Call for Papers:

Global Experience and China's Development: International Conference on Innovation in Long-term Care Public Policies Theories and Practices

Chinese-style modernization is with the characteristic of a vast number of population. Currently, China is in a crucial transition period from "aging before getting rich" to "gradually getting rich and aging rapidly", and experiences significant shifts towards super aging and longevity with various health statuses. However, despite the emerging demand for extensive long-term care, the long-term care system of China is still in an initial stage, which do not align with the new situations, tasks, and requirements under Chinese-style modernization. In response to these issues, an international conference named International Experience and China's Development: International Conference on Innovation in Long-term Care Public Policies Theories and Practices will be hosted by Shandong University, organized by the School of Political Science and Public Administration of Shandong University, in collaboration with the Qingdao Medical Insurance Bureau and Laboratory for Population Big Data and Policy Simulation at Zhejiang University. This conference aims to focus on the forward-looking direction of optimizing public policies for long-term care in China. We would like to combine global innovative practices in long-term care, promote global academic research leadership, and international academic discourse influence to support the national strategy of actively responding to a population aging in China.

1. Conference Time and Venue

Dates: June 17th to June 21st, 2024.

Venue: Shandong University, Qingdao Campus, China.

2. Conference Format

This conference includes keynote speeches, thematic forum reports, and poster presentations, all conducted offline. Now the paper submissions of this conference is opened. After evaluation by an expert panel, selected authors will be invited to participate by giving oral presentations or displaying posters. The registration fee of this conference is required, with a cost of 300 for students and 600 for others. The conference will provide recommendations for hotels (with specified costs) for the attendees, and accommodation and transportation expenses are self-funded. The conference will provide working meals.

3. Submission Requirements

Prospective participants are required to submit an abstract of their paper related to China's long-term care or long-term care insurance system. The topics include but are not limited to:

- 1. Theoretical issues in international long-term care
- 2. Policy practices in international long-term care
- 3. Innovative approaches to long-term care policies and systems
- 4. International case studies and comparisons
- 5. Characteristics of long-term care innovations in the post-pandemic era
- 6. Prediction of aging and disability, and research on policy impacts
- 7. Sustainable development of long-term care insurance funds
- 8. Evaluation of pilot cities for long-term care insurance in China and international comparative studies
- 9. Governance of elderly health in communities and innovation in long-term care
- 10. Home care and innovation in long-term care systems
- 11. Long-term care models and the labor supply of caregivers
- 12. Time banking and caregiver respite services
- 13. Prevention of elder abuse
- 14. International comparison of autonomy care
- 15. Impact of healthy life expectancy on sustainable development of long-term care
- 16. Elderly welfare and social security
- 17. Research on the construction of palliative care service systems
- 18. Research on the care of disabled/demented older people

Please submit an abstract of approximately 300 words for your paper or viewpoint to the conference organizing committee **before April 30, 2024**. The submission email address is: <u>ltcpptp 2024@163.com</u>.

4. Conference Contacts

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5. Host, Organizers and Supporting Units

Host: Shandong University

Organizer: School of Political Science and Public Administration, Shandong University

Co-organizers: Qingdao Medical Insurance Bureau, Laboratory for Population Big Data and Policy Simulation at Zhejiang University

Supporting Units: Mayinchu Learned Society at Zhejiang Province, Institute for the Elders and the Children at Ningbo College of Engineering

Let us know if you have any questions. Looking forward to your participation!

Thanks,

All the best,

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