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International Conference
**“Russia and China: A New Partnership
in a Changing World”**

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08:30-09:30 **Registration**

09:30-10:00 **Opening**

IVANOV Igor, President of the Russian International Affairs Council (RIAC), Minister of Foreign Affairs of Russia (1998–2004), Corresponding Member of the Russian Academy of Sciences (RAS)

TITOV Boris, Chairman of the Russian chapter of the Russian-Chinese Committee of Friendship, Peace and Development, Presidential Commissioner for Entrepreneurs’ Rights, Member of RIAC

LI Hui, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of China to Russia

10:00-11:30 **Session 1. Russia-China: Relationship Model**

- *Benchmarks for strategic cooperation and a comprehensive Russian-Chinese partnership*
- *The potential for Russian-Chinese cooperation in trade, economics, advanced technology, and military and technical issues*
- *Science, education, and culture as prospective areas of bilateral cooperation*
- *Chinese participation in Siberian and Russian Far Eastern development projects*

Moderator:

BRILYOV Sergey, Deputy Director of *Rossiya VGTRK* TV Channel; Director and Anchor of *Vesti v Subbotu (News on Saturday)*, a news program, Member of RIAC

Speakers:

MORGULOV Igor, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Russia

LUZYANIN Sergey, Acting Director of the Institute of Far Eastern Studies of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Professor of the Moscow State Institute of International Relations (University) of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Russia

LI Yongquan, Director of the Institute of Russian, Eastern European & Central Asian Studies, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS)

LIKHACHEV Vasily, Coordinator of the Deputy Group for Relations with the National People's Congress of the People's Republic of China, Member of Russian State Duma Committee on CIS Affairs, Eurasian Integration and Relations with Compatriots

SHEREIKIN Maxim, Deputy Minister for the Development of the Russian Far East

YAN Xuotong, Dean of the Institute of Modern International Relations, Tsinghua University

KOSACHEV Konstantin, Chairman of the Federation Council Committee on Foreign Affairs, Member of RIAC

Discussion

11:30-12:00 **Coffee break**

12:00-13:30 **Session 2. The Role of Multilateral Institutions in Shaping the Modern World Order**

- *Multilateral cooperation in solving security problems in North-East Asia*
- *The agenda of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) and its role in international relations in Central and South Asia*
- *The BRICS agenda and global challenges*

Moderator:

OGANESYAN Armen, Editor-in-Chief of the *International Affairs* journal, Member of RIAC

Speakers:

KORTUNOV Andrey, Director General of the Russian International Affairs Council (RIAC)

KLEPACH Andrey, Deputy Chairman of Vnesheconombank (Chief economist – member of the Board), Member of RIAC

IMANDOSOV Sabyr, Deputy Secretary-General of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO)

SHI Zhiqin, Communist Party Committee Secretary at the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Dean of the Department of International Relations, Tsinghua University

KOKSHAROV Viktor, Rector of the Urals Federal University named after the First President of Russia B. N. Yeltsyn, Member of RIAC

LARIN Victor, Director of the Institute of History, Archaeology and Ethnography of the Far Eastern Peoples of the Russian Academy of Sciences (Far Eastern Branch)

FENG Yujun, Director of the Institute of Russian Studies, China Institutes of Contemporary International Relations

KADOCHNIKOV Pavel, Vice Rector of the Russian Foreign Trade Academy, Member of RIAC

Discussion

13:30-14:30 **Lunch**

14:30-16:00 **Session 3. Infrastructure and Economic Initiatives in Eurasia**

- *The prospects for Russian-Chinese Eurasian cooperation*
- *The Eurasian Economic Union (EEU) and the Silk Road Economic Belt project: the prospects of harmonizing Russian and Chinese interests*
- *The opportunities for implementing joint infrastructure projects in North-East Asia*

Moderator:

ABOV Evgeny, Deputy CEO of the International Projects at Rossiyskaya Gazeta Publishing House, Director of *Russia Beyond the Headlines*

Speakers:

TSYDENOV Alexey, Deputy Minister of Transport of Russia

KUZOVKOV Konstantin, Member of the Executive Board, Vice-President for Investments and Development of Fesco Transportation Group

ZHAO Huasheng, Director of the Center for Russia and Central Asia Studies at Fudan University

IVASHENTSOV Gleb, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Russia, Member of RIAC

KARAGANOV Sergei, Dean of the Faculty of World Economy and International Affairs at the National Research University “Higher School of Economics”, Honorary Chairman of the Presidium of the Council on Foreign and Defence Policy, Member of RIAC

XU Poling, Executive Director of the Research Centre for the Economies and Politics of Transitional Countries at Liaoning University

SULTANOV Ernest, Director of the Department of International Relations And Communications of JSC High-speed Rail Lines – Russian Railways

YACHEISTOVA Natalia, Deputy Director of the Department of Trade Policy of the Eurasian Economic Commission

Discussion

16:00-16:30 **Coffee break**

16:30-18:30 **Session 4. Russian and Chinese Contributions to the Formation of Sustainable Regional Energy Cooperation**

- *Intensifying and expanding the Russian-Chinese strategic partnership in electric power*
- *Prospects for bilateral and multilateral energy projects with the Russian and Chinese participation*
- *Developing prospective hydrocarbon supply routes with a view to enhancing energy security in the region*

Moderator:

LUKYANOV Fyodor, Editor-in-Chief of the *Russia in Global Affairs* journal, Member of RIAC

Speakers:

YANOVSKY Anatoly, Deputy Minister of Energy of Russia

SHMAL Genady, President of the Union of Oil & Gas Producers of Russia

BERDNIKOV Roman, Member of the Management Board of Rosseti, First Deputy CEO for Technical Policy at Rosseti, Member of RIAC

MARGELOV Mikhail, Vice-President for International Affairs and Public Relations of Transneft, Member of RIAC

MASTEPANOV Alexey, Head of Analytical Centre for Energy and Security Policy, RAS Institute for Oil and Gas Problems

WU Dahui, Director of the Center for Eurasia Strategy Studies at Tsinghua University

SIMONOV Konstantin, Director General of the National Energy Security Fund, First Vice-Rector for External Communications of Financial University at the Government of the Russian Federation

SHI Ze, Director of the Center for Eurasian Security and Development at the China Institute of International Studies

KUCHINOV Vladimir, Advisor to CEO at Rosatom

Discussion

18:30-20:00 **Cocktail reception**