

## REGISTRATION

Numbers are limited and early registration is strongly advised. Registration will become effective when the registration form and the full conference fee have been received and acknowledged by the registration officer. The conference fee covers registration, accommodation, meals, participation in all conference activities, excursion, conference dinner and entitles the participant to receive summaries of all conference papers.

Early conference fee (before 1 June 2007)	single room €395 double room €305
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Late conference fee (after 1 June 2007)	single room €435 double room €345
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A limited number of scholarships will be provided – mainly for speakers from Eastern European countries. Should you cancel your registration before 1 August, €30 will be deducted and the remainder of your conference fee will be refunded. No refund is possible after 1 August. Payment of registration fees may be made by bank transfer or by check in US\$, EURO or UK pounds. Please write to the registration officer for advice.

All registration forms must be sent to the registration officer:

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Invitation and Call for Papers

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

## **PHILOSOPHICAL HERITAGE OF SEMION FRANK IN THE CONTEXT OF EUROPEAN CULTURE**

19-23 September 2007

Moscow

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## THEME OF THE CONFERENCE

In 2003-2006, St. Andrew's Biblical Theological Institute (Moscow) in cooperation with Ostkirchliches Institut (Regensburg) and with the support of the Catholic Committee for Cultural Collaboration (Rome) has organized a number of conferences on the problem of unity of European culture as this was reflected in works of the Russian Silver Age philosophers (Vladimir Soloviev, Sergey Bulgakov, Pavel Florensky and Nikolai Berdiaev). Our next conference is dedicated to another leading representative of Russian religious philosophy Semion Frank (1877-1950), whose thinking was at the same time deeply rooted in the Western philosophical tradition.

The Conference will take place in Moscow from Wednesday, 19 September to Sunday, 23 September 2007. Leading theologians, philosophers, and other specialists who made important contributions into scholarship of Russian and Western religious philosophy are invited. In the course of the Conference, the following questions will be addressed.

- Foundations of religious humanism: Frank's ideas in the context of 20th century.
- Experience of philosophical cognition of God: rational intuition of the suprarational.
- S. Frank and M. Heidegger: similarities and differences.
- S. Frank and modern theological-philosophical thought in the West and in Russia.
- Frank's philosophy of culture and modernity.
- S. Frank, K. Barth, M. Buber: an ongoing dialogue.
- Intelligentsia and intellectuals: the echo of "Vekhi" ("Milestones") after a century.

## PAPERS AND PUBLICATION

Those who wish to present a paper should send a summary (1000 words at most) by e-mail to St. Andrew's by 15 July 2007. The Organizing Committee selects papers for the Conference and sends invitations to the speakers. The full text of all the papers selected will have to be submitted by 15 August 2007. However, it will be possible to participate without a paper (some priests, teachers, and students are expected to be present). The working languages of the conference will be Russian and English.

Upon arrival at the conference every participant will receive summaries of all the papers presented and the conference programme. Plenary and sectional papers are scheduled for 30 minutes each. Some papers will be published in St. Andrew's quarterly *Pages: Theology, Culture, Education* and we will publish a collection of papers in a separate volume. Summaries and papers should be sent to:

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## ORGANIZATION AND ACCOMMODATIONS

The conference will assemble on 19 September for a reception and opening ceremony in the evening. Participants will depart after breakfast on 23 October. The price of a single room and full board will be approximately €70 per day.