



II INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE FORESTS OF RUSSIA: POLICY, INDUSTRY, SCIENCE AND EDUCATION

May 24–26, 2017
St. Petersburg, Russia

SUPPORTED BY
International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO)



The aim of the conference

The conference is convened to discuss the current issues in forest science, policy, industry, and education.

Who should attend?

We cordially invite professionals from science, education, industry and forest authorities as well as students of all levels.

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

1. Forest policy and bioeconomics
2. The modern methods of forest planting and reproduction (*devoted to the 150th anniversary of the birth of prof. Georgy Morozov*)
3. The state forest inventory, forest planning and sustainable forest management (*devoted to 150th anniversary of the birth of prof. Mikhail Orlov*)
4. The impact of climate change and other stress factors on forest ecosystems
5. Forest fires: prevention, methods and equipment for fire fighting
6. Innovations in forest logging
7. Development of logistics in forestry and forest industry
8. The current issues in wood science, processing and housing
9. Chemical processing of wood biomass and bioenergy
10. Pulp and paper industry: the current problems and solutions
11. The landscaping and botanical gardens (*devoted to 190th anniversary of the SPb FTU Botanical Garden*)
12. Innovative methods of education in forestry

CONFERENCE VENUE

St. Petersburg State Forest Technical University (SPb FTU, <http://www.spbftu.ru/>)
Institutsky pereulok 5, Saint-Petersburg, Russia

WORKING LANGUAGES

Russian, English

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Conference proceedings will be published before the conference and indexed in the Russian National Science Citation Index (RINC).

GUIDELINES FOR PAPERS

Papers in Russian or English should be sent to the Program Committee as an email attachment in MS WORD format (doc).

by **April 3, 2017**

to the address *rusfor2014@gmail.com*.

The paper should not exceed 3 pages (A4) with font Times New Roman, font size 14, line spacing 1.0, all margins 2.0 cm. File name should consist of the number of the conference session (see above) and surname of the 1st author (*for example, 3_Evans.doc*).

The paper should be structured as follows:

1. **TITLE:** font size 14 pt, bold, all caps, line adjustment: left side
2. Blank line: font size 14 pt
3. Authors: font size 14 pt, line adjustment: left side
4. *Affiliation, city, country:* font size 14 pt, italics, line adjustment: left side
5. Blank line: font size 14 pt
6. Text: font size 14 pt, indent: 0.7 cm
7. Blank line: font size 14 pt
8. REFERENCES, font size 14 pt all caps, centre
9. References should be listed in alphabetical order

REGISTRATION FEE

Registration fee of **150 Euro** will covers lunches, coffee breaks on May 24 to 25; conference proceedings; information materials; excursions to the SPb FTU Museums of Forest Zoology & Forest Entomology and Botanical Garden; overheads and VAT (18%).

In case of interest **only in the publishing** without personal participation the fee is **30 Euro** per one publication including post delivery to one address.

Payment can be made by bank transfer:

Client:

Saint-Petersburg State Forest Technical University

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REGISTRATION

Please register online at

<http://spbftu.ru/international/conference/events/index.php?view=more&lang=eng&id=51>

by **May, 10, 2017**.

ACCOMODATION THROUGH THE ORGANIZERS

Hotel room rates per day in a 3 star hotel “Marmara” (<http://marmara.spb.ru/>) (in rubles) are as follows:

Single room: 4 050 RUR per room per night, breakfast included

Double room: 4 500 RUR per room per night, breakfast included

Address: Novorossiyskaya str. 26 bld.2

10 min of walking from SPb FTU campus

20 min of walking from “Pl. Muzhestva” metro station (red line),
20 min trolleybus №6 ride from “Chernaya Rechka” metro station (blue line)
Tel./fax: +7 (812) 670-10-10
hotel@marmara.spb.ru

You can send a request to the email: *hotel@marmara.spb.ru*. Please indicate that you are a participant of the conference “Forests of Russia”. **The number of rooms at this price is limited.**

VISAS TO RUSSIA

All foreigners with the exception of CIS-country citizens need a **visa** to enter Russia. Russian entry visa is issued by the Embassy or a Consulate of the Russian Federation in the country of your residency based on the visa support document.

Representatives of **EU countries** can get a visa support document (**invitation**) from the SPbFTU. In order to receive an invitation, you must send the scanned copy of your passport 1st page to the address *rusfor2014@gmail.com*.

If you are non-EU citizen, you can apply to a local travel agency or to the Marmara hotel for the visa support.

KEY DATES

Papers submission	April 3, 2017
Notification of paper acceptance	April 20, 2017
Deadline for registration	May 10, 2017
Hotel reservation through the organizers	May 10, 2017
Conference	May 24 – 26, 2017

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

May 24 (Wednesday)

9.00 – 10.00 Registration
10.00 – 13.00 Opening of the conference, plenary session
13.00 – 14.00 Lunch
14.00 – 18.00 Working sessions

May 25 (Thursday)

9.00 – 13.00 Working sessions
13.00 – 14.00 Lunch
14.00 – 17.00 Final session, closing the conference and excursions to the SPb FTU museums

May 26 2017 (Friday)

An excursion to Lisino Forest Experimental Station (with lunch; not included into the registration fee).

FURTHER INFORMATION

<http://spbftu.ru/international/conference/events/?lang=eng>
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