The 9th Circum-Pan-Pacific Symposium on High-Energy Spin Physics

October 28-31, 2013, Shandong University, Jinan, China

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I. General Announcement

The next Circum-Pan-Pacific Spin Symposium will be held by Shandong University in Jinan, China during Oct 28-31, 2013. This will be the 9th conference in the series and October usually is among the nicest season for Jinan. The aim of the symposium is to enhance communications among physicists from the Circum-Pan-Pacific region and from other regions.

II. Topics

Topics of this conference will include longitudinal and transverse spin structure of nucleon, spin sum rule, transverse momentum dependent distributions (TMD), generalized parton distributions (GPD) and so on.

There will be invited talks and talks selected from contributions. The deadline for abstract submission is Aug. 31, 2013.

III. Registration

The registration can be done from the web site of the symposium: http://hepg.sdu.edu.cn/THPPC/conference/spin2013/. The deadline for registration is Aug. 31, 2013. The registration fee is 1900 RMB (~\$300) for each participant, which covers coffee and meal (lunch & dinner) during the meeting. An additional 300 RMB (~\$50) is required for each person who would like to join the excursion to Confucius' hometown. The registration fee will be collected upon arrival in cash.

IV. Hotel

The organizers recommend the hotel in the campus and will make reservations for the participants. The hotel price is: 268 RMB for single room (two beds), 328 RMB for double room (one king-size bed), and 680RMB for suite (limited number) per night. Please let us know your arrival/departure dates and room preference during online registration. It is also OK if you would like to book hotel in the city yourself.

V. Visa

Entry Visa is required for foreigners. Both Tourist Visa ("L" visa) and Business Visa ("F" visa) will be acceptable for attending the symposium. "L" visa is easy to obtain and does not need an invitation letter. As for "F" visa, "Letter of Invitation by Duly Authorized Units" issued by Shandong University is essential. For those who would like to apply for "F" Visa, please contact us via spin2013@sdu.edu.cn as early as possible. Please prepare a copy of your passport's front page and a short CV for "F" visa.

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VIII. Further Information

Details of the symposium including registration section can be found in the website: http://hepg.sdu.edu.cn/THPPC/conference/spin2013/

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