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PROGRAMME

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15:00	<p>OPENING</p> <p>Main Directions of State Science and Technology Policy in Russia ALEXANDER KHLUNOV, Director, Department of Science, High Technology and Education, Government of the Russian Federation</p> <p>RICHARD BURGER, Science & Technology Counsellor, Delegation of the European Commission to Russia</p> <p>PROF. LEONID GOKHBERG, First Vice-Rector, University – Higher School of Economics and Director, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia</p>
15:30-15:50	<p>Present Challenges in Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) Policies: key note speech</p> <p>PROF. LUKE GEORGHIOU, Institute of Innovation Research, University of Manchester, UK</p>
15:50-17:15	<p>SESSION 1. SETTING PRIORITIES FOR STI POLICIES</p> <p>MODERATOR: PROF. LEONID GOKHBERG, First Vice-Rector, University – Higher School of Economics and Director, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priorities for Technological Modernization of the Russian Economy DR. STANISLAV NAUMOV, State Secretary - Deputy Minister of Industry and Trade of the Russian Federation • EU Priorities for S&T and Innovation DR. JENNIFER CASINGENA HARPER, Director, Policy Unit, Malta Coun-

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Setting S&T Priorities in Russia: Foresight and Critical Technologies DR. ALEXANDER SOKOLOV, Deputy Director, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia • Foresight Based Identification of S&T Priorities in Poland IWONA NOWICKA, Counsellor to the Minister of Science and Higher Education, Poland • Setting National Priorities for Long-Term S&T Development of the Russian Economy DR. ALEXANDER CHULOK, Head of Division, Interdepartmental Analytical Center, Russia <p>GENERAL DISCUSSION: GOOD PRACTICE, PENDING ISSUES, CONCLUSIONS FOR EU-EECA COOPERATION</p>
17:15-17:30	COFFEE BREAK
17:30-19:30	<p>SESSION 2. INSTITUTIONAL REFORMS IN THE PUBLIC S&T SECTOR</p> <p><u>MODERATOR:</u> PROF. BORIS SALTYKOV, Chair, Science and Innovation Management, HSE; President, Association “Russian House of International S&T Cooperation”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Institutional Reforms in the Russian R&D Sector: Back to the Beginning? DR. TATIANA KUZNETSOVA, Director, Centre for S&T, Innovation and Information Policy, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia • S&T and Innovation Reforms in Ukraine: Trends and Results DR. SERGEY IVANOV, Donetsk University, Ukraine • The Reform of CNRS as a Part of Modernization of the French S&T System PROF. VLADIMIR MAYER, Director of the Representative Office, CNRS, France • Reforms in the Armenian R&D Sector: Achievements and Present Trends DR. VARDAN SAHAKYAN, Head, Department of Science Policy, State Committee of Science, Armenia • Mechanisms for Performance Evaluation for Research Institutions STANISLAV ZAICHENKO, Senior Research Fellow, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia <p>GENERAL DISCUSSION: GOOD PRACTICE, PENDING ISSUES, CONCLUSIONