

Call for Participation

We invite you to the International Conference “Electronic Governance and Open Society: Challenges in Eurasia” (EGOSE 2014), 18-20 November 2014, St. Petersburg.

The **EGOSE 2014** aims to address the main issues of concern within the Information Society, e-government, e-governance, and e-democracy. The Conference provides a platform for networking and collaboration of eGovernance experts in CIS Countries and whole Eurasian area.

The EGOSE 2014 will be held as part of the Joint Conference «**Internet and Modern Society**» (IMS) which takes place in St. Petersburg annually since 1998.

The **EGOSE 2014** Conference invites **paper submissions** and **speakers** on all topics related to **e-Governance Open Society perspective** with special focus on common and specific problems of the **CIS countries and the Eurasian region**.

Topics of interest will include but are not limited to the following:

- Information Society and eGovernance
- Open Government Prospects
- Participatory Governance
- Open Government Data
- eGovernance and Policy Modelling
- eGovernance and Eurasian Integration
- Social Media: Tools for analysis and impact
- Building Smart City

Among the **key speakers** at the conference are expected:

- Sharon Dawes, University at Albany, SUNY, USA
- Ralph Heinrich, United Nations Economic Commission for Europe (UNECE)
- Douglas Schuler, Evergreen State College, USA
- Maria Wimmer, University Koblenz-Landau, Germany

All accepted papers will appear in the conference proceedings. **Best papers** will be published in the special issue of the **International Journal of Electronic Governance**, indexed in Scopus, Inspec, Google Scholar etc. <http://www.inderscience.com/ijeg>.

English is the language of the EGOSE 2014 conference and of all submissions.

St. Petersburg is one of the world's most beautiful cities has all the ingredients for an unforgettable travel experience: high art, lavish architecture, an extraordinary history and rich cultural and scientific traditions.

St. Petersburg can be easily reached via Pulkovo international airport (LED)

ORGANISERS

- ITMO University, E-Government Center
- E-Development Partnership in the North-West of Russia

CONFERENCE CO-CHAIRS

- Sharon DAWES, University at Albany, SUNY, USA
- Dmitrii TRUTNEV, ITMO University, Russia
- Maria WIMMER, University Koblenz-Landau, Germany

IMPORTANT DATES

- Submission Deadline: **October 10, 2014**
- Notification of acceptance: **October 15**
- Final paper submission: **October 30**
- Author Registration Deadline: **October 30**
- Early Registration Deadline: **October 30**
- Registration due: **November 15**
- Conference: **November 18-20, 2014**

SUBMISSIONS & PARTICIPATION

Please refer to Conference Website: <http://egov-conf.ifmo.ru/>

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