II All-Russian Conference with the international participation, dedicated to the memory of Doctor of Biological Sciences, Professor, Honored Scientist of the Russian Federation Leonid Vladimirovich Bardunov (1932-2008).

“Problems of studying and preserving the plant world of Eurasia”

INFORMATION CIRCULAR №2

September 11-15, 2017
Irkutsk, Kyren
Dear colleagues!

As it was announced earlier, the II\textsuperscript{nd} Russian Conference with the international participation “Problems of studying and preserving the plant world of Eurasia”, dedicated to the memory of Doctor of Biological Sciences, Professor, Honored Scientist of the Russian Federation Leonid Vladimirovich Bardunov (1932-2008) will be held on September 11-15, 2017, starting in the city of Irkutsk and further continuing in Kyren, a township in the Republic of Buryatia closed to the foothills of Eastern Sayan Mountains in the territory of the Tunkinsky National Park.

For the conference site please visit: http://conf.sifibr.irk.ru

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Main topics to be discussed at the conference:

- Scientific heritage of L.V. Bardunov, his contribution to the study of higher plants flora;
- Problems of vascular plants studying: theory and practice of floral researches; taxonomy, systematics and phylogeny of plants;
- Issues of studying cryptogamous biota;
- Diversity, structure, dynamics of plant communities;
- Anthropogenic disturbances of the plant world and strategies for conservation of flora and vegetation;
- Software and information technologies for studying and preserving biodiversity, databases;
- Plants resistance to damaging influences; ecological and physiological aspects.

Nota Bene! After the deadline for registration, some applications still had being arrived, as well as requests to participate in the Conference had been received. Therefore, the Organizing Committee decided to extend the registration until June, 30. Those wishing to participate in the conference, please send the fulfilled application form by e-mail to the Organizing Committee: conference.sifibr2017@gmail.com

Please inform the Conference Organizing Committee, if you need an official invitation to participate in the Conference

Conference languages: Russian, English.

DEADLINES
The application form should be received by the Conference Organizing Committee by June 30, 2017.
The deadline for submitting short papers is June 30, 2017.
The 3rd Information Circular and the Conference Program would be distributed by the August 20, 2017.
The conference will be held on September 11-15, 2017.

CONFERENCE FEES:
The standard fee for foreign participants – 60 Euro per person,
The fee for foreign accompanying persons – 30 Euro per person,
The fee for students and post-graduate students – 50 Euro per person.
All fees from foreign participants would be accepted by cash during the registration at the Conference. The payment receipt of the Conference Fee is not issued. The Organizers will not cover any expenses, as to transportation, accommodation, meals, etc.; please try to find any funding agencies or expenses should be covered by yourself.

**ORAL PRESENTATIONS**

- the duration of plenary presentations - 30 min., including questions;
- the duration of regular presentations - 20 min., including questions;

**POSTER PRESENTATIONS**

- for poster presentations a separate section will be proposed, where the authors will have an opportunity to present briefly the main idea of the presentation and answer the questions. Poster presentations will have being posted from the beginning of the conference and for the whole duration of the Conference. The size of the poster sheet should not exceed 1189 x 841 mm (44 x 34"). During the presentation speakers will be provided with a laptop and a multimedia projector. If any other technical means are required, please contact the Conference Organizing Committee in advance.

**CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS**

In order to be published in the Conference Proceedings Book, please submit your brief paper not later than **June 30, 2017** by e-mail: conference.sifibr2017@gmail.com. Guidelines for the paper submission have been announced in the 1st Information Circular.

The Conference Proceedings will have been published in a separate collection by the beginning of the Conference and will have been indexed in the RSCI database.

*The Conference Organizing Committee reserves the right to edit or reject materials that do not correspond to the topics of the conference.*

In addition to the scientific program, a picnic on the shore of Lake Baikal, as well as the post-conference field excursions are planned:
- visiting Khongor-Uul ferruginous mineralized cold-water springs in the Kharagun river valley located in a foothill part of the Gurbi-Daban ridge, bordering the Tunkinskaya intermountain depression at the south;
The road from Kyren town to the Mondy village along the Irkut River valley.

- a bus tour to the alpine Lake of Il’chirh, which is the headspring of the Irkut River, and located near the upper timberline. The road will cross some highlands of the Eastern Sayan mountains (the route: Kyren town – Mondy village – the White Irkut River – Lake Il’chirh; and back);
A highland Lake Ilchir

- a hiking tour to the Tunkinskiy Mountain Ridge on lake Khobokskoye.

The participants of the field excursions should be equipped with raincoats, clothes for cold weather, and outdoor footwear or hiking boots.

TRANSPORTATION: You may organize your itinerary by checking schedules in the airport of the Irkutsk city, the railway station of the Irkutsk city, and the bus station on the following websites:

Air service: http://www.iktport.ru
Railway: http://irkutsk-passazirskiy.dzvr.ru
Motor transport: https://avtovokzal-on-line.ru

ACCOMMODATION
If you would like to stay in the Irkutsk city before or after the Conference, the Internet resources http://www.booking.com, http://komandirovka.ru, will help you to choose the accommodation options. The Academic Hotel (http://academichotel.ru) operates at the Irkutsk Scientific Center. You can get acquainted with the accommodation and room
reservations conditions on the hotel website or you can directly contact the hotel administration by tel. +7 (3952) 42-78-72, e-mail: academhotel271@gmail.com.

Accommodation **in the Tunkinsky National Park**
Several accommodation options are offered:

1) **Hotel "Tunka-350" (the township of Kyren).**
For details on accommodation, costs, and travelling, please visit the hotel website [https://www.booking.com/hotel/ru/tunka-350.ru.html](https://www.booking.com/hotel/ru/tunka-350.ru.html)
There are double and single rooms in the hotel. Each room has a shower, refrigerator, toilet, microwave oven. Cafe, restaurant or any meal in the hotel is not provided, however the appliances for self-cooking are available.
It is necessary to reserve rooms in one or two weeks in advance; for reservation 20% prepayment from the room cost is charged for reservation (further included in the cost per room).

2) **Hotel Krasnaya Polyana (Pearl)** ([http://family-hotel.ru](http://family-hotel.ru)).
The hotel is located in the Zhemchug village, in 15-20 min. driving to the township of Kyren by car/bus.
On the cost of accommodation, phone numbers, travelling, and more information, please visit the hotel website.
The online room reservation is available.

3) **Guest house Mungen-Serge** ([http://mungenserge.ru/zhemchug/](http://mungenserge.ru/zhemchug/))
The guest house is located in the village Zhemchug.
Rooms with economy and luxury class are available. The minimum cost of accommodation is 1500 Rubles. Breakfast is provided.
The online room reservation is available.

**Important!** Hotel Krasnaya Polyana (Pearl) and Guest House Mungen-Serge are located in the village Zhemchug. To get to Kyren you will spend not less than 15-20 minutes of car/bus services.

**Other accommodation options** can be found on the websites [http://www.booking.com](http://www.booking.com), [http://komandirovka.ru](http://komandirovka.ru), etc.

Don’t hesitate to ask when any question will arise, especially in order to arrange your accommodation.

The final information on accommodation options and current prices will be sent out in the third information letter.

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The Organizing Committee will be grateful for the distribution of this letter among the persons concerned.

Looking forward we will be glad to meet you at the Conference!