

Slavic meetings in St. Petersburg

I International Congress
«St. Petersburg and the Slavic world»
8 – 11 December 2013

Saturday, December 7

Arrival to St. Petersburg

Accommodation in the Ambassador Hotel (*5-7, Rimsky-Korsakov Avenue*)

Sunday, December 8

Arrival to St. Petersburg

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19:00 – 21:00 Ballet Don Quixote Mariinsky Theatre

Monday, December 9

9.30 Transfer to the Russian Museum of Ethnography

till 10.00 Registration for the event

10.00 – 10.15 Welcome speech on behalf of the Government of St. Petersburg

10:15 – 10:40 Report “Culture of the European Union and Slavic component. View of St. Petersburg”

10:40 – 12:00 I topic: «Ecology of culture and conservation of cultural heritage»

Speakers:

Russian Museum of Ethnography

Forum of Slavic Cultures (on approval)

Committee for culture of St. Petersburg

V.Minkov Artistic Director «St. Petersburg Theatre Season»

Other participants

12:00 – 12:30 Coffee-break

12:30 – 14:00 II topic: «Youth exchanges, education and volunteering»
• promotion of youth exchanges and initiatives that encourage youth participation in volunteer projects; creation of common information space for youth participation in volunteer projects

Speakers:

Committee for Youth Policy of St. Petersburg

Other participants

• encouraging the practice of students, faculty and school exchange programs as an important factor of self-motivation development to study languages and cultures in the region of Central and Eastern Europe; learning Slavic languages, literature, history, culture in St.Petersburg State University; presentation of Slavic Studies Conferences of St.Petersburg State University (Derzhavin Readings (since 1996), Dialogue of Slavic cultures (since 1997), Day of Slavic written language (since 1950th), scientific symposium «Slavic world: unity and diversity» (2012) etc.)

Speakers:

Faculty of Philology of St.Petersburg State University, Chair of Slavic languages

S.Nekrasov, Director of the National Pushkin Museum (on approval)

Other participants

• ecological education and enlightenment. St.Petersburg experience of child and youth socialization by innovative forms and technologies of ecological education

Speakers:

«Information and Training Center» of SUE «Vodokanal of St. Petersburg»

Other participants

14:30 – 16:00 Reception (buffet-style)

Overview of Russian Museum of Ethnography Collections

18:30 – 19.00 Returning to the hotel. Free time

Tuesday, December 10

till 09:30 Breakfast

10:00 – 12:00 Visit to «Vodokanal» (City water facilities) including «Information and Training Center»

12:30 – 13:15 Meeting with the Government of St. Petersburg representative

in Smolny Palace (St. Petersburg Administration)

- 13:15 – 13:40** Ceremony of signing of the Declaration of the I International Congress «St. Petersburg and the Slavic world»
- 13:40 – 14:00** Press conference
- 14:00 – 15:00** Reception (buffet-style)
- 15:00 – 15:45** Excursion on the Smolny Palace
- 16:00 Returning to the hotel. Free time
- 19:30 – 21:30** Official reception on behalf of the Government of St.Petersburg

Wednesday, December 11

Departure from St.Petersburg