Conference venue: The conference will be hosted in the Institute of Physicochemical and biological problems in Soil Science of Russian Academy of Sciences. The registration desk will be open in the "Pushchino" hotel on June 4 (arrival day). From June 5 the registration desk will be located in the Institute. All payments are in cash only, and they have to be made in Russian rubles at the registration desk.

Transportation:

From airports to Moscow

In order to reach Moscow city from Moscow's airports you can use taxi, car, public transport, and aeroexpress train (<u>https://aeroexpress.ru/en</u>).

From Moscow to Pushchino

Bus 359 "Moscow-Puschino" from "Yuzhnaya" metro station. You need to exit in the direction of Yuzhnaya shopping center to the intercity buses. Walk to first car from the center, then turn to the left after escalator, then to the right. The trip from Moscow to Pushchino is about 1:30 hours. Bus stop for the Institute is "Bol'nitsa" and for "Pushchino" hotel is "Zelenaya zona". Ticket price is 220 Rubles (it is possible to buy tickets online at http://odnakassa.ru/catalog/station/268-453-avtobus-moskva-m.-yughnaya-puschino-bolnica)

Schedule for bus from Moscow to Pushchino

7.00,7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.10, 10.10, 11.10, 12.45, 14.10, 15.10, 16.10, 17.10 (except Sat., Sun), 18.10 (Fri.)., 18.45, 19.50, 20.15 (Fri.), 21.00, 22.00.

Schedule for bus from Pushchino to Moscow

5.45, 6.00 (Mon.), 6.20 (Mon.), 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.40, 12.00, 13.00, 14.00, 15.00 (except Sat., Sun.), 16.00, 17.00, 18.15, 18.45 (Sun.), 19.15.

Presentations: The oral presentation is no longer than 15 minuts, 5 minuts is for discussion and questions. Pleas download the files to conference notebook before the section start (Power Point 2007, PDF). Poster section will be organized near the conference hall. The maximum size is 80x120 cm (A0), portrait orientation.

Food: All participants who paid the conference fee are welcome for lunch in Phoenix café, which is around 20 minuts walk from the venue. Coffee and snacks will be served between the sections.

There are several cafes for dinner and many supermarkets in the town.

Credit and Debit Cards

Bank cards now are accepted at most shops, restaurant, café etc. in Pushchino. You can draw out Russian rubles using ATMs which are located at many areas throughout Pushchino town (including Institute and Hotel). You can also exchange your Euro and dollars in several banks of the town.

Cultural program:

June 5 – unformal meeting with young permafrost generation (PYRN-Russia), supported by IPA. Vladimir Romanovsky will share his experience with the audience.

June 6 – traditional conference dinner with dancing in Hotel restarant.

June 7 – improvisation on prepared grand piano by Alexander Morawitz "Music of landscape – Kamchatka" at nearby Institute of Proteins.

June 9 - A special tour (2 hours) for our guests at the Pushchino Conference to the Moscow Kremlin (booking is required at eshelekhova@gmail.com, Ekaterina).

You will see an outstanding architectural ensemble of the 15th century with the golden cupolas, where one can feel a breath of the world history. At the same day, you also may visit the Diamond Fund of the Russian Federation with the famous Crown of Empire State Russia. Price of tickets is 500 rubles. Tour starts at 10:00AM and includes Kremlin tickets and English speaking guide. Price is $42 \notin / 2500$ RUB ($35 \notin / 2100$ RUB for students).

At you free time you can walk along the Oka River, open the swimming season or inspect the radio telescopes. If you want to observe the surroundings from the 4000m, the drop-zone "Bolshoe gryzlovo" can offer tandem and solo jumps.

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