



International Symposium

LARGE IGNEOUS PROVINCES OF ASIA, MANTLE PLUMES AND METALLOGENY

Organized by
Institute of the Earth's crust, Siberian Branch
of Russian Academy of Sciences (IEC SB RAS)
20 - 28 August 2011, Irkutsk, Russia

First circular

The conference is focused on the following topics:

1. *An origin, age, and duration of the activity of large igneous provinces (LIPs) of Asia;*
2. *Modeling of processes responsible for the creation and development of mantle plumes, mantle-crust interaction and plume-related ore-magmatic systems;*
3. *Tectonic, petrological and geochemical aspects controlling the location and activity of local magmatic complexes within large igneous provinces of Asia;*
4. *Granite LIPs and their role in global geodynamics;*
5. *Role of LIPs in world-wide tectonic correlations;*
6. *Metallogenic specialization of LIPs and the role of mantle plumes in the formation of unique mineral deposits of Asia;*
7. *Possible links between the largest magmatic events, natural disasters and global climate changes*

Program of the Conference:

- 20 August:** Accommodation in Irkutsk, Registration, Ice Breaker Party
21 August: Opening ceremony, thematic sessions
22 August: Thematic sessions, cultural event.
23 August: Thematic sessions, general discussions, banquet.
24 – 28 August: field trip «LIPs of the Baikal area»

Field Trip

24 - 28 August field trip «LIP of the Baikal area»
The itinerary covers a total of 1500 km.
Preliminary cost 480 EUR. 20 participants as maximum.
Field trip leaders: D.P. Gladkochub, T.V. Donskaya, A.A. Tsigankov

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Conference publications will include:

1. Conference Program and Proceedings Volume containing the Extended Abstracts (in English)
2. Field Excursion Guidebook (in English)
3. Special issue of "Russian Geology and Geophysics"
4. Special issue of "Asian Journal of Earth's sciences"

General Information

Conference Languages: The official language of the conference is English. All posters are to be prepared in English. We encourage the Russian participants to present their talks in English. Those participants who are not comfortable with this are kindly advised to arrange for interpretation through their bilingual colleagues (own preliminary agreement required) or to consider participation in a poster session.

Climate: The conference period is characterized by moderate (20-35 C) temperatures with moderate precipitation.

Travel: The airport Irkutsk (www.iktport.ru) is the center of passenger and cargo transport in Eastern Siberia. The airport offers direct connections with over 60 cities in Russia, CIS and abroad. The airport is linked to the city by public transport and taxis.

Please inform us about your arrival in advance and we will pick you up at the airport (cost is about 15 EUR)
The Organizing Committee recommends don't use the services of private drivers.

Russian railways (<http://www.eng.rzd.ru>) Long-distance trains run from Europe to Irkutsk (via Moscow). There are also direct trains from Beijing, Ulan Bator, Ukraine, Kazakhstan and other places.

Visa: Most foreign participants will be required to obtain a visa to enter Russia, which may take you some time. Please check your visa requirements with the Consulate General of Russia in your home country. A formal letter of invitation is a likely prerequisite for visa application, and if this is the case, such a letter will be sent upon your request soon after you let us know.

Irkutsk is one of the oldest cities in Russian Siberia (established at 1661) and is large cultural, scientific and tourist center beyond the Urals. More information about Irkutsk can be found at www.irk.ru and <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Irkutsk>

Accommodation: Rooms in Hotel "Akademicheskaya" are available at various rates and degrees of comfort within a 10 minute walking distance from the conference site in Academgorodok. Room prices are in range 60-180 Euros. Accommodation should be reserved through the Organizing Committee.

Insurance liability Participants should note that emergency medical costs are not covered by the registration fee.

Conference will be held at the Institute of the Earth's crust SB RAS

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Key Dates

1 January 2011 – Start of registration

15 May 2011 - Registration deadline

15 May 2011 - Excursions registered deadline

15 May 2011 - Abstract deadline

All abstracts should be submitted in English (up to 2 pages, font Times New Roman 12, single space, all margins 2.5 cm, in MS Word format, figures should be sent in separate file) by May 15, 2011.

Registration Fees

Registration fees of €150 for conference participants, €100 for accompanying persons, and €50 for students allow attendance at the sessions, ice-breaking party & banquet. Final excursion fees and methods of payment will be indicated in the Second Circular (May 2011).

Registration

For registration, please provide Organizing Committee with the Registration Form (see below) by e-mail (before May 15, 2011)

REGISTRATION FORM

First Name _____

Last Name _____

Title: _____

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Provisional title of my talk/poster _____

Accompanying person(s) _____

I consider to participate in the field excursion _____

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