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2d ASQUA Conference: Advances in the Quaternary of Interior Asia  
September 09-15, 2013, Ulan-Ude - Baikal, RUSSIA

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## 1<sup>st</sup> Circular

### **Conference' Organizers:**

Siberian Branch, Russian Academy of Sciences (RAS)  
Geological Institute, Siberian Branch RAS (GI SB RAS),  
Asian Quaternary Association (ASQUA)  
INQUA Commission on Stratigraphy and Chronology (INQUA\_SACCOM),

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**Secretary:** Dr. Nadya Alexeeva

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### **Working group:**

Ivan Filimonov, Svetlana Zangeeva, Galina Shushpanova, Gripena Efimova, Anna Khubanova, Galina Kislova a.o.

### **Scientific program:**

The scientific program will include opening ceremony, symposium session and poster session. The main discussed topics are:

- Stratigraphy and correlations of global biotic and abiotic events and signals in Eurasia with emphasis on Interior Asian geological record;
- Quaternary chronostratigraphy and subdivisions, global chronostratigraphical correlation;
- Paleontology and biochronology of fossil mammals and plants;  
Geological and paleontological succession to define the boundaries between Quaternary subdivisions;
- Quaternary Environmental Dynamics of Eurasia in context of global change.

**Location:** Ulan-Ude – Baikal, Russia.

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## Preliminary Program:

September 08	Arrival of participants Night in Hotel "Buryatia"  Everybody has to inform in good time
September 09	Arrival of participants Departure by bus to tourist inn "Enkhaluk", Baikal lake shore Registration, rest Ice breaking party
September 10	Opening ceremony Scientific session (oral, poster presentations)
September 11	Scientific session (oral, poster presentations)
September 12	Scientific session (oral, poster presentations) Conference dinner
September 13	Departure Enkhaluk (at 9:00 AM) Return to Ulan-Ude at noon Excursion: (Friday PM) travel to field trip site Tologoi key section
September 14	Excursion: (Saturday AM) travel to field trip sites of Itantsa and Zasukhino Key Sections, Return to Ulan-Ude. Closing ceremony and dinner.
September 15	Departure of participants

## Important information

### Fees:

Registration Fees - 270 EUR (full participants), 200 EUR (students and young scientists to 35 years) will cover the expenses of Printed Abstract Volume and Guidebook; Ice Breaker event, coffee/tea breaks, conference dinner, refreshments and lunches during the excursions; transportation for 2 days excursions, to meet at the Airport and railway station and accompany participants to the Airport and railway station.

### Accommodation:

The conference sessions will be held in tourist inn "Enkhaluk" located on the Baikal Lake shore.

Hotel cost (including meals):

1 place in Double Room 70EUR

Cost of Hotel "Buryatia" in Ulan-Ude (stay during excursion time) (including breakfast):

Single Room 50-65EUR; Double Room 45-115EUR

### Travel:

Ulan-Ude is International Airport, there are flights: Moscow-Ulan-Ude, Beijing-Ulan-Ude, Ulaan-Baatar-Ulan-Ude, it is expected flights from Japan, Thailand

### Important Dates:

March 31, 2013

Early bird registration

May 31, 2013

Submission of abstract deadline

June 30, 2013

Notifications of selection of Abstracts for Oral Presentations

July 15, 2013

End of discounted registration period

August 15, 2013  
September 09, 2013

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arrival of participants and their registration

Deadline for submission of full papers for session special issues to be announced at the Meeting

### Visa information

All visitors need a visa. You must obtain this before arriving to Russia.

You can apply for visa to Russian Consulate in your country. For a Conference visa you need an invitation letter. To obtain permission for invitation letter to you we need Copy of your passport, home address, working address and your current position, the latter needs to fill our application to office of Buryat Republic. It is need to put exact time of Arrival and Departure don't create later problems to prolong visiting time in Ulan-Ude, it takes a lot time and efforts.

To obtain permission for the invitation letter takes approximately 3 weeks. This original invitation letter has to be sent to You by post mail, which takes a lot time, not less than one months. To be in safe side we ask you to send us these mentioned above informations not later than **June 5, 2013**. Your passport must be valid for more than six months.

The working LANGUAGE is ENGLISH

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### **Abstracts:**

TITLE OF PRESENTATION (Time New Roman, Bold, capitals Centered, 12)

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Please submit your abstract digitally to the Organizing Committee not later than May 31, 2013.

Attachment, MS Word compatible .doc, .rtf; one page in Format A4, figures, references included (if necessary). Time New Roman 12, single-spaced, 1cm indentation, 2,5cm all fields. Figures and tables are designed in brackets, indicate references – in square brackets. Figures captions will be set below figures (TNR, 12). References are given in alphabetical order (TNR, 12) and separated from the text by 1 line.

## REGISTRATION FORM

*To be filled and submitted to the Organizing Committee by March 31, 2013*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Scientific degree: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address for correspondence: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Presentation: \_\_\_\_\_

Author(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Type of presentation: oral \_\_\_\_\_ poster \_\_\_\_\_

Form of participation: participant \_\_\_\_\_ accompanying person \_\_\_\_\_

Hotel: Single Room \_\_\_\_\_ Double Room \_\_\_\_\_ 1 place in Double Room \_\_\_\_\_