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Successful Speaking Contest

Success, success, success! This is the target we aim at from childhood. This is the purpose all of us strive for before returning to dust. But what's success? What's exactly meant by success?

Well, this was actually the very topic that aroused heated debate and gifted response in the Fifth "21st Century Cup" National English Speaking Competition. The speech contest hosted by 21st Century of China Daily and P&G Rejoice brand (China) came to a successful end, though pitifully too early an end, in Guangzhou on Mar. 31, 2000. How we wish we had a chance to be audience once more to re-experience the heated debate and re-enjoy the energetic speech, to be refreshed and to be encouraged again, until we're well-guided on the way to success.

The speech contest isn't successful for the first time. From 1996 to 1999, there were four successive successful similar contests held in China, playing a significant and far-reaching part in exciting enthusiasm from youth in language study, as well as in directing language teaching all over the country. Really fruitful contests.

What's more, the domestic prize winners in 1996 and



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1997 were fortunate enough, out of their own diligence, to be awarded the First Prize and Best Non-British Candidate respectively in the International English Speaking Competition in London hosted by the English Speaking Union, to produce both surprise and admiration abroad. What an example of "success"!

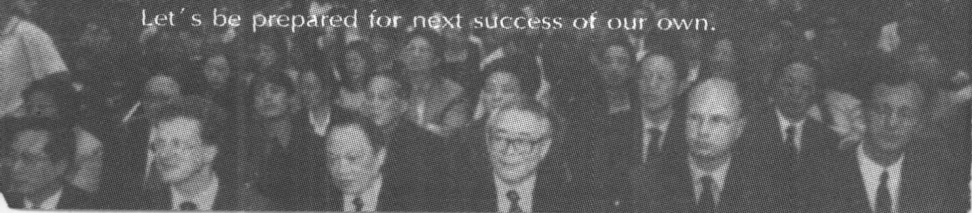
The National English Speaking Competition, in the form of a prepared speech (limited to 5 minutes), an extemporaneous speech (3 minutes) and a 3-minute question-and-answer, earned active sponsorship from such companies as Times Publishing Group (Singapore), British Airways, Shanghai Foreign Language Education Press and Cambridge University Press. Sponsorship also came from such educational units as China University English Speaking Association and English Speaking Union (International). Their kind and generous contribution was well rewarded, much to their comfort.

These educational units and companies joined in the efforts, by means of such a form as speaking competition, to call on Chinese youth to be determined in the ideals they fight for, to achieve an all-round development until they are qualified and competitive domestically and internationally, until they are confident in welcoming challenges in the new century.

Altogether 24 candidates from 24 universities, including Wuhan University, Beijing University and the University of Macao, participated in the hottest contest. The first prize went to Chen Heng from Shanghai International Studies University, first runner-up to Kefei from Sichuan University and second runner-up to Pao Jinlong from the University of Hong Kong.

Let's be prepared for next success of the contest.

Let's be prepared for next success of our own.



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开场白

THE OPENING WORDS

Host: All silent. And welcome to the fifth "21st Century Cup" National English Speaking Competition. And first of all, let's introduce ourselves. My name is Rick. (WO SHI LI KE) . I have a radio program that goes through China. It's called "Joy FM", it's a bilingual radio program. (Applause) Thank you! And as we say on Joy FM, "Ni How Are You", a bilingual greeting. It's on China Radio International, and it's on nightly. And it's my pleasure to be here, and an honor to be here with you this morning for this 21st Century Cup. Let me introduce my co-host. She has been here before, she is seen on CCTV 4 and CCTV 2, and she is a former winner of the 21st Century Cup. And her name is, Miss Liu Xin. (Applause)

Co-host: Thank you, thank you. (Applause) I am very glad to be here today. First of all I would like to extend our warmest welcome to everyone here today. This is the fifth year that China Daily has hosted this competition. I was the winner of the first year. I actually co-hosted the last two year's competitions. So I'm very honored to be here the fourth time, involved in this competition. The first three competitions actually were all held in Beijing. And last year they decided to bring it around China. So last year it was in Shanghai, and this year we're welcoming you here in Guangzhou, welcome. (Applause)

Host: This year the competition is organized by the 21st Century of China Daily and P & G Rejoice Brand, co-ordinated by China University English Speaking Association, co-sponsored by EF Education, English-Speaking Union, Times Publishing Group Singapore, Guangdong Television, White Swan Hotel, British Airways, Shanghai Foreign Language & Education Press and Cambridge University Press.

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National English Speaking Competition

co-host: Yes, now let's move on to introduce the participants of the competition. We have 24 participants from around China, from as many universities around China as well. They are from:

Co-host: Beijing University.

Host: Qinghua University.

Co-host: Foreign Affairs College.

Host: Beijing Foreign Studies University.

