First Announcement

International Field Symposium
Lateglacial–Interglacial transition: glaciotectonic, seismoactivity, catastrophic hydrographic and landscape changes, South-Eastern Fennoscandia

August 19–26, 2018

Organizers:
Institute of Geology & Northern Water Problems Institute (Republic of Karelia), Institute of Geography (Moscow), Saint Peterburg State University (Saint Peterburg), Lomonosov Moscow State University (Moscow)

Format and venue:
The symposium will be held in southern part of Republic of Karelia, Russia.
Field excursions will consist of visiting the ancient volcano Girvas, unique sources of mineral water (the first Russian resort the Martial Waters), the region of paleoseismic deformations on the western shore of the Onega Lake, Valaam Island with its unique geology and nature and in other places.

The Organizing Committee provides two days for oral and poster presentations (the 22\textsuperscript{nd} & 23\textsuperscript{rd} of August) and three and a half days for field excursions. Within the framework of the conference there will be allocated time for the school of young scientists with lectures given by leading scientists The symposium and excursion will begin and end at Petrozavodsk. The symposium residence will be at one of Petrozavodsk's hotel.
Registration:
If you are interested in participation, please return the preliminary registration form via e-mail before the 30th January 2018 to Zakhar Slukovskii (slukovskii_z@igkrc.ru).

Registration fee:
The registration fee is preliminary set at 400 EUR. The fee covers field trip transportation, accommodation, full board and conference materials. The final symposium fee depends on the total number of participants. Please note that the registration fee does not cover any health or travel insurance. The number of participants is limited to 45 persons (up to 50% of the seats will be given to young scientists).

Abstracts for oral and poster presentations:
Colleagues are invited to submit abstracts relevant to the topic of the Symposium. Abstracts will be published in special conference volume and should not exceed 2 A4 pages (12 pt, single line spacing), including figures and references. Further details will be given in the second circular.

Important deadlines:
Preliminary registration 30 January, 2018
Second circular, opening of abstract submission and registration February, 2018
Deadline for abstracts April 30, 2018
End of registration and Third circular June, 2018
Excursion and symposium 19-26 August, 2018

More information will be given in the second circular in February 2018 to those who will preliminarily register. Official invitations needed to get visa will be sent on your request.

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