



Asian Criminological Society

Agenda

The 7th Annual Conference of ACS 2015

Board Meeting

June 24th, 2015

The Board Meeting for the 7th Annual Conference of the Asian Criminological Society is scheduled on June 24th, 2015 (5:00 to 6:30PM). The meeting will take place at Royal Room at Level one of Royal Plaza Hotel. Here is our proposed agenda:

1. Welcoming remarks by the President (Dr. Jianhong Liu)

2. Budget status update

3. Approval of revisions to the election rules

3. Award honorary titles to three ACS Officials:

Honorary President of Executive Board, Dr. Jianhong Liu

Honorary Chairman of General Assembly, Dr. John Braithwaite

Honorary Chairman of Supervisory Board, Dr. Charles Hou

4. Award Councilor Certificates

Prof. Dr. Wang Liguó (Senior Councilor)

Prof. Dr. Kerry Carrington (Councilor)

Prof. Dr. P. Sundramoorthy (Councilor)

Prof. Dr. John Scott (Councilor)

5. Report the result of the Best Paper Award of Asian Journal of Criminology

Best paper 2006-2013

Social Ties, Collective Efficacy and Perceived Neighborhood Property Crime in Guangzhou, China (By Shanhe Jiang & Kenneth C. Land & Jin Wang)

Best paper 2014

Social Institutions, Theory Development, and the Promise of Comparative Criminological Research (By Steven F. Messner)

6. Future conferences (2016-2018)

2016 – P. R. China Professor Xiaomei Liu, Tianjin Academy of Social Science, P.R China

2017 – Australia Professor John Scott, Queensland University of Technology

2018 –Malaysia Professor Sundramoorthy Pathmanathan, Universiti Sains Malaysia

7. Suggestions by ACS officials

8. Adjournment

ACS Budget Summary, July 1, 2014--June 20, 2015

Current ACS accounts: MOP 9008680297 HKD 9008680314 USD 9008680331

	Amount (MOP)
Amount in bank account as of July 1, 2014	127,549
<u>Revenue (including membership renewal), July 1, 2014--June 20, 2015</u>	
All together 55 scholars joined or renewed the memberships (16 life memters, 21 three-year members, and 18 one-year members)	
Regular life member: 9*(MOP4,400/member)	39,600
Non-journal student life member: 2*(MOP560/member)	1,120
Special discount life member: 5*(MOP1760/member)	8,800
Regular three-year member: 8*(MOP1,320/member)	10,560
Non-journal three-year member: 10* (MOP760/member)	7,600
Student three-year member: 1 *(MOP640/member)	640
Non-journal three-year student member: 2*(MOP160/member)	320
Regular one-year member: 8*(MOP520/member)	4,160
Non-journal one-year member: 7*(MOP280/member)	1,960
Student one-year member: 2*(MOP240/member)	480
Non-journal one-year student member: 1*(MOP80/member)	80
Payment for mailing the membership certificate: 4 members*(MOP200 to Asian/Oceania countries)	800
Subtotal	76,120
<u>Expenditure</u>	
AJOC journal purchase for 2014	9,378
Pre-allocated ammount for AJOC journal purchase for 2015 (72members subscribed the journal): 72*(MOP200/year)	14,400
ACS website maintenance	4,675
Bank charge for inactive HKD account	400
Photo frames for certificates at the Japan Conference (1894JPY)	127
Subtotal	28,980

Balance **174,689**

Note: Credit transaction charge for each membership application is 4.5%. If a life member is supposed to receive journal copies for 20 years the balance for that life member is: $4,400\text{mop} - 200/\text{year (journal)} * 20\text{years} - 4,400 * 4.5\% = 202\text{mop}$. If a life member is supposed to receive journal copies for 25 years, the balance will be negative.

The balance for one-year student member who ordered journal copies is: $240 - 200/\text{year (journal)} - 240 * 4.5\% = \text{MOP}22$

The balance for three-year student member who ordered journal copies is: $640 - 200/\text{year journal} * 3\text{years} - 640 * 4.5\% = \text{MOP}11$

ACS officer work:

Currently, most ACS officers do their work voluntarily without receiving any payment for it. The workload sometimes (especially when it is near the annual conference) are quite heavy given that many officers are at meantime full time academic staff. These ACS officers for the current year include:

- ▶ Prof.Jianhong Liu, the president of ACS (voluntary)
- ▶ Dr.Ruohui Zhao, the treasurer of ACS (voluntary)
- ▶ Mr.Yan Zhang, the secretary in Macao (paid by Prof.Jianhong Liu's own research grant)
- ▶ Mr.Jinwu Zhang (paid by Prof.Jianhong Liu's own research grant)
- ▶ Ms.Xuan Chen, the secretary in Macao (paid by Prof.Jianhong Liu's own research grant)

Due to limited revenue of ACS, most, if not all, ACS officers may have to work voluntarily for the next year again.

Summary

No. of total active memberships (during the period between July 1, 2014 and June 20, 2015): 109

No. of regular life members: 36	No. of non-journal life members: 14
No. of student life members: 12	
No. of regular three-year members: 10	No. of non-journal three-year members: 13
No. of student three-year members: 2	No. of non-Journal three-year student members: 2
No. of regular one-year members: 8	No. of non-journal one-year members: 7
No. of student one-year members: 4	No. of non-journal one-year student members: 1

Total No. of active memberships as of June 20, 2015: 109