

# INTERNATIONAL PIERRE DE COUBERTIN COMMITTEE

## **SYMPOSIUM**

Pierre de Coubertin and the Future

24<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> JANUARY, 2014 *THE OLYMPIC MUSEUM*, LAUSANNE (SWITZERLAND)



#### **ABOUT THE SYMPOSIUM**

The topic of the congress is a challenging one. Numerous books and articles have been published on when, why and how Pierre de Coubertin (1863 – 1937) has developed his vision of what has become popularly known as the Olympic Idea today. There is a lack of research on the evaluation of today's meaning and impact of Coubertin's Olympic vision and even more so for the future development of the Olympic Movement and Olympic sport. It is attempted to close this research gap at the symposium with speakers whose academic expertise in research on Coubertin and the Olympic Movement is well known internationally.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### Congress venue

The Congress will take place at *The Olympic Museum* in Lausanne (Switzerland), which will be reopened in December 2013 after a 20-month transformation, bringing it firmly into the 21<sup>st</sup> century. The public will be offered a new experience, an invitation to explore the history, legacy, dreams, challenges and values which have helped to make the Olympic Movement what it is today.



### How to get there

The Olympic Museum is located in Ouchy, in the southern part of Lausanne, on the shores of Lake Geneva. It is conveniently accessible by public transport: Metro M2, bus lines 8 and 25.



THE OLYMPIC MUSEUM - QUAI D'OUCHY 1 - 1006 LAUSANNE - TEL. +41 (0)21 621 65 11



### **ACCOMODATION**

Lausanne boasts a long tradition of accommodation, with its first hotel dating back to 1775. With a steadily increasing number of beds, Lausanne's hotel sector caters for every type of stay, ranging from youth hostel to luxury palace.

Here is a selection of hotels conveniently located close to *The Olympic Museum* and easily accessible by walk or by bus/metro:

### 4\*\*\*\* category

Moevenpick Hotel Avenue de Rhodanie 4 1007 Lausanne Tel. +41 21 612 76 12 Fax +41 21 612 74 11

Email hotel.lausanne@moevenpick.com

Website moevenpick-hotels.com

Nash Carlton Hotel
Avenue de Cour 4
1007 Lausanne
Tel. +41 21 613 07 07
Fax +41 21 613 07 10
Email hotel.carlton@nashotels.com
Website www.nashotels.com

### 3\*\*\* category

Aulac Hotel
Place de la Navigation 4
1006 Lausanne
Tel. +41 21 613 15 00
Fax +41 21 613 15 15
Email aulac@cdmgroup.ch
Website www.aulac.ch

### 2\*\* category

Auberge de Jeunesse Jeunotel SA Chemin du Bois-de-Vaux 36 1007 Lausanne Tel. +41 21 626 02 22 Fax +41 21 626 02 26

Email <u>lausanne@youthhostel.ch</u>
Website www.youthhostel.ch/lausanne

Please book your accommodation on the internet or by calling directly to the hotel of your choice.



### **PROGRAMME**

Friday, 24th January, 2014

**OPENING** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

04.00pm - 04.40pm Welcome to The Olympic Museum

Francis Gabet, Director of The Olympic Museum

04.45pm - 04.55pm Introduction to the Symposium

**Stephan Wassong (Germany)** 

**KEYNOTE LECTURES** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

05:00pm - 05:25pm Pierre de Coubertin face à l'histoire

Patrick Clastres (France)

05:30pm - 05:55pm Olympic Education: Between Past and Future

**Eckhard Meinberg (Germany)** 

06:00pm - 06:30pm Panel Discussion

**Moderator: Stephan Wassong** 

TOUR

06:40pm - 07:00pm Short guided tour of The Olympic Museum

Anne Chevalley, Head of Cultural and Education Programs

**OFFICIAL DINNER** 

**CLUB COUBERTIN, LEVEL 2** 

08:00pm - open end Award Ceremony "Prix Coubertin"



### **PROGRAMME**

Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2014

Morning

**OPENING** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

09.00pm - 09:10pm Stephan Wassong (Germany)

**KEYNOTE LECTURES** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

09:15am - 09:40am Pierre de Coubertin's Visions for the Olympic Movement -

Sustainable in the 21st Century?

Jim Parry (Great Britain)

09:45am - 10:10am A Mere Series of World Championships? Pierre de Coubertin,

the Ritual Difference, and the Future of the Olympic Games

John MacAloon (USA)

10:20am - 10:45am What can Pierre Coubertin Say to the Brazilian Youth in Preparation of the

2016 Rio Olympic Games

**Nelson Todt Schneider (Brazil)** 

10:45am - 11:15am Panel Discussion

**Moderator: TBD** 

**COFFEE BREAK** 

**ART LOUNGE, LEVEL -1** 

**KEYNOTE LECTURES** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

11:45am - 12:10pm L'influence de Pierre de Coubertin au 21<sup>e</sup> siècle :

le point de vue japonais Kochi Wada (Japan)

12:15pm - 12:40pm Pierre de Coubertin and Nelson Mandela – Olympic Truce and Sport for

Peace

Marion Keim (South Africa)

12:40pm - 01:00pm Panel Discussion

**Moderator: TBD** 

LUNCH

01:00pm - 02:00pm

**CLUB COUBERTIN, LEVEL 2** 



#### **PROGRAMME**

Saturday, 25th January, 2014

**Afternoon** 

#### **SHORT PAPER PRESENTATION 15 MINUTES**

02:15pm - 03:45pm **PANEL 1 (Moderator: TBD)** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

Confucius and Pierre de Coubertin- New Discovered and

Unexpected Similarities in Human Values

**Manfred Messing (Germany)** 

Olympic Education in the Republic of Korea: Problems and Possibilities ahead

of the 2018 Winter Olympic Games
Eun Kyung Hong (Republic of Korea)

The Future of a Modern Olympia

Jean-Loup Chappelet (Switzerland / CIPC)

Olympism4Humanity: Steps Towards the Integration of Pierre De Coubertin's

Vision with Human-centered Synergies and Applied Scholarship

Alexis Lyras (USA)

PANEL 2 (Moderator: TBD)

**OLYMPIA, LEVEL 0** 

Maurice Pottecher et Pierre de Coubertin en comparaison

**Melanie Becker (Germany)** 

The Importance of a Pierre de Coubertin Museum

**Christian Wacker (Germany)** 

Preview of the Novel "The Idealist"

George Hirthler (USA)

L'Institut olympique de Lausanne:

de Pierre de Coubertin à une éducation Eric Monnin (Switzerland)

Finding New Ways: The Role of the Committee Pierre De Coubertin

Argentina

Daniel De La Cueva (Argentina)

**COFFEE BREAK** 

**ART LOUNGE, LEVEL -1** 

**ROUND TABLE** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

04:15pm - 05:15pm Round table with 4 experts from different countries

**Moderator: Jean Durry (France)** 

**CLOSING** 

**AUDITORIUM, LEVEL 0** 

05:20pm - 05:30pm Closing

**Stephan Wassong (Germany)**