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Russian Mineralogical Society

Ministry of education and science of the Russian Federation

Saint Petersburg Mining Institute (Technical University)



RMS Annual Session 2012

“Mineralogy in a whole space of the word”

combined with

the Fedorov Session 2012

October 9 – 11, 2012, Saint Petersburg, Russia

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First Circular

The RMS Annual Session (AS2012), the traditional biannual Fedorov Session (FS2012) and the RMS Academic council session will be organized in the oldest technical university of Russia, the Saint Petersburg State Mining University (founded 1773). Scientific profile of the conferences covers the recent progress in mineralogy, crystallography, petrology, geochemistry and ore deposits study.

AS2012 SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

- M1.** Mineralogy of rare metal and rare earth deposits.
M2. Mineralogical and petrological markers of the mineral/rock genesis. Minerals, ores and rocks as fingerprints.
M3. Environmental mineralogy and geochemistry.

FS2012 SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

- F1.** Mineralogical crystallography and crystal chemistry.
F2. History of mineralogy, crystallography and petrology.

The aim of the traditional Fedorov Session is to discuss trends in scientific directions established by Prof. Evgraf Fedorov (1853-1919).

Presentation forms: oral presentation (15-20 minutes), poster presentation.

Official languages: Russian and English.

The registration is 3000 Russian rubles (approx. USD 100). To check the current RUR/USD and RUR/EURO exchange rates please visit the website of the Central Bank of the Russian Federation. RMS bank details:

Beneficiary: Russian Mineralogical Society

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Reference: participation fee for the Russian Mineralogical Society 2012 annual scientific session

The participation fee will be not raised from members of the Russian Mineralogical Society.

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VISAS

The participants should check with the Russian Embassy in their own country for details about the latest regulations that apply to them (see Russian Embassies of the World at **RussianEmbassy.net**).

If you need an official invitation please note that the deadline for receiving the Viza Support from the Organizing Committee is 1st of May 2012.

DEADLINES AND IMPORTANT DATES

01.05.2012 Visa Support deadline
05.06.2012 Abstract submission deadline

VENUE / HOST CITY

The conference will be held in the famous building of the Saint Petersburg Mining Institute (built 1806-1811 by the architect Andrey Voronikhin). The Mining Institute is located in the old part of the city, the Vasil'ev Island, on the Neva embankment. The famous museum of the institute is one of the World best mineralogical museums.

City. Saint Petersburg, founded 1703, is world famous as “the culture capital” of Russia with many excellent theatres, concerts, and arts. You should take a few extra days to visit Saint Petersburg museums and historical showplaces.

Public transportation. The central part of the city has good subway system supported by extensive bus, train and car routes.

Weather. The temperature in the second decade of October in Saint Petersburg is from +5 to +10 °C. The humidity is usually high.

ABSTRACT PREPARATION GUIDELINES

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Author, A., Author, B., Author, C. Problems of crystallography and mineralogy. // Zapiski RMO, 2002, № 7, pp. 900-901.