Co-host: Beijing Normal University.

Host: Renmin University of China.

Co-host: Northeast China University.

Host: Jilin University.

Co-host: Dalian Foreign Languages University.

Host: Nankai University.

Co-host: Xi'an Jiaotong University.

Host: Sichuan Union University.

Co-host: Shandong University.

Host: Fudan University.

Co-host: Shanghai International Studies University.

Host: Shanghai Jiaotong University.

Co-host: Wuhan University.

Host: Huazhong University of

男主持人:请肃静。欢迎来到第五届“21世纪杯”全国英语比赛的现场。首先,请允许我们作自我介绍。我是李柯,在中国主持一个叫“欢乐调频”的双语广播节目(掌声)。谢谢。在“欢乐调频”中,我们的问候语是“NI HOW ARE YOU”,这这也是一个双语问候。欢乐调频每晚在中国国际广播电台播出。今天很荣幸来到这里。和各位一同参与本届“21世纪杯”全国英语演讲比赛。我身边的这位女士将是本次比赛的女主持人。她现在在中央电视台四台和二台主持电视节目,但她是“21世纪杯”的老朋友,她还是第一届“21世纪杯”的得主。她就是,刘欣女士。(掌声)

女主持人:谢谢,谢谢。(掌声)今天非常高兴来到这里。各位朋友今天莅临比赛现场,我们非常欢迎。这是中国日报第五次主办“21世纪杯”英语演讲比赛了,我是第一届比赛的优胜者,而且还曾经担任过上两届的主持人。因此,今天我已经是第四次参与“21世纪杯”比赛了,我觉得非常荣幸。最初的三届比赛都



是在北京主办的, 去年, 中国日报决定将比赛在全国进行推广, 因此上一届比赛的地点是在上海, 而今年, 我们则是在广州欢迎各位的到来, 欢迎! (掌声)

男主持人: 本届比赛是由中国日报社的《21 世纪报》和宝洁公司飘柔品牌部联合主办的, 协办单位是中国高校英语口语协会, 赞助单位有英孚教育中心, 国际英语联合会, 新加坡时代出版集团, 广东省电视台, 白天鹅宾馆, 英国航空公司, 上海外语教育出版社和剑桥大学出版社。

女主持人: 现在我们将介绍本次比赛的选手们。我们一共有二十四位选手参加比赛, 他们来自中国各地高校。他们是:

女主持人: 北京大学

男主持人: 清华大学

女主持人: 外交学院

男主持人: 北京外国语大学

女主持人: 北京师范大学

男主持人: 中国人民大学

女主持人: 东北大学

男主持人: 吉林大学

女主持人: 大连外国语学院

男主持人: 南开大学

女主持人: 西安交通大学

Science and Technology.

Co-host: Guangdong University of Foreign Studies.
(Applause)

Co-host: from the host city, right?

Host: Zhongshan University.
(Applause)

Co-host: Also from Guangdong.

Co-host: Shenzhen University.
(Applause)

Host: And for the first time we have contestants from Hong Kong and Macao. Welcome.
(Applause) They come from the University of Hong Kong.....

Co-host: Hong Kong Polytechnic University and the University of Macao. Let's extend our warmest welcome to them for the first year.
(Applause)

Co-host: OK, so, let's introduce the panel of judges.

Host: Ok, ladies and gentlemen, the competition will be mediated by this panel of seven judges, and they are: Madam Huang Qing, Deputy Editor-in-Chief of China Daily.

Co-host: Mr. Justine Gilbert, British Consul Director, Guangzhou. Welcome!

Host: Madam Liu Dailin, Pro-

professor and Dean of Foreign Languages Department of China Central Radio and TV University.

Co-host: Welcome! Mr. Sandra Bereti, P&G Rejoice Brand Manager.

Host: Prof. Wang Shouren, Dean of the School of Foreign Studies of Nanjing University.

Co-host: My ex-tutor when I won the competition. Welcome!

Co-host: And Miss Kim Lee, chief foreign editor in director of the International Teacher Association US. Welcome!

Host: And we welcome Mr. Qin Xiubai, professor and PH.D supervisor from South China University of Technology. Welcome!

Co-host: Also in the panel are three question masters who'll be responsible for raising questions to today's contestants. They are: Mr. Bob Shitte, Consul Commercial of the

男主持人: 四川大学

女主持人: 山东大学

男主持人: 复旦大学

女主持人: 上海外国语大学

男主持人: 上海交通大学

女主持人: 武汉大学

男主持人: 华中理工大学

女主持人: 广东外语外贸大学

(掌声)

女主持人: 来自大赛的主办城市。

男主持人: 中山大学(掌声)

女主持人: 同样来自广东。

女主持人: 深圳大学(掌声)

男主持人: 香港和澳门也首次派出参赛选手参加“21世纪杯”大赛。让我们用掌声欢迎他们。(掌声)选手们来自香港大学……

女主持人: 香港理工大学, 澳门大学。让我们以最热烈的掌声来欢迎他们的首次到来。(掌声)

女主持人: 现在让我们介绍大赛评委。

男主持人: 先生们, 女士们, 本次比赛的评委共有七位。他们是: 中国日报社常务副总编黄庆女士。

女主持人: 英国驻广州总领事馆领事吉斯廷·吉尔伯特先生, 欢



迎!

