



Russian Summer School on Institutional Analysis (RSSIA 2014)

Moscow region, June 28 - July 4, 2014

Call for papers deadline: March, 20, 2014

The Center for Institutional Studies, National Research University Higher School of Economics (CInSt, HSE), announces the call for papers for the annual Russian Summer School on Institutional Analysis 2014. The Summer School is aimed at creating and supporting the academic network of young researchers from all regions of Russia as well as other countries, who work in the field of New Institutional Economics. The schedule of the Summer School includes lectures, seminars and plenty of possibilities for discussion and communication. We focus on recent developments in NIE and possibilities and challenges of applied research in the institutional economics framework.

Participation

Researchers, teaching staff, PhD and master students are welcome to participate in RSSIA. Priority in the selection will be given to research projects that are related to the following fields:

- Economics of public sector, bureaucracy, and procurement
- Economics of education
- Banks and financial markets
- Industrial organization, government regulation, and law enforcement
- Property rights, institutions and economic development

The working language of the Summer School is English.

As a RSSIA participant you will have the opportunity:

- To attend the lectures of distinguished experts in various spheres of institutional economics and adjoining disciplines: **John Nye** (*George Mason University*), **Sebastian Galiani** (*University of Maryland*), **Marian Moszoro** (*IESE Business School, Barcelona*), **Michael Waterson** (*University of Warwick*) have already confirmed their participation as RSSIA faculty this year!
- To present and discuss your current research during seminars.
- To exchange the research experience with other RSSIA participants and faculty members.
- And consequently to improve significantly your research!

Application

Participants are selected on the basis of their applications. Applications should be submitted via application form at the web-site <http://rssia.hse.ru>. An application includes:

- Registration form (should be filled in at the web-site);
- Motivation letter (no longer than **300** words);
- Current research project description (no longer than **1500** words + references) with a short abstract (no longer than **200** words).

Current research project description should be in English (MS Word, Times New Roman, size 12, space 1.5, standard margins) and must include the following parts, titled and clearly separated in the text:

- Project title, author(s) name(s), email(s), affiliation(s)
- Introduction
- Aim of the project;
- Hypotheses and methodology;
- Results;
- References.

There is no registration fee. Organizers cover participants' accommodation and meals costs. However participants will have to cover their travel and visa costs.

More details about RSSIA and application procedure may be found at the web-site <http://rssia.hse.ru>. Any questions are welcome!

Important dates:

Application deadline	March, 20, 2014
Communication of Acceptance	April, 15, 2014
Arrival to RSSIA	June, 28, 2014
Departure from RSSIA	July, 4, 2014

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