

**EU-Russia S&T Cooperation. Related support instruments and future opportunities**



**Saint-Petersburg, Russia  
7 - 8 October 2016**

***3-rd International Researchers' Conference  
Agenda***

<b>DAY 1 — Friday 07 October 2016</b>	
<b>9.00 – 9.30</b>	<b><i>Registration and welcome coffee</i></b>
<b>9.30- 10.00</b>	<b><i>Conference opening. Welcome and introductory remarks</i></b>
<b>10.00 – 11.00</b>	<b>Keynote addresses</b>  Ministry of Education and Science of RF (TBD) <b>Support of the international R&amp;D collaboration in the frame of the Federal Targeted Programme "R&amp;D in Priority Areas of Development of the Russian S&amp;T Complex 2014-2020"</b>  <b>Richard Burger</b> , Research & Innovation Counsellor, Delegation of the European Union to the Russian Federation (TBC) <b>The EU Programme for Research and Innovation Horizon 2020</b>  <b>Q&amp;A</b>
<b>11.00 – 13.00</b>	<b><i>Session 1: Funding of excellent science in EU and Russia</i></b>  <b><i>Russian Funding Opportunities:</i></b>  <b>Russian Science Foundation (TBD)</b> Support of fundamental research in Russia. International competitions of RSF  <b>Oleg Sharipov</b> , <b>Head of International Relations of Russian Foundation for Basic Research (TBC)</b> Joint international competitions and programmes of the Russian Foundation for basic research

	<p><b>Priority 1. Excellent science under Horizon 2020</b></p> <p><b>Alice Xenia RAJEWSKY</b> - European Research Council Executive Agency  <b>ERC funding opportunities</b></p> <p><b>Pierantonios Papazoglou</b>, Cypriot National Contact Point and Programme Committee Member for Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions  <b>Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions: Practical Hints-&amp;-Tips for Applying</b></p> <p><b>Marine Melkonyan</b>, coordinator of Research Infrastructures NCP in Russia, National University of Science and Technology "MISIS"  <b>Research infrastructures under Horizon 2020. Opportunities for Russia</b></p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>
<b>13.00-14.00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>14.00 – 16.00</b>	<p><b>Session 2. Supporting international and bilateral S&amp;T collaboration</b></p> <p><b>Alexis Michel</b>, Counsellor for Science and Technology of the French Embassy in Russia  <b>2016: FRANCE-RUSSIA 50 Years of S&amp;T cooperation</b></p> <p><b>Dr. Martin Krispin</b>, Deputy Head of Office of DAAD and Coordinator of the German House for R&amp;I (DWIH) in Moscow  <b>Success stories of Germany - Russia S&amp;T&amp;I Cooperation</b></p> <p><b>Svetlana Dimitrova</b>, EURAXESS, Sofia University, Bulgaria  <b>EURAXESS Services and BG network experience, European networks cooperation</b></p> <p><b>Isser Peer</b>, EURAXESS &amp; Diaspora networks, IP&amp;D, Innovation Projects and development Ltd., Bar Ilan University, Israel  <b>How to use the innovation hubs as a tool for cooperation and reintegration</b></p> <p><b>Vladimir Yerokhin</b>, Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic University  <b>Success stories: Involvement of the University in the international S&amp;T initiatives</b></p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p>
<b>16.00 – 16.30</b>	<b>Coffee-break</b>
<b>16.30 – 17.50</b>	<p><b>Anastasia Tsvetkova</b>, Baikal Communication Group, Moscow  <b>The potential for EU-Russia cooperation in the field of environment</b></p> <p><b>Daria Romanova</b>, Skolkovo Institute of Science and Technology  <b>International projects of Skolkovo Institute of S&amp;T. Sharing experience</b></p> <p><b>Q&amp;A</b></p> <p><b>Panel discussion: Science vs. Innovation</b>  Moderator: <b>Marine Melkonyan</b>, Research infrastructures NCP in Russia, National University of Science and Technology "MISIS"</p>

17.50 - 18.00	<i>Discussion and conclusions</i>
19.00 – 21.00	<i>Social event</i>

<b>DAY 2 — Saturday 08 October 2016</b>	
10.00- 13.00	<i>Visit to laboratories of the Federal Almazov North-West Medical Research Centre and Peter the Great St. Petersburg Polytechnic University, meetings with researchers, discussions</i>
13.00	<i>The end of conference</i>

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**Venue of conference:** The Federal Almazov North-West Medical Research Centre

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