



## **FIRST CIRCULAR**

**Institute of Economics of Karelian Research Centre  
of Russian Academy of Sciences  
Invites you to take part in the  
International Conference  
«The perspectives of socio-economic development of border regions»**

**Petrozavodsk  
June 10, 2015**

The conference offers the opportunities to discuss the following issues:

- Priorities and problems of border regions in the new geopolitical conditions and an escalation of international tension;
- The economic security of border regions;
- Social and economic differentiation of border regions;
- New institutions of economic cooperation between border regions;
- Features of regional policy in relation of border regions;
- Import substitution as a factor of development of border regions;
- Cross-border cooperation and modernization of the economy;
- Investment climate and foreign investment in border regions;
- Migration in border regions;
- The practice of cross-border cooperation at the municipal level.

### **Registration deadline is June 1th, 2015.**

Personal participation is acceptable only.

The Organizing Committee will recommend reports for publication in the scientific journal "Proceedings of the Karelian Research Center of the Russian Academy of Sciences. Region: Economics and Management Series".

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