男主持人:中国中央广播电视大学外语系系主任及教授刘黛琳女士。

女主持人:欢迎!宝洁公司飘柔品牌部经理桑朱·布莱特先生。

男主持人:南京大学外国语学院院长王守仁教授。

女主持人:王教授是我当年参赛时的指导老师。欢迎您!

女主持人:评委中还有来自美国国际教师联盟区域总干事 Kim Lee 女士。欢迎!

男主持人:华南理工大学教授及博士指导老师慕秀白先生。欢迎!

女主持人:在评委中,有三位主考人员,他们将向今天参赛的选手们提出一些问题。这三位主考人员是:英国驻广州总领事馆的商务领事鲍勃·史特先生,欢迎!

男主持人:美国驻广州领事馆的新闻文化领事麦卡林先生。

女主持人:还有原中国日报社常务副总编陈辉先生。

男主持人:现在请刘欣女士来向大家介绍本次比赛的规则。

British Consulate General, Guangzhou. Welcome!

Host: And we welcome Mr. Mark Canning, a Counsellor of Press and Cultural, U. S Consulate General, Guangzhou.

Co-host: And Mr. Chen Hui, former deputy editor-in-chief of China Daily.

Host: Let's go over the rules of the competition. I would turn over to somebody who knows the rules very well. Miss Liu Xin.

Co-host: Ok. I get to explain it every time I host this competition. Each of the contestants will have five minutes to give a prepared speech, and after that they will make an unprepared speech about a topic. We'll read out the topic for the contestants right on the stage, and that speech will be like around three minutes time. And after that, they will answer questions raised by the question masters. During the prepared speech, a staff member will raise a red cardboard to indicate that there is only one minute left. And then, at the end of the five minutes, a bell ring, and no more speeches.

Host: The topic for today for the prepared speech is "My

Definition of Success". And as we all know, the new century has begun. China is facing a lot of challenges as well as opportunities. And the question many young people ask themselves is "How can I become successful, and exactly, what is success?"

Co-host: What is success?

Host: What is success...success is being here with you this morning. (Laughter)

Co-host: Well, China Daily therefore provides this forum today for all these young talents from around China to tell us what's on their minds. Actually in the past four years, China Daily has been focused on issues like environmental protection or cultural communications between the east and the west. Through these topics they want to urge the young people in China nowadays to think about the world and learn more about the world while using the English language.

Host: You find English in everyday use just about everywhere in China on internet, on street signs, in newspapers like *China Daily* and *21st Century*, and of course radio

女主持人:我每次主持这个比赛时,都得重复一次比赛规则。每位参赛选手将有五分钟的时间进行已备演讲,然后再进行即席演讲。即席演讲的题目由主持人在现场向选手宣读,即席演讲长达大约三分钟。演讲完毕,主考官提出问题,选手进行答辨。已备演讲只剩一分钟时间时,组委会将会举起一块红色告示牌,提醒选手。五分钟时间结束时响铃,选手们听到铃声必须结束已备演讲。

男主持人:今天已备演讲的题目是“成功之我见”。众所周知,新的世纪已经来临,中国正面临许多机遇和挑战。中国的青年们也许正在考虑:“我怎样才能成功呢?而且,成功的确切定义究竟是什么呢?”

女主持人:那么,成功的定义是什么?

男主持人:成功的定义……成功就是今天上午能够和你一同站在这里(观众笑)。

女主持人:中国日报基于这个原因,才举办了本次比赛,让我们倾听来自全国各地的青年学子们的心声。在过去的四年里,中

国日报将比赛的主题聚焦在环境保护,或是东西方文化交流这些事宜上。中国日报希望通过对这些主题的讨论,促使现代的中国青年在使用英语交流时多一份思考,多一份见识。

男主持人:在中国,你随时随地都会接触到英语这种语言,譬如在互联网上,在街边的告示上,在《中国日报》和《21世纪报》这样的报纸上,还有在电视和广播里,你都会接触到英语。

女主持人:的确是这样,还有,如果你观看过“世纪大观”这个电视节目……我这相当于是给自己的节目作广告呢(观众笑)。好了,我们说到这里了?

