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**AN ACTIVITY FOR THE INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF SOILS 2015**  
**Second Circular**

**Dear colleagues**  
**We cordially invite you to participate in International conference**

**«SOILS OF COLD AREAS:  
GENESIS, GEOGRAPHY, ECOLOGY»**  
**(To the 100th anniversary of the birth of Oleg V. Makeev)**



**August 31 – September 9, 2015**  
**Ulan-Ude, Russia**

## PROGRAM COMMITTEE

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## CONFERENCE VENUE (*academic sessions*)

*Institute of General and Experimental Biology, SB RAS, 6 Sakhyanovoi St., Ulan-Ude*

## ORAL AND POSTER PRESENTATIONS

### *Speaking time*

Plenary lectures 20 min

Section talks 15 min

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

**August 31.** Arrival of participants, accommodation

14.00 - 17.00 Registration in the foyer on the 2nd floor

**September 1. *Pre-conference scientific field trip South of Vitim plateau*** (1 day)

6.30 Meeting near the IGEB SB RAS

7.00 Departure

12.00 - 13.00 Lunch

14.00 - 17.00 Scientific field trip

18.00 - 19.00 Dinner

19.00 Departure to Ulan-Ude

24.00 - 01.00 Arrival in Ulan-Ude

**September 2. *Academic sessions***

9.00 - 9.30 Registration in the foyer on the 2nd floor

9.30 - 11.00 Opening of the Conference. Plenary lectures

11.00 - 11.15 Coffee-break

11.15 - 13.00 Section sessions

13.00 - 14.00 Lunch

14.00 - 18.00 Section sessions

18.00 - 20.00 Welcome dinner

**September 3. *Academic sessions***

9.00 - 10.30 Section sessions

10.30 - 10.45 Coffee-break

10.45 - 12.00 Section sessions

12.00 - 13.00 Lunch

13.00 - 16.00 Section sessions

16.00 - 16.15 Coffee-break

16.15 - 18.00. Closing Plenary Session

**September 4. Mid-Conference tour** (9.00 - 18.00):

Sequence of Late Pleistocene paleosols in "Tologoy" area, Ivolga Buddhist monastery, and Ulan-Ude Sightseeing

**September 5. Post-Conference tour Eastern shore of the Baikal Lake, Goryachinsk resort** (2 days)

7.00 Meeting near IGEB SB RAS

7.30 Departure

14.00 -15.00 Lunch

15.00 -18.00 Accommodation. Free time on the Lake Baikal shore

18.00 -19.00 Dinner

**September 6.**

9.00 - 9.30 Breakfast

10.00 -12.00 Visit to hot springs

12.00 Departure

13.00 -14.00 Lunch

18.00 Arrival in Ulan-Ude

**September 7. Post-Conference tour Tunka Basin** (2 days)

7.00 Meeting near IGEB SB RAS

7.30 Departure

14.00 -15.00 Lunch

17.00 - 18.00 Arrival. Accommodation

18.00 - 19.00 Dinner. Free time. Visiting springs, waterfalls and other views

**September 8.**

9.00 - 9.30 Breakfast

10.00 -12.00 Scientific field trip

13.00-14.00 Lunch

14.00 Departure to Ulan-Ude

22.00- 23.00 Arrival in Ulan-Ude

**September 9.**

Departure of the participants

**REGISTRATION FEE AND OTHER PAYMENTS**

**Regular Conference fee – 180 Euro**

**Students and PhD students fee – 130 Euro**

1. Pre-Conference tour (South of Vitim plateau) - 2500 rubles.
2. Mid-Conference tour - 1500 rub.
3. Post-Conference tour (Eastern shore of the Lake Baikal) - 5000 rub.
4. Post-Conference tour (Tunka Basin) - 6000 rub.

