

Registration Form

4th Annual BOLD Conference Sept 4 – 7, 2008

Coast Plaza Hotel, 1763 Comox St, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

Thursday Sept 4th 7.30 pm - Sunday September 7th 12 noon

Registration starts Thursday Sept 4th 3:30 – 6:30 pm hotel lobby ground floor

Conference Fee

\$175 - \$290 sliding scale. Pay what you can afford on the sliding scale. Post-dated cheques/checks accepted. Last payment is to be dated August 10th, 2008 unless other arrangements have been made.

Fee Includes:

Thurs evening reception, 2 days of workshops and other activities, Friday luncheon on patio, Friday evening authors' panel followed by dancing (includes a Cha Cha lesson), Saturday evening buffet dinner, entertainment (featured performer: **FERRON** www.ferrononline.com) + DJ'd dance, Sunday morning panel discussion and wrap-up session, and 175+ **amazing, bold** women from across Canada and the U.S.

Extra Activities/Extra Cost (popular events; please contact/register with contact person)

- 1) Early Bird Wednesday evening boat cruise & dinner; \$65. Contact Pat at soundsfuries@shaw.ca
- 2) Friday Morning Singles Breakfast, 7:30 am -9:00 am, \$17, at nearby Sylvia Hotel. See reg. form
- 3) Intro to Dragon boating: Cost \$15; proceeds to Abreast in a Boat (Women Breast Cancer Survivors, www.abreastinaboat.org). Register/contact: Margaret Hobson, mshobson@telus.net, 604 274-4152

Reserve early; limited space! Send money to Margaret. DO NOT include with registration fee. Mail your completed form and cheque/check or money order in Canadian Dollars or equivalent US \$. Sorry, no credit cards. Pay to: Sounds & Furies PO Box 21510, 1424 Commercial Drive, Vancouver BC Canada V5L 5G2

Name _____

Address _____
City _____

Province/State _____ Postal/Zip Code _____ Country _____

Phone: home () _____ cell () _____

Email (print clearly) _____

Contact list: Yes ____ **No** ____ Include my name & contact info on a list to be shared only w/conference participants (if you do not answer this question, you will not be on the conference contact list).

Payment:

I enclose full payment of \$CA _____ on the sliding scale of \$175 - \$290 CA
I enclose a deposit of \$ _____ + _____ post-dated checks/cheques totaling \$CA _____

(# of cheques)

I enclose \$17.00 _____ for Friday morning Singles Breakfast.
I enclose a donation of \$CA _____ \$US _____ to help women attend **BOLD**.
I am applying for financial assistance in the amount of \$ _____

(BOLD hopes to help several women attend the conference who are not able to pay the entire fee -- as much as our fundraising efforts allow. Determine what you can pay and what you need. Requests will be answered by mid Jun 2008).
Booking a room at the Coast Plaza Hotel

BOLD participants get special hotel rate which applies 3 days before, during and after the conference (note: rates have increased since last year, but not for us!) Please state BOLD or the Westcoast Women's Conference and our code number (below) when booking a room. The Coast Plaza is a friendly and gay friendly hotel (for dogs too!). Guests get complimentary use of the health club, squash courts, swimming pool, whirlpool, sauna, and Downtown shuttle. BOLD Conference costs are linked to the number of guest rooms booked at the Coast Plaza; therefore we encourage you to use this comfortable, beautiful hotel. In turn, we can continue to keep conference fees reasonably priced.

Hotel Rates Special to BOLD:

\$162 CA (\$138 US*) per night Comfort Room for 1-2 (\$20 for third person)

\$202 CA (\$171 US*) per night One Bedroom Suite w/living room & kitchenette for 1-2 (\$20 each for 3rd or 4th person, ask about maximum when registering)

To book online:

1. go to www.coasthotels.com
2. Under room reservation, select date of arrival, # of nights' stay, and hotel (Coast Plaza Hotel & Suites, Vancouver).
3. Enter the booking code: CPS-GFC2976 (BOLD's code).
4. The room rates for the conference should appear. Follow prompts to complete the reservation; a confirmation will be emailed back immediately OR, do one of the following:

*Write to Coast Plaza Hotel & Suites, 1763 Comox St, Vancouver BC V6G 1P6 Canada
Call toll-free 1-800-663-1144 or 604-688-7711
email plazares@coasthotels.com

A major credit card is required to book online. Rooms may be viewed at www.coastalhotels.com

Looking for a hotel roommate(s)? If you want to share a hotel room with 1 or 2 others, contact Chris Spencer: Ph 604-255-8420 or chrs_spncr@yahoo.ca . Chris will put roommate seekers in touch with each other. She is not responsible for finding roommates.

Transportation to Coast Plaza Hotel from Vancouver International Airport

Airporter Bus costs \$12 one-way, \$18 round trip and takes about 45 minutes. Drop off point is approximately one block from the Coast Plaza hotel. Taxi fare is about \$35 CA one-way and takes 20 - 25 minutes.

ALERT: Passports now required when flying in/out of Canada.

Driving??? Bring along a passport if available. Otherwise, you'll need driver's license and birth certificate or other proof of citizenship.

Other Questions? Contact Pat at 604-253-7189 or soundsfuries@shaw.ca
Pat & Claire, BOLD Organizers

"See you in September"