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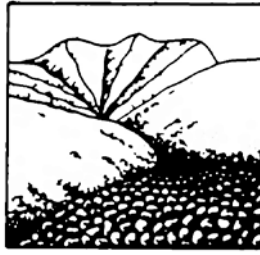
Second Announcement



IV International Conference

**Debris Flows:
Disasters, Risk, Forecast, Protection**

Irkutsk – Arshan, Russia, September 6-10, 2016



The Debris Flow Association invites you and your colleagues to participate in the 4th International Conference “Debris Flows: Disasters, Risks, Forecast, Protection” which will take place in Irkutsk, Russia, followed by field workshop in Arshan village. The conference will be organized by the Institute of the Earth’s Crust SB RAS and by the V.B. Sochava Institute of Geography SB RAS.

Topics of the Conference

- Debris flows: a global and regional analysis
- Debris disasters of different genesis in recent years
- Risk assessment and debris flow forecast
- Mechanics and model study of debris flows
- Characteristics of nature management, engineering surveys, floods protection measures and numerical techniques for the design and construction in the debris flow areas

Program of the Conference

- Plenary presentations
- Oral presentations
- Poster presentations
- Discussions
- Field workshop

Conference sessions will take place September 6 and 7, 2016.

Field Workshop

It is supposed that a field workshop will be held on September 8–10, 2016 at the bottom of the Tunka Goltsy in Arshan village of Tunkinskii district, Republic of Buryatia, at the site of the debris flows release on July 28, 2014 and passage of the water-rock flow along the river Kyngyrga on July 14, 2015.

Conference Location

Russia, Irkutsk:

- 128 Lermontova st., Institute of the Earth’s Crust SB RAS
- 1 Ulan-Batorskaya, V. B. Sochava Institute of Geography SB RAS

Working languages of the conference: Russian and English.

Sponsors and Partners

Government of the Republic of Buryatia

Lomonosov Moscow State University, Faculty of Geography, Moscow, Russia

North Caucasian Engineering and Design Institute for Water Industry and Land Reclamation
(Sevkavgiptovodkhoz), Pyatigorsk, Russia

The GeoRisk journal

Application Form

Full name	
Co-authors (full names)	
Title of the report	
Position	
Academic degree	
Organization	
Address	
Phone number	
E-mail	
Form of participation (select the desired option) - oral report - poster presentation - attending meetings without report	
Hotel accommodation (yes/no)	
Will you participate in the field seminar?	
Date of application	

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Abstract Guidelines

Abstract should not exceed 5 pages and submitted in electronic form;

Page size – A4, margins 2.0 (top and bottom), 3 cm (left) and 1.5 cm (right);

Font – New Times Roman, 12 pt, Word text editor, single-spaced;

1st line – title of the presentation, typed at the center in bold capital letters;

2nd line – space;

3rd line – authors (surnames and initials). Typed at the center in capital letters. Authors' names should be followed by superscripts – Arabic numerals (if the authors are from different organizations);

4th line – organization, full address, e-mail, centered, in italics;

5th line – space;

6th line and further – the text of an extended abstract. Paragraph break – 1 cm. Width alignment.

Figures (graphs, photo) must be submitted as separate files in .jpeg format and be placed in the text. Figures (Fig. 1) can be both black-and-white and colored. All figures captions and labels should be in place.

Tables (Table 1) should be placed in the body of the abstract. Table number (right aligned) and title (center alignment) should be placed above the table.

The equations created in the equation editor should be numbered. Reference to an equation number is given in the text in parentheses.

Reference to bibliographic source is given in the text [Petrov, 2013].

List of cited literature is typed one interval after the text in alphabetic order, without the title “Literature”.

The file name consists of the surname and initials of the first author and should be typed in Latin letters, e.g., ivanov_a_b.doc.

All abstracts should be submitted for approval to the Conference Organizing Committee. Authors will be notified about acceptance.

Publication of the Conference Proceedings

Manuscripts of abstracts should be sent in electronic form to makarov@irigs.irk.ru. Submitted manuscript is desirable but not obligatory condition for participation in the conference as a presenter. The publication of the conference proceedings will be electronic.

A number of scientific articles (original, previously unpublished) from the conference proceedings will be published in the following journals: “**GeoRisk**”, “**Earth Cryosphere**”, “**Geography and Natural Resources**”. The journals are in the list of the Russian leading peer-viewed scientific journals and publications. Additionally, the recommended articles will be published in the electronic journal “**Geodynamics and Tectonophysics**”, issued by the Institute of the Earth’s Crust Siberian Branch Russian Academy of Sciences since January 2010.

Registration Fee

Registration fee is 2000 RUB. For students, post-graduate students, and young scholars – 700 RUB.

Registration fee includes expenses for publication of the Conference Program and other information materials, issue of the electronic collection of articles and proceedings, organization of the coffee-breaks during the conference.

Registration fee should be paid upon registration.

Fee for the participation in the field workshop will be indicated in the third announcement.

Accommodation

Participants cover their own accommodation expenses in Irkutsk. The proposed list of hotels will be published in the third announcement.

If participant needs Russian visa, please, inform us in advance so that we could send an invitation in due time for processing documents in the embassy.

Important Dates

Deadline of the applications for participation in the Conference – **December 25, 2015.** (Such tight deadline is due to the necessity of quick preparation of the conference program, attached to grant application for financial support of the conference).

Deadline for the abstracts submission – **April 15, 2016.**

Arrival of participants to Irkutsk – **September 5, 2016.**

International Conference – **September 6–7, 2016.**

Field workshop in Arshan village of Tunkinskii district, Republic of Buryatia – **September 8–10, 2016.**

Departure of participants of the International Conference – **September 10–11, 2016.**

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