

## CIRCULAR

Dear friends, colleagues,

Forest Research Institute of the Karelian Research Centre RAS, Institute of Forest Science RAS, and RAS Scientific Council on Forest plan to organize the jubilee 10<sup>th</sup> international conference “Problems of Forest Phytopathology and Mycology” on October 15 to 19, 2018 at the premises of the Forest Research Institute of the Karelian Research Centre RAS, Petrozavodsk. We invite you to take part in our conference.

Provisional themes for discussion are:

1. Taxonomy, biology and ecology of species and complexes of fungi and lichens.
2. Structure and functions of the fungal and lichen biota in forest communities.
3. Role of fungi in destruction processes and the formation of the structure of forests.
4. Distribution patterns of fungi and lichens in forests and non-forest areas and sites of various geneses and human uses.
5. Epiphytotic conditions and invasions of fungi, and solutions for restraining their harmfulness.
6. Silvicultural, chemical and biological methods for controlling the emergence and massive spreading of pathogenic fungi.
7. Timber protection against destruction by fungi.
8. Edible and medicinal fungal resources of forests.

Dear colleagues, to submit an application for the conference funding to the Russian Foundation for Basic Research the organizing committee needs to know the number of participants from various regions and institutions of Russia and abroad. To collect these data we ask those interested in participating to submit the registration form before the end of year 2017.

Conference proceedings and the next volume of the collective monograph “Fungal Communities of Forest Ecosystems” (Vol. 5) will be published by the conference opening.

With this preliminary circular the organizing committee announces the possibility to submit registration forms and materials in advance at the following e-mail addresses: [forestcf@krc.karelia.ru](mailto:forestcf@krc.karelia.ru) (Anna Ruokolainen) and [lesoved@mail.ru](mailto:lesoved@mail.ru) (Vladimir Storozhenko).

### Submission format requirements

Papers 4 pages maximum are to be prepared in MS Word. Paper title is in uppercase letters, names of authors, affiliations, e-mail are in lowercase, center aligned. Names of authors are separated by one blank line both above and below. List of references has no caption, and is separated from body text by one blank line.

Page format is **A4** with **25 mm** margins on each side. The document should be saved as **Word 2003** file. Font **TimesNewRoman, 12-point**. **Single** line spacing. First line **1 cm** indented. No word breaks. Full justification.

### REGISTRATION FORM

for the 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference “Problems of Phytopathology and Mycology”, Petrozavodsk, October 15-19, 2018

1.	Last name:
2.	First name:
3.	Middle name:
4.	Scientific degree, title:
5.	Affiliation:
6.	Office address:
7.	Preferred means of communication (phone, fax, e-mail):
8.	Presentation thematic area (№):
9.	Presentation title:
10.	Presentation format (oral, poster):
11.	Ref. numbers and titles of RFBR projects providing support to the submitted papers and materials:
12.	Need help with hotel booking:

**It would be highly appreciated if you could disseminate this circular among your colleagues!**