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REGISTER NOW FOR THE OFFICIALS PROGRAM AT THE

8th Annual

Virginia Swimming Swimposium

October 4-5, 2008

Holiday Inn Koger Center

Richmond, Virginia

We are privileged to be hosting Carol Zaleski and Jamy Pfister as facilitators for this year's swimposium.

Carol Zaleski --- Deck Referee, 2008 Olympic Games; Meet Referee, 2008 Olympic Trials; Meet Referee 1996, 2000 and 2004 Olympic Games; Vice-Chair, FINA Technical Swimming Committee; former President and current Director, USA Swimming; Member, Rules and Regulations Committee; Recipient: USA Swimming Award, 1992; Kenneth J. Pettigrew Award, 2003.

Jamy Pfister --- Chief Judge, Olympic Trials, 2000, 2004 and 2008; Member, USA Swimming Rules and Regulations Committee; Eastern Zone Officials Chair; Recipient: Kenneth J. Pettigrew Award, 2005.

Register now to update and refresh your skills with these experienced facilitators and your on-deck friends and comrades.



2008 Swimposium Officials Program

October 4-5, 2008

(Holiday Inn Select, Koger South Conference Center, Richmond, Virginia)

*There is **limited space** for this program and registration will be done on a **first come, first served** basis. Registrations postmarked by Wednesday, September 12th, will be \$25.00; registrations postmarked after the 12th will be \$35.00, subject to availability. There will be a Referee Clinic on Sunday morning, October 5, from 8AM to Noon.*

The program is being finalized, but is expected to include elements of the following:

- Officiating at the national and international levels (incl. certifications)
- Video replay status
- Rules – interpretations, recent issues, future rule changes/interpretations, LSC to LSC consistency
- Deck management issues and scenarios
- Role and utilization of Chief Judge
- Increasing the presence and leadership opportunities of women in the officiating ranks; recruitment and retention

There is a possibility of a dinner discussion on Saturday evening with the visiting facilitators. Check below if you are interested in participating (must be postmarked by September 12).

To register for the Swimposium, please complete the form below and send it along with a check made payable to Virginia Swimming for \$25.00 if postmarked by September 12, 2008 (\$35.00 after September 12) to:

Jim Knicely
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Williamsburg, Virginia 23187

REGISTRATION IS FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED, SUBJECT TO SPACE LIMITATIONS. A block of rooms has been reserved under Virginia Swim at a reduced rate. To secure a reservation, please call 379-3800 by September 19th. After this date, the rooms will be released. For questions, please e-mail Jim Knicely at james.knicely@gmail.com. A finalized agenda will be posted on the Website soon!

Name: _____ Club: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Swimposium attendees, please check here for vegetarian lunch entrée: _____

_____ Please check here if interested in possible dinner/discussion with Facilitators (respond by 9/12)

_____ Please check here if you will attend the Sunday Referee Clinic.