.
Associate Professor, University of Alberta, Canada

Dr. Linda Finlay: Exploring Professional Practice through Relational-Centred Phenomenological Research.
Associate Lecturer, Open University, UK

Dr. Max van Manen: Kairos and Inception: On the Phenomenology of Insight.
Professor Emeritus, University of Alberta, Canada

Preconference Seminar-Workshop: Phenomenology of Practice

A 4-day preconference seminar-workshop on “Phenomenology of Practice” will be held on **14-17 September 2015**. This seminar-workshop intends to provide an overview of phenomenological and human science research methods through lectures, reading, writing exercises, discussions, and hands-on group activities. This seminar-workshop is recommended for PhD students and interested qualitative researchers in education, pedagogy, health sciences, psychology and related professional fields.

Seminar-workshop presenters are Max van Manen, Catherine Adams, Michael van Manen, (Sean) Shuying Li, and (Iris) Yin Yin.

Seats are limited. In addition, the participants’ seats will be arranged in order of registration.

Please register by **May 30, 2015 (GST +8)** at ppcnu2015@yeah.net.

Call for Papers

The conference organizing committee sincerely calls for papers related to phenomenology and human science research by local and international scholars, practitioners and graduate students.

We welcome paper presentations, panel presentations, poster presentation as well as performance related to, but not limited to the conference theme.

Please download and fill in the attached Paper Abstract Submission Form from the Website www.icfpp2015.com and send it to ppcnu2015@yeah.net. The deadline for paper abstracts is midnight, **May 30, 2015 (GST +8)**. The deadline for paper is midnight, **July 30, 2015 (GST +8)**. Please contact us if you have any questions related to the program.

Paper Selection

The conference committee will consult scholars and experts in related area and decide if to accept the abstract submission.

Authors will be noticed of the selection decision by **2015, June 15th**.

Conference Proceedings will include all keynote speech, selected paper presentations and all paper abstracts.

Registration Fee

	International Delegates	
	General	Student/reduced fee
Conference	RMB 2000	RMB 1000
Workshop	RMB 2000	RMB 1000

Notes:

1. Domestic participants refer to the teachers and students who study or work in Mainland China, Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan.
2. The fee of participating in conference and pre-conference seminar-workshop will be charged respectively.

Payment methods of the registration fee:

1. Pay on site (strongly recommended): Each delegate pay on site with **RMB (suggested payment method)**.

You will need to convert your money into RMB before you pay on site, for our account cannot apply to foreign currencies at present. We apologize for any inconvenience.

2. Telegraphic transfer (**not recommended**)

Account name:

Beijing Zizhuyuan Branch,
Industrial and Commercial Bank of China

Account number: 02 0000 7609 0882 08634

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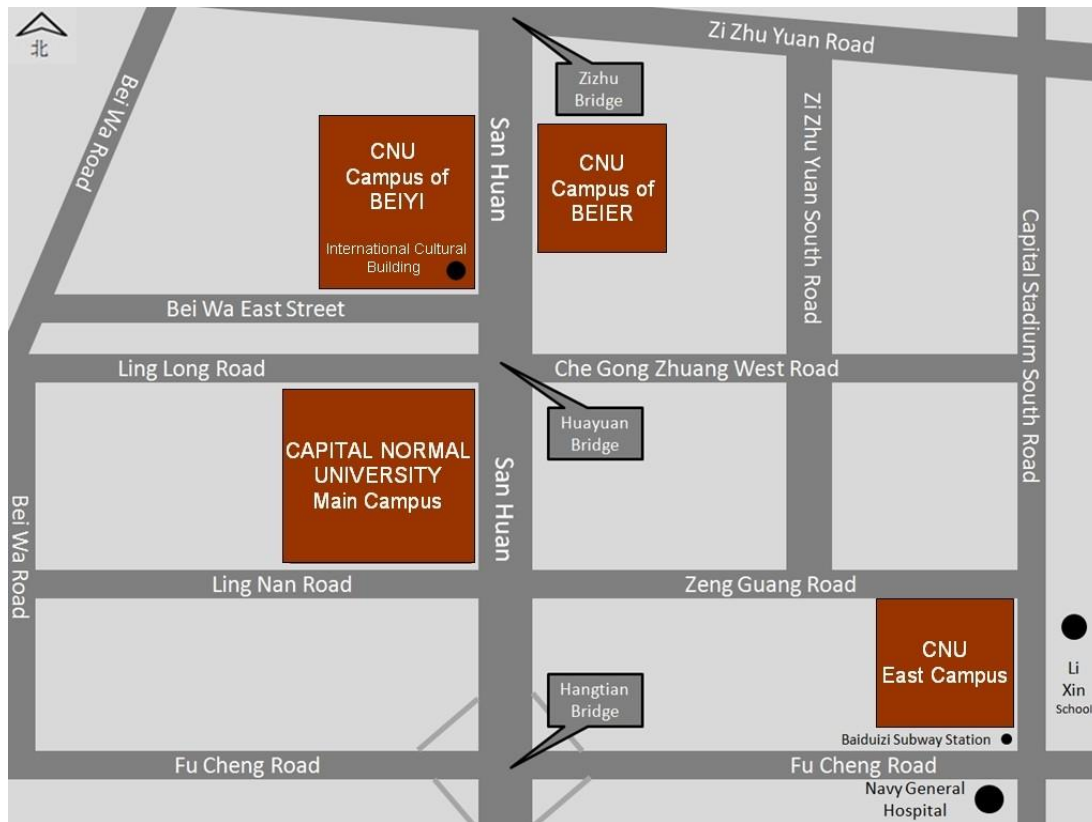
(2) Please write down "Li Jing, College of Education, 2015 International Phenomenology and Pedagogy Conference, your name and nationality of the remitter" in the Remittance Information.

