**2015“外研社杯”全国大学生英语写作大赛上海第二工业大学初赛章程**

**比赛时间**：2015年9月（初定开学后的第二周周末）。

**比赛地点**：上海第二工业大学教学楼（地点另行通知）。

**比赛具体安排：**请关注9月份校园网的具体通知。

**参赛对象**：上海第二工业大学全体在校本科生均可参加。

**报名方式**：2015年6月20日之前将以班级为单位向英语任课教师集中报名（注明参赛选手的姓名、学号、联系方式、任课教师等），然后由各位任课教师将参赛选手的姓名及学号集中汇总后以班级为单位将参赛名单于2015年6月23日前发送至外国语学院赵燕老师的邮箱zhaoyan@sspu.edu.cn，邮件主题上注明外研社写作大赛报名。

**比赛方式**: 现场写作。比赛不允许携带电子设备，不允许使用网络。

**比赛题目：** 由大赛组委会参考大赛组委会公布的决赛样题自行命题。写作类型为记叙文、议论文和说明文题型中的任意两种题型。

**评委组成**：我校具有讲师以上职称和写作教学经验的教师5名。

**奖项设置**：此次大赛设置一、二、三等奖。一等奖获奖选手代表本校参加复赛（每校参加复赛人数由各省复赛组委会确定）。一、二、三等奖获奖人数分别占本校参赛选手总数的1%、3%、6%。所有获奖选手将获得由大赛组委会颁发的获奖证书。

**赛前注意事项：**

1.大赛官方网站（www.unipus.cn）将于 2015 年 6 月 10 日起开放注册窗口。所有报名参赛的选手必须在大赛官网注册，填写个人信息。参赛选手在大赛网站注册时所用的电子邮箱及手机号将作为参加复赛和决赛时登录大赛写作系统的重要认证信息。没有注册的选手无法参加复赛。参赛选手注册的个人信息须准确、真实。如经组委会查证与真实情况不符，将取消其参赛资格。

2.2015“‘外研社杯’全国英语写作大赛”上海第二工业大学初赛样题及评分细则

类型一 议论文写作（Argumentative Writing）

比赛内容：选手完成一篇议论文写作（500 词左右）。侧重考查选手的文献阅读理解、信息综合处理、判断分析、逻辑思辨、评价论述等能力，展示选手的知识广度、视野维度、思想深度等综合素质。

评分标准：

Content/Ideas (40%)

Writing effectively addresses the topic and the task;

Writing presents an insightful position on the issue;

The position is strongly and substantially supported or argued.

Organization/ Development (30%)

Writing is well-organized and well-developed, using appropriate rhetorical devices (e.g. exemplifications, classification, analysis, comparison/contrast, etc.) to support the thesis or to illustrate ideas;

Writing displays coherence, progression, consistency and unity;

Textual elements are well-connected through explicit logical and/or linguistic transitions.

Language (30%)

Spelling is accurate;

Writing displays consistent facility in use of language;

Writing demonstrates appropriate register, syntactic variety, and effective use of vocabulary.

比赛样题：

Read the following two paragraphs with contradicting views, and write a passage on the issue. You should clearly state your opinion and explain the reasons for your opinion. You should

write about 500 words.

Tablets are the ideal system of organization in schools. They are convenient, in which much information is stored in small sizes and kept together in one place, and cheap, as digital information is now becoming more affordable than print. As evolution continues to rock the modern world, digital devices will become more and more reliable. Someday, they will entirely replace print books, and hopefully, that day will come soon.

Many may argue that tablets are much more convenient than paper books. But not everyone shares this preference of tablets or finds them convenient. In fact, in a study conducted by Book Industry Study Group (BISG), it was found that 75% of college students preferred traditional textbooks in which they can highlight the key words and write notes. Also, some may suggest that it is cheaper to invest in tablets than textbooks. In fact, in a 2008 study of public schools in Kentucky it was estimated

that the cost of textbooks and supplies totaled around $44 million. The cost per school was around $988 for textbooks and supplies. That is roughly the cost of only two tablets. To provide tablets to all the students in a school would be an enormous sum. Therefore, we may conclude that while tablets have their purposes, they should not replace the printed books used in schools.

类型二 说明文写作（Expository Writing）

比赛内容：选手完成一篇说明文写作（300 词左右）。侧重考查选手解说事物、阐明事理的能力，以及运用知识、观察理解、梳理分析、提炼总结、跨文化沟通的综合能力。

评分标准：

Expository Writing

Content/Ideas (40%)

Writing effectively addresses the topic and the task;

Writing presents a clear thesis;

Writing maintains a formal style and an objective tone.

Organization/Development (30%)

Writing is well-organized and well-developed, using

appropriate development patterns (e.g., definition, illustration, casual analysis, process analysis, classification, comparison/contrast, etc.) to support the thesis or to illustrate ideas;

Writing displays coherence, progression, consistency and unity;

Textual elements are well-connected through explicit logical and/or linguistic transitions.

Language (30%)

Spelling is accurate;

Writing displays consistent facility in use of language;

Writing demonstrates appropriate register, syntactic variety, and effective use of vocabulary.

比赛样题：

Write a passage based on the chart below, which shows the influences of various factors on work performance in two age groups. You should summarize the features of the two groups and

make comparisons. You should write about 300 words.

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