





# ACTIVE Research Program Online Launch Symposium

Date: Friday, 2nd August 2024

Time: Opening ceremony: 10:00 - 10:45 am, Session 1: 10:45am - 12:10 pm, Session 2: 1:00pm-3:20pm, 4:00pm-6:00pm (Australian Eastern Standard Time)

#### Zoom Link:

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#### Introduction

Welcome to the ACTIVE Research Program Online Launch Symposium!

This event marks the official opening of the ACTIVE Program, aiming to foster mutual understanding between Australian and Chinese institutions specializing in sports studies.

Our goal is to provide a platform for communication, exchange, teaching, learning, and research cooperations.

This symposium will feature representatives from leading universities in both countries, who will share their institutions' achievements in teaching, research, and athletic performance.

There will be opportunities to engage with representatives, participate in interactive Q&A sessions, and discuss study and exchange opportunities. Please refer to the ACTIVE Program website for more information: https://activeprogram.org

# The National Foundation for Australia-China Relations (NFACR)

- The National Foundation for Australia-China Relations (NFACR) is an Australian government initiative under the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, dedicated to promoting academic and cultural exchange between Australia and China.
- Through various initiatives and projects, the Foundation supports collaboration and understanding between the two nations.
- The ACTIVE Research Program is one such initiative, aimed at enhancing the quality of education and research in sports and exercise science.
- O For more information, visit our website: https://www.australiachinafoundation.org.au



### **Australian Universities**

#### 1. Victoria University



- Victoria University ranks 7th in the world in Sport Science (Shanghai Rankings), and is known for its applied research in sports science and strong industry connections.
- https://www.vu.edu.au/

#### 2. The University of Melbourne



- The top-ranked Australian University, The University of Melbourne boasts a strong sports science program, emphasizing research and practical application in athletics.
- https://biomedicalsciences.unimelb.edu.au/departments/ anatomy-and-physiology

#### 3. Monash University



- Monash University is a leading institution known for its innovative research and high-quality education in various fields, including sports science.
- https://www.armi.org.au

#### 4. The University of Sydney



- Established in 1850, the University of Sydney is renowned for its excellence in research and education in sports and exercise science.
- https://www.sydney.edu.au/

#### 5. The University of Canberra



- A top young university in the capital city of Australia, the University of Canberra has comprehensive sports and exercise science programs.
- https://www.canberra.edu.au/

#### 6.Griffith University



- Griffith University's sports science department focuses on cutting-edge research and fostering future leaders in the field.
- https://www.griffith.edu.au/griffith-sciences/school -environment-science

#### 7. The University of Western Australia



- The University of Western Australia excels in sports science research, with a focus on high-performance training and health.
- https://www.uwa.edu.au/

#### 8. Deakin University



- The World NO.1 ranked university in Sports and Exercise Science, Deakin University offers robust programs in exercise and sports science, emphasizing research and practical experience.
- https://www.deakin.edu.au/faculty-of-health/school-of -exercise-and-nutrition-sciences

#### 1. Wuhan Sports University

### **Chinese Universities**



- Wuhan Sports University is a leading institution for sports studies, known for its research and educational programs.
- https://en.whsu.edu.cn/

#### 2. Shanghai University of Sport



- Shanghai University of Sport is renowned for its comprehensive sports programs and research initiatives.
- https://eng.sus.edu.cn/

#### 3. Southwest University



- A comprehensive 211 university in Chongqing, Southwest University has a long history of sports science and physical education.
- http://tyxy.swu.edu.cn/

#### 4. Guangzhou Sport University



- Guangzhou Sport University focuses on innovative sports education and research, contributing significantly to the field.
- https://en.azsport.edu.cn/

#### 5.Beijing Sport University



- A premier institution in China, Beijing Sport University is dedicated to excellence in sports education and research.
- o https://en.bsu.edu.cn/

#### 6.The University of Macau



- A top young university in the world, The University of Macau has a strong program in physical education.
- https://www.um.edu.mo/

#### 7. Macao Polytechnic University



- A comprehensive university with expertise in sports science and physical education teaching and research.
- https://www.mpu.edu.mo/en/index.php

#### 8. The Chinese University of Hong kong



- A premier institution in Hong Kong, The Chinese University
  of Hong Kong has a strong teaching and research program
  in biomedical science and sports science.
- https://www.cuhk.edu.hk/english/

# Symposium Schedule

Opening ceremony (10:00 - 10:45 am):

10:00 - 10:05 Chair: John Price, Dean, Graduate Research School, Victoria University, Australia

10:05 - 10:15 Introduction of the ACTIVE Research Program, Sean Yan, Lead Chief Investigator, Victoria University, Australia 10:15 - 10:25 Opening address, Mr Gary Cowan, CEO, National Foundation for Australia-China Relations 10:25 - 10:35 Welcome address, Andy Hill, Deputy Vice-Chancellor Research and Impact, Victoria University, Australia 10:35 - 10:45 Wang Zhiqiang, Vice President Research and International, Wuhan Sports University, China

#### Session 1 (10:45 am - 12:10 pm):

10:45 - 10:50 Co-Chair: Itamar Levinger, Professor and Deputy Director, Institute for Health and Sport, Victoria University, Australia