(3) Deadline of the telegraphic transfer: **August 31st, 2015**

Locations

Main Venue of the Conference: International Cultural Building, Capital Normal University North1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI), #83 West 3rd Ring Rd North (San Huan road), Haidian District, Beijing, China

Preconference Seminar-workshop: College of Education in Capital Normal University (East Campus), #23 Baiduizijia, Fuwai, Haidian District, Beijing, China



Transportation to CNU

1. The Capital International Airport---- CNU North1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI)

Take the airport bus line GONGZHUFEN at the Capital International Airport and get off at ZIZHUQIAO, and then walk about 1.0km to arrive at North 1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI).

You can also take Taxi from the airport to campus and the cost will be approximately 110 RMB. Please queue up for a taxi in the taxi waiting area at the airport and take the licensed taxi from the formal company.

2. Beijing South Railway Station---- CNU North 1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI)

Take subway line 4(ANDINGQIAO north direction), get off at PING'ANLI, then transfer to line 6 (HAIQIANWULUJU direction), get off at HUAYUANQIAO (A, northwest), then walk about 710 meters to arrive at North 1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI).

3. Beijing West Railway Station---- CNU North 1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI)

Take subway line 9 (the National Library direction), get off at BAISHIQIAO South, then transfer to line 6 (HAIQIANWULUJU direction), get off at HUAYUANQIAO (A, northwest), then walk around 710 meters to arrive at North 1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI).

4. CNU North1 Campus (Campus of BEIYI) (International Cultural Building) ----
CNU East Campus

Start from here (the International Culture Building), walk south along the West 3rd Ring Rd (Sanhuan Road) until the HUAYUANQIAO (Huayuan Bridge) crossing, and then turn right to HUAYUANQIAO East station. Take bus NO.61 and get off in the station of Capital Gym south, then keep moving forward about 100 meters until you see it (East Campus).

5. CNU Main Campus ----CNU East Campus

Take the bus NO.61 at the north gate of Main Campus(LINGLONG Road) to the Capital Gym south and then get off, walk around 100 meters south to arrive at the East Campus (located on the east of HANGTIANQIAN, in the Capital Gym South Road and the opposite side of the east campus is the Navy General Hospital).

Note: bus NO.61 equipped with automatic ticketing system with the price of no less than 2RMB. If you don't have a transportation card, please prepare enough changes.

VISAS

Overseas visitors to China must have a valid passport, and obtain in most cases a short stay business visitor visa. It is strongly recommended that conference attendees take out insurance policies to cover possible medical and accidental travel expenses.

Important Dates

Issues	Dates
Dates of Conference Held	2015.9.18-9.20
Dates of Workshop Held	2015.9.14-9.17
Deadline of Workshop Registration	2015.5.30
Deadline for Abstract Submission	2015.5.30
Deadline for Abstract Selection Results	2015.6.15
Deadline for Full Paper Submission	2015.7.30
Deadline of Telegraphic Transfer	2015.8.31

Weather information

Thanks for participating in the 3rd International Phenomenology and Pedagogy Conference in 2015. You will visit Beijing in its “gold season”—the transition time from late summer to early autumn. On average, daily temperature ranges from 14°C to 28°C. Although we suggest summer clothing in general, please bring a light jacket or a sweater with you in case of getting cold, since it can be cool and chilly during the evening.

May you enjoy your visits in Beijing. We are sincerely looking forward to your coming!

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