

**Western Society for Physical Education of College Women**  
Annual Conference: November 17-20, 2005  
Asilomar Conference Center  
Pacific Grove, California

***Mapping Our Strengths:  
Signposts to Courage, Wisdom, and Happiness***

**CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS**

**Keynote Speaker: Dr. Leslee Fisher, University of Tennessee**

*Expert in Positive Psychology; Dr. Fisher will share a positive feminist psychology to serve those who work in physical activity professions.*

**All Society Symposium: Traversing the Disciplines**

Perspectives on the current strengths and contributions of our professions

*Contributors include: Carole Oglesby, Wanda Boda, Ketra Armstrong, Rebecca Lytle, Roberta Park, and others.*

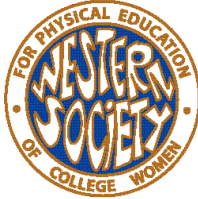
**Invited Speakers:**

\_ Sarah Reinertson: *hear about her experiences as a triathlete with physical challenges who recently qualified for the 2005 Ironman World Championships.*

\_ Pam Flowers: *learn about her experiences on dog sled expeditions and other adventures - includes a slide show!*

**Scholarly and Creative Presentations:**

The Call for Proposals is open until September 30<sup>th</sup>. See the next page for abstract submission guidelines and a list of reasons why you should present your work at WSPECW.



## CALL FOR PROPOSALS

You are invited to submit an abstract for the 2005 Conference of **Western Society for Physical Education of College Women**. Professionals from a variety of disciplines examining issues and concerns relevant to physical education, physical activity, and sport are encouraged to share their expertise and interests. These activities come in many forms so we encourage you to submit proposals on original research, scholarly inquiries, works-in-progress, teaching strategies, or other creative contributions.

### Why present your work at WSPECW?

- Regional conference (higher status than State)
- Longstanding professional organization, founded in 1921
- Waiver of registration fees for first-time conferees
- Peer-reviewed selection - all proposals receive written feedback
- Option to request a peer-evaluation of your conference presentation
- Multidisciplinary audience encourages sharing of collective knowledge
- Excellent opportunity for graduate students to share their work
- Great mentoring and networking opportunities
- President's scholarships available to faculty to defray conference expenses

We offer two formats to present your work: as a traditional oral presentation or within a poster session. *Research proposals* should include the title of the study, the hypotheses, methodology, results, and brief discussion. If the data have not been analyzed you may discuss anticipated findings. *Scholarly and creative proposals* should include title, purpose, content and mode of presentation, and brief discussion or description of the presentation. Please note your format (oral or poster) and time preferences (15, 20, or 30 minutes) when submitting your proposal so that we can best accommodate your presentation. **All proposals should be sent to Shelley Lucas by September 30<sup>th</sup>**. Email submissions are encouraged.

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**CONFERENCE REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 1<sup>st</sup>**  
(that's before proposals are due!)

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