



## The Second International Symposium of Integrative Zoology

The International Society of Zoological Sciences (ISZS), established in 2004, is devoted to bettering the field of zoology by increasing communication and cooperation between all of its branches ([www.globalzoology.org](http://www.globalzoology.org)). In order to promote cooperation between ISZS and other international zoological societies and institutions, ISZS would like to invite representatives from various organizations in various regions around the world to gather together in Beijing to discuss such topics as the election of new ISZS committee members and other related events that will be finalized in Paris in 2008, how to expand ISZS, and how ISZS can serve as a bridge to increase communication between zoological communities.

We welcome you to join the 2<sup>nd</sup> International Symposium of Integrative Zoology! We are striving to have the broadest possible representation of zoological branches for both attendees and speakers. During the symposium, there will be 20 speakers from various branches of zoology and from organizations from all over the world who will give talks about new developments in their respective branches. (Keep checking the website to find an updated schedule of speakers and topics).

This event will take place in Beijing on December 8<sup>th</sup>–10<sup>th</sup> 2007. There are no registration fees, but the hotel will cost around 60USD per night. ISZS will cover dining costs. We have some funds to support accommodation and/or air fare fees of some representatives from around the world (especially from developing countries). If you need funding to attend, please indicate this need on your registration form and send in your registration form as soon as possible. ISZS will selectively support participants based on a regional balance.

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