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*Devoted to the Year of Ecology
and the 100th Anniversary of the Reserve management in Russia*

Invitation and first circular

**XII International Conference:
«Environment and sustainable development of the Mongolian
plateau and surrounding territories»**

August, 3-4, 2017

City of Ulan-Ude, the Republic of Buryatia, the Russian Federation

DEAR COLLEAGUES!

We invite you to participate in the International Scientific Conference
“Environment and sustainable development of the Mongolian plateau and surrounding territories”

Collection of scientific papers of the conference will receive an international serial number (ISBN). The papers of the conference participants will be placed in the national bibliographic database of scientific citation (RISC).

The traditional XII International Scientific Conference **“Environment and sustainable development of the Mongolian plateau and surrounding territories”** will be held during 3-4 of August, 2017 in the City of Ulan-Ude (Russia, the Republic of Buryatia). XII International Scientific Conference is devoted to the Year of Ecology and the 100th Anniversary of the establishment of the Barguzin Reserve, which laid foundation for the formation and development of the Network of Specially Protected Natural Territories (SPNT) and ecological programmes in Russia. We believe, it is important to discuss the issues of International Cooperation in the sphere of prospective development of the modern system of SPNT of Russia, Mongolia and China.

The conference is aimed at solving the problems of ensuring of ecological balance and sustainable development of the Mongolian plateau and surrounding territories. The main objective of the conference is to exchange experience in scientific research, taking into account the priorities of international cooperation.

It is proposed to discuss issues related to the assessment of the current level of geographical research of Russian eastern cross-border areas in the new geopolitical conditions of the beginning of XXI century.

The purpose of the conference is to provide an academic and educational cooperation on environmental issues and sustainable development on the Mongolian plateau and adjacent regions.

The main directions of the conference:

- physical and geographical study of transformation of the natural environment and climate;
- geo-ecological and geochemical problems of nature management;
- ecological and economic problems of sustainable development of border and cross-border territories;
- information and cartographic support for sustainable development;
- Mongolian plateau and surrounding territories in the modern geopolitical, geoeconomical and geocultural dynamics.

Round table “Problems and prospects of development of protected areas in Russia, Mongolia and China” will be organized during the conference.

Organizers:

- Baikal Institute of Nature Management of the Siberian Branch of the Russian academy of Sciences (BINM SB RAS, Russia);
- Institute of Geography and Geoecology of the Mongolian Academy of Sciences (IGG MAS, Mongolia);
- Inner Mongolia Normal University (IMNU, China)
- Institute of Geographical Sciences and Natural Resources Research CAS (IGSNRR CAS, China)
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Web-site of the conference: <https://sites.google.com/site/mongolianplateau2017/>

The format of the conference:

- plenary papers;
 - session papers;
 - poster presentations;
 - round table;
 - paper publication.
- *August, 2–3 2017* – arrival and accommodation in Ulan-Ude
 - *August, 3– 4 2017* – plenary and session papers presentations in BINM SB RAS, Ulan-Ude.
 - *August, 3 2017* Round table: “Problems and prospects of development of protected areas in Russia, Mongolia and China”.
 - *August, 5 2017*– Departure from Ulan-Ude

Venue:

6700047, the Republic of Buryatia, City of Ulan-Ude, Str. Sakhyanovoy, 6, Baikal Institute of Nature Management SB RAS.

Conference languages are English and Russian.

Dates: August, 3-4 2017

Financial terms

Registration fee is 150 USD (**inc. VAT**) and includes: paper publication, coffee breaks, lunches, dinners for of August, 3-4 2017.

Registration fee for foreign participants will be paid in cash at the registration.

The costs of travel to the city of Ulan-Ude and accommodation in Ulan-Ude, excursions are not included in the conference registration fee.

Travel expenses of the conference participants are paid by the directing side.

Dates

- To send the registration form – **until February, 15, 2017;**
- To send conference proceedings – **until May, 1, 2017;**
- To pay the registration fee– **until June, 1, 2017**

**REGISTRATION form for participation in
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Full name	
Scientific degree, academic rank	
Job title, occupation	
Paper title	
Your scientific field	
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