男主持人:我们就要谈到即兴演讲了。

女主持人:即兴演讲的题目将在现场向选手们宣读。那么,还有别的要说的吗?

男主持人:我想,我们应该开始选择优胜者了。

女主持人:对了,优胜者。那么,优胜者今天的奖品会是什么呢?在1979年5月12日之后出生的选手中,第一名和第二名将被评选为本年度最具潜力选手,他

and TV as well.

Co-host: Yes, if you've watched "The Worldwide Watch" ...a little bit advertisement of myself. (Laughter) Ok, so, where are we now?

Host: We are right here. We'll talk about the off-hand speech.

Co-host: The topic of the off-hand speech will be read out to the contestants right on the stage. Ok, so, anything else?

Host: I think we should move across to choosing the winners.

Co-host: Oh, yes, the winners. What they will get today. Among those born after May 12, 1979, the top two contestants will be honored as the most promising speakers of this year. They will be invited to participate in the International English Public Speaking Competition organized by the English-Speaking Union in London later this year, that's what I did.

Host: There is a date made of May 12, 1979, those born before that date, or after that date actually. May 12, 1979, why that date? Because this was decided by the English-Speaking Union, and all the participants in London, in the next month of May, have to born after May

12, 1979. So this is decided on the international basis, so that's why we come up with the date May 12, 1979.

Co-host: Yes. Among the remaining contestants, the top two will be awarded a two week training course in the international language school in Britain sponsored by EF Education. The 3rd and 4th place winners will be awarded a study trip to Singapore sponsored by the Times Publishing Group.

Host: The next six among the rest will receive a cash prize, and the contestant who demonstrates the most self-confidence will receive a special prize sponsored by Rejoice Brand.

Co-host: Yes. All the contestants and their tutors will receive certificates from the English-Speaking Union and book prizes provided by Shanghai Foreign Language Press and Cambridge University Press.

Host: And the top winner of all the contestants will take on the 21st Century Cup, as we show that right now. Can you do that, Liu Xin? Your name



们将受邀参加由国际英语联合会于近期在伦敦主办的国际英语演讲大赛。我当年就曾经参加了这一比赛。

男主持人：刚才提到了 1979 年 5 月 12 日这个日期。在这个日期之前，不，在这个日期之后出生的选手。为什么会有这种规定呢？因为国际英语联合会规定，所有赴伦敦参赛的选手的出生日期必须在 1979 年 5 月 12 日之后。既然这是国际大赛的规定，我们也只好遵循了。

女主持人：在其他的选手中，表现最优异的两位选手将在英孚教育中心的赞助下，赴英国的国际语言学校接受为期两周的培训。第三名和第四名则将在时代出版社的赞助下，赴新加坡作短期培训。

男主持人：剩下的六名获奖选手

将得到一笔奖金,在比赛中表现出最具自信心的选手将得到由宝洁公司提供的特别奖励。

女主持人:所有参赛选手及其指导老师将得到由国际英语联合会颁发的荣誉证书,以及由上海外语出版社和剑桥大学出版社提供的图书奖品。

男主持人:21世纪杯这一奖杯将颁发给从所有参赛选手中产生的冠军。刘欣,你的名字是第一个出现在这个奖杯上的。

女主持人:是啊,我们都非常渴望知道今年谁能获得这个奖杯。

男主持人:我们还将向大赛的亚军颁发21世纪杯奖盘。

女主持人:女士们,先生们,你们是否已经明白了比赛规则和各项奖品的情况?

男主持人:都准备好了,让我们开始吧!

女主持人:现在,让我们欢迎1号选手出场!

(掌声)

is actually the first on the 21st Century Cup.

Co-host: Yes. We are very anxious to see whose name will be on it this year.

Host: And the runner-up will receive the 21st Century Plate.

Co-host: Ok, ladies and gentlemen, are we clear about the rules and the awards?

Host: We are set to go. Let's begin.

Co-host: Now, let's welcome contestant No. 1.

(Applause)

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Prepared Speech

“Once upon a time, there was a king who had a daughter as beautiful as a blooming rose. To all the suitors who came to the king’s palace to ask for the hand of the princess, the old king assigned three tasks to be accomplished, each next to impossible. One day, into the king’s palace came a handsome young prince...” Well, you know the rest. The three tasks may be different in different versions, but the main plot is always the same, with the prince claiming the princess’ s hand triumphant-

“从前有一位国王，他的女儿十分美丽，就像盛开的玫瑰一样娇艳。到国王宫殿里来求婚的人络绎不绝，老国王便指定了三项任务要求他们完成，每一项都难于登天。一天，国王的宫殿里来了一位英俊的王子……”好了，下面的故事你一定都知道了。在不同的故事里，这三项任务各不相同，但主要的情节总是异曲同工，王子总是能够赢得美人归。故事的结尾也一模一样——最