**Fees for participation in the Conference and tours should be paid at registration.**

**Warning!**

Organizers will arrange the meeting of participants at the airport "Baikal" arriving from Moscow by next flights:

*August 31, Monday:*

8:10 Flight 115 «S7»

10:35 Flight 4648 "Aeroflot"

21.55 Flight 111 «S7»

*September 1, Tuesday:*

07:00 flight 6343 "Ural Airlines";

07.50, flight 115 airlines «S7»;

10:35 flight 4648 "Aeroflot".

Participants arriving these flights please inform the organizing committee until August 28.

Foreign participants please inform the organizing committee about your arriving any case.

### VISA REQUIREMENTS

Additional personal data are required for the official invitation. Issuing invitations and mailing originals takes about 2 months. Please contact the Organizing committee for the initiation of invitations issuing.

### ACCOMMODATION IN ULAN-UDE

Indicative prices for rooms see below. Participants make hotel reservations independently. Organizers can make reservation for foreign participants on their request.

Hotel	Room , price per day / rubles						Contacts
	Lux	Semi-lux	2-standart	1-standart	2-econom	1-econom	
Buryatia	6500	4800	4000 / 3200	2950	2700/2100	1950	8 (3012) 213 007, факс: 8 (3012) 213 007, e-mail:sales@buryatihotel.com www.buryatihotel.com
Baikal-Plaza ****	7000		4200	3500		3700	+7 (3012) 21-08-38 <a href="mailto:sales@baikalplaza.com">sales@baikalplaza.com</a> <a href="http://www.baikalplaza.com">www.baikalplaza.com</a>
Sagaan Morin	6100		4800	3800			+73012370949 e-mail: <a href="mailto:info@sagaan-morin.ru">info@sagaan-morin.ru</a>
Mergen Bator *****	11000	9500		5500			Тел.: +7 (3012) 200-002 e-mail: <a href="mailto:booking@mergenbator.ru">booking@mergenbator.ru</a> <a href="http://www.mergen-bator.ru">www.mergen-bator.ru</a>
Solnechny ostrov	2900		1900-2200	2400		1900	+73012430707, +73012430858 e-mail: <a href="mailto:info@sunshine-island.ru">info@sunshine-island.ru</a> <a href="http://www.sunshine-island.ru">www.sunshine-island.ru</a>
Ayan-hotel			2400	2000	1800	900	+73012415222 e-mail: <a href="mailto:ayanhotel164@mail.ru">ayanhotel164@mail.ru</a> <a href="http://www.ayanhotel.ru">www.ayanhotel.ru</a>
Odon	4500 twice	2700 twice	2400	1400	1600	1100	8(3012) 44-34-80, 39-10-10 8 800-775-0-885 e-mail: <a href="mailto:booking@odon-hotel.ru">booking@odon-hotel.ru</a> <a href="http://www.odon-hotel.ru">www.odon-hotel.ru</a>
Bely Parus			1900				<a href="tel:+73012433639">(3012) 43-36-39</a> <a href="http://www.cruise-uu.ru">www.cruise-uu.ru</a>
Monreal			1600				+73012436006
Hostelhouse							
Hostelhouse	Price per person		<a href="http://www.hostelhouse.ru">www.hostelhouse.ru</a> <a href="http://vk.com/hostel_ulan_ude">http://vk.com/hostel_ulan_ude</a>				
Ulan Ude Travelers House Hostel	from 600 rub.		тел. +7 (902) 455-22-22,+7 (950) 391-63-25 e-mail: <a href="mailto:UUhostel@gmail.com">UUhostel@gmail.com</a> <a href="http://uuhostel.com/">http://uuhostel.com/</a>				
Dostoyevsky Hostel	from 500 rub.		+ 7 (983) 531-75-29 <a href="http://www.uu.hdhostel.com/">http://www.uu.hdhostel.com/</a>				
Smile House	from 750 rub.		+7 (967) 620-02-26 <a href="http://www.hotels.ru/rus/hotels/russia/ulan_ude/smile_house_2.htm">http://www.hotels.ru/rus/hotels/russia/ulan_ude/smile_house_2.htm</a>				

The final version of the Conference program will be available from August 20 at the site of the Institute [www.igeb.ru](http://www.igeb.ru)

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