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CIOSTA, CIGR, Saint-Petersburg State Agrarian University, North-West Research Institute of Agricultural Engineering and Electrification, Saint-Petersburg State Forestry University **would like to invite you** to XXXVI CIOSTA & CIGR Section V Conference in St. Petersburg, Russia.

The conference provides a forum to present and exchange ideas and to promote research, development and application of efficient and safe technology and management in production processes of agriculture and forestry.

CIOSTA emphasizes a holistic approach to designing and improving sustainable systems in agriculture and forestry and fosters cooperation among scientists, technicians, advisers and agricultural producers throughout the world.

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**26 – 28 May 2015
St. Petersburg, Russia**

Announcement
**XXXVI CIOSTA
CIGR V Conference**
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- Saint-Petersburg State Agrarian University
- North-West Research Institute of Agricultural Engineering and Electrification
- Saint-Petersburg State Forest Technical University

Conference Programme

The scientific programme includes plenary sessions, oral presentations and poster sessions. Technical tours will also be organized.

Topics

- Labour, ergonomics, safety and health
- IT-based farm and forestry management
- Environmental impact of technologies, machines and equipment for production and processing of farm crops and livestock products
- Energy-saving agricultural technologies with the use of renewable energy-sources
- Farm waste management and recycling technologies
- Innovative technology for sustainable rural development
- Organic farming
- Organization of field experiments
- Sustainable small-scale agricultural production
- Forestry in XXI century
- Agrarian education and retraining: new challenges
- Open topics

Language

Conference languages will be English and Russian, with the simultaneous translation being provided during the sessions.

Abstracts and paper submission, conference proceedings

Abstracts are accepted in English and should be submitted online at the Conference website www.ciosta2015.org Abstracts shall be published in Conference Proceedings.

Full papers for Conference Proceedings and poster sessions are accepted in English and Russian and should be submitted online at the Conference website www.ciosta2015.org Full papers shall be available on CD-ROM.

The Guidelines for Authors can be found at the Conference website www.ciosta2015.org.

Important Deadlines

Submission of abstracts	1 October, 2014
Notification of acceptance	30 November, 2014
Submission of full papers	1 February, 2015
Early-bird registration	1 February, 2015
Late registration	23 April, 2015
Final programme	2 April, 2015

Conference Fees

	Early-bird registration	Late registration
Normal	EUR 450	EUR 500
Developing Countries	EUR 200	EUR 250
PhD Students	EUR 140	EUR 190
Students	EUR 100	EUR 120
Accompanying person	EUR 130	EUR 150
Technical tour	EUR 80	EUR 80
Conference dinner	EUR 60	EUR 60

Registration fee includes Welcome buffet on 26 May, 2015, attendance to scientific sessions, coffee breaks, simultaneous translation, conference proceedings, lunches on 26 and 27 May, 2015.

Registration fee for accompanying person(s) include Welcome buffet on 26 May, 2015, and half-day City Tour Technical Tour includes professional visit, lunch, and guided sightseeing tour.

Accommodation

The details on accommodation options will be found on the Conference website at ciosta2015.org.



Location: Saint-Petersburg, Russia

Saint-Petersburg is Russia's second largest city with a population of more than 5 million, often referred to as the cultural capital of the country. It is famous for magnificent sights, opera and ballet festivals “Stars of the White Nights” at Mariinsky Theatre and a very special charm. This is a magical city, with a long list of major attractions – the Hermitage, Peter and Paul Fortress, St. Isaac's Cathedral, the Bronze Horseman, the Russian Museum, out-of-town imperial estates Peterhof, Tsarskoje Selo, Pavlovsk with beautiful palaces and nice parks. You have the choice of numerous theatres, museums, music and dance festivals. National cuisine as well as European cuisine is offered in beautiful settings. Shopping centers on the Nevskiy Prospect and adjacent streets offer shawls, wooden dolls, lacquer Palekh boxes, objects made of amber or semi-precious stones, luxury goods of Imperial Porcelain.

