



Dokuchaev Central Soil Science Museum –  
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ANO Preservation and development of Dokuchaev scientific heritage "Soil – life"  
Interregional CSO "Nature protection union"  
Dokuchaev Society of Soil Science  
Universität Hamburg

## Informational letter № 1



# INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE XXV DOCUCHAEV CONFERENCE FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS

«Soil is life»

devoted to the 25th anniversary  
of the Dokuchaev Conference for Young Scientists  
and the International Decade of Soils

1–3 March, 2022  
Saint-Petersburg, Russia

The organizing committee of the International Scientific Conference “XXV Dokuchaev Conference for Young Scientists” «*Soil is life*» invites you to take part in the conference which will take place on March 1–3, 2022 in St. Petersburg.

**Topics of the conference:**

1. Soil degradation and recultivation
2. Soil ecosystem services
3. Soil conservation farming
4. Healthy soil – healthy nation
5. Popularization of soil science
6. School session: «Soil and ecosystems»

Participants of the conference can be students, Ph.D. students and young scientists under 35 years old.

A recommendation of a supervisor is necessary for students and Ph.D. students. A co-authorship with the supervisor is strictly not allowed. The number of authors should not exceed 5.

**Languages of conference:** Russian, English

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\*Please write (do not call) in WhatsApp or Viber and do not forget to introduce yourself when sending the first message

To participate in the conference as a speaker, fill out an **application for participation before December 25, 2021** on the conference website in the section "Participate" <http://www.dokuchaevskie.ru/participate?lang=en>.

Participants can indicate their wishes for the selection of the section, but the final distribution of participants by sections will be carried out by the organizing committee. The program of the conference will be specified after the end of the abstract submission and sent to the registered participants.

**Abstracts** should be uploaded to via the form located at the link <http://www.dokuchaevskie.ru/abstract-submission?lang=en> before **December 25, 2021**. Together with the submission of abstracts, you must upload the License agreement to the publication of abstracts, drawn up according to the presented example in the abstract submission form. Agreement must be printed, signed, scanned and downloaded in jpeg or pdf format. To upload abstracts, you will need to create a Google account if you do not have one. To do this, click the link <https://accounts.google.com/?hl=en>.

The file with the abstract should be named by the first author last name. The file with the License agreement should be named «last name\_agreement».

**Registration fee.** A registration fee is 30\$ (early registration – before February 1, 2022) or 50\$ (late registration – after February 1, 2022)

**The method of payment will be indicated in the informational letter № 2**

The registration fee includes: publication of the program and the abstract book.

**Information** about the acceptance of abstracts will be indicated in the informational letter № 2. The organizing committee has the right to select materials according to the topic of the conference.

**Publication.** All submitted and accepted abstracts will be published by the beginning of conference in the abstract book. The organizing committee reserves the right to make changes to the abstracts or send them for revision. The best papers will be published in a book "Materials for the study of Russian soils".

More information about The Conference is available at: <http://www.dokuchaevskie.ru>

Participation in our conference will provide an opportunity to speak with results of your research in front of the scientific community, to improve the communication with the audience before defending a thesis, to get acquainted and to exchange experience with young scientists from different countries and cities of Russia.

**Please, distribute this information among interested experts.**

**Paper requirements:**

Papers should not be more than 2 pages long. Page size A5, the size of type is 12 pt, interval between lines is single, MS Office Word format (doc, docx), margins of page are 2 cm. It is permissible to use graphs, diagrams, tables, illustrative material in black and white. The use of contrasting well-distinguishable hatching is allowed. The use of photographs is not allowed.

The *first line* is a title of paper (center alignment), *the second* – authors (center alignment), *the third* – country, city and university (center alignment), *the fourth* – e-mail (center alignment). Dear participants! Please write your working e-mail in the abstract.

The text of the abstracts is separated by one line and begins with an indent of 1 cm (width alignment)

Last line – full name, academic degree, post of supervisor

**Attention please! The text of the abstracts should be designed in accordance with the specified requirements and a sample.**

**Abstract example**

SOIL ORGANIC MATTER CHARACTERISTICS  
OF URBANOZEMS IN ST. PETERSBURG  
P.P. Petrov  
Russia, Saint-Petersburg State University  
petrov@mail.bio.pu.ru

Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation. Humus and soil formation.

The paper is recommended by Doctor, professor I.I. Ivanov.

Organizing committee of the XXIV Docuchaev conference for young scientists  
«Soil Science in a Digital Society»  
December 8, 2021