10:50 - 11:05 Chen Ning, Chutian Scholar Distinguished Professor, Wuhan Sports University, China
 11:05 - 11:20 Wang Ru, Changjiang Scholar Distinguished Professor, Dean, School of Exercise and Health,
 Shanghai University of Sport, China

11:20 - 11:25 Co-Chair: Lin Wentao, Professor and Dean, School of Sport Science, Zhuhai College of Science and Technology, China (5 min)

 11:25 - 11:40 Alexandra (Alex) Parker, Executive Director, Institute for Health and Sport, ictoria University, Australia 11:40 - 11:55 Gordon Lynch, Director, Centre for Muscle Research, School of Biomedical Science, The University of Melbourne, Australia

11:55 - 12:10 Nir Eynon, Professor and NHMRC Investigator Fellow, Australian Regenerative Medicine Institute (ARMI), Monash University, Australia

#### Session 2 (1:00 - 3:00 pm):

1:00 - 1:05 Co-Chair: Li Fanghui, Professor and Associate Dean, School of Sports Science and Physical Education, Nanjing Normal University, China

1:05 - 1:20 Matthew Watt, Professor and Head, Department of Anatomy and Physiology, School of Biomedical Science,
 The University of Melbourne

1:20 - 1:35 Kieron Rooney, Associate Professor, Discipline of Exercise and Sport Science, The University of Sydney

# 1:35 - 1:40 Co-Chair: Andrew McAinch, Professor and Associate Dean (Research), College of Sport, Health, and Engineering, Victoria University, Australia

1:40 - 1:55 Huang Xiaoling, Professor and Dean, School of Physical Education, Southwest University, China
 1:55 - 2:10 Huang Junhao, Professor and Director, Center for Scientific Research, Guangzhou Sport University, China
 2:10 - 2:25 Li Yanchun, Associate Professor and Laboratory Head, Exercise Biochemistry, China Institute of Sport and Health Science, Beijing Sport University, China

# 2:25 - 2:30 Co-Chair: Li Fanghui, Professor and Associate Dean, School of Sports Science and Physical Education, Nanjing Normal University, China

2:30 - 2:45 Julien Périard, Deputy Director, Institute for Sport and Exercise, The University of Canberra, Australia
 2:45 - 3:00 Deanne Hyrciw, Associate Professor and Program Director (Biomedical Science), Griffith University, Australia

#### Session 3 (4:00 - 5:30 pm):

4:00 - 4:05 Co-Chair: David Bishop, Professor and Associate Director, Institute for Health and Sport, Victoria University, Australia

- 4:05 4:15 Kong Zhaowei, Associate Professor and Associate Dean (Teaching), Faculty of Education, The University of Macau, China
  - 4:15 4:25 Shi Qingde, Associate Professor and Program Coordinator (Physical Education), Macao Polytech University, China 4:25 4:35 Tian Xiaoyu, Associate Professor, School of Biomedical Science, Chinese University of Hongkong, China

#### 4:35 - 4:40 Co-Chair: Liu Fengbin, Professor and Associate Dean, Xinhua Clinical School, Dalian University, China

- 4:40 4:55 Olivier Girard, Professor, Research Director, Department of the Sport Science, Exercise and Health, The University of Western Australia
  - 4:55 5:10 Aaron Rusell, Professor and Associate Head, School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences, Deakin University,
    Australia
  - 5:10 5:25 Alan Hayes, Professor and Director, Australian Institute for Musculoskeletal Science, Australia

# 5:25 - 5:30 Closing address, Alex Parker, Executive Director, Institute for Health and Sport, Victoria University, Australia

#### Chair speakers



John T. Price

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#### **Keynote Speakers**



Sean Yan

Lead Chief Investigator, The ACTIVE Research Program, Victoria University. Australia https://www.vu.edu.au/research/xu-sean-van



#### Gary Cowan

Chief Executive Officer, National Foundation of Australia-China Relations, Department of Foreign Affairs, Australia https://www.australiachinafoundation.org.au/about/mr-gary-cowan



#### Andy Hill

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#### Wang Zhiqiang (王志强)

Vice President, Wuhan Sports University, China https://baike.baidu.com/item/%E7%8E%8B%E5%BF%97%E5%BC%BA/10768647



#### Chen Ning (陈宁)

Chutian Scholar Distinguished Professor, Director of Hubei Provincial Key Laboratory of Sports Training Monitoring, Head of Tianjiu Sports Nutrition Food R&D Center, Wuhan Sports University, China http://school.freekaoyan.com/hb/wipe/2021/08-14/16289367591506225.shtml#google\_vignette



#### Wang Ru (王茹)

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#### Alexandra (Alex) Parker

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#### **Keynote Speakers**



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#### Nir Eynon

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#### Matthew J Watt

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#### Kieron Rooney

Associate Professor, Discipline of Exercise and Sport Science, The University of Sydney https://www.sydney.edu.au/medicine-health/about/our-people /academic-staff/kieron.rooney.html



#### Huang Xiaoling (黄晓灵)

Professor and Dean, School of Physical Education, Southwest University, China http://tyxy.swu.edu.cn/info/1012/1044.htm



#### Huang Junhao (黄俊豪)

Professor and Director, Center for Scientific Research, Guangzhou Sport University, China http://219.222.48.48/public/WitMis TutorUserInformation.aspx?parm=31095



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#### **Keynote Speakers**



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