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## Announcements

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#### **The 6<sup>th</sup> International Symposium for Olympic Research**

In accord with its mission to plan, organize, and execute an International Symposium for Olympic Research at some time during each Olympic year and, following the successful 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> renditions of such symposia in 1992, 1994, 1996, 1998, and in Sydney in September 2000 respectively, the International Centre for Olympic Studies is pleased to announce its 6<sup>th</sup> Symposium scheduled to be held on the campus of The University of Western Ontario, London, Canada, tentatively scheduled for October 2002. As usual, the symposium will focus on socio-cultural research themes, that is, the historical, sociological, anthropological, and philosophical dimensions of the Modern Olympic Movement. The symposium will be composed of presentations limited, in general, to internationally-renowned sports scholars, as well as a select group of research papers submitted for presentation. Symposium information, including research papers submission procedures, can be obtained by letter, fax, email, or telephone requests made to the International Centre for Olympic Studies.

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### News

#### **Fifth International Symposium for Olympic Research in Sydney, Australia was a Success**



For the first time in its eleven year history, the biennial Symposium was not held

at The University of Western Ontario. In September, 2000 the Symposium entitled, "Bridging Three Centuries: Intellectual Crossroads and the Modern Olympic Movement" was co-hosted by the University of New South Wales. Our co-hosts were Professor Richard Cashman, Director of the Centre for Olympic Studies and Executive Officer, Tony Hughes. Thirty academic papers on various Olympic themes were presented at the Coogee Campus, with Keynote Addresses by IOC Vice President Richard W. Pound and Professor Jim McKay, University of Queensland. Our thanks go to Richard and Tony for all of their work in organizing the venues and various entertainments. The full-paper, published Proceedings are available for purchase from the International Centre for Olympic Studies.

**BRIDGING THREE CENTURIES:  
INTELLECTUAL CROSSROADS AND THE MODERN OLYMPIC MOVEMENT**  
Fifth International Symposium for Olympic Research

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## News

### Founding Director is Visiting Professor at the University of Technology - Sydney



Robert Barney, Professor Emeritus at The University of Western Ontario, was an invited Visiting Professor at the University of Technology - Sydney from July to December 2000. At his downtown office, the Founding Director of the International Centre for Olympic Studies and 10 year co-editor of *Olympika*, spent his hours advising graduate students and completing a book on the commercialism of the Olympic Games for which he is co-author with Professors Stephen Wenn and Scott Martyn.

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## News

### The International Centre for Olympic Studies World Wide Web Site

The International Centre for Olympic Studies first developed a world wide web site in October 1995. It may be viewed at the following URL address:

**<http://www.uwo.ca/olympic/>**

To date, December 2000, the Centre has received over 237,493 International visitors to its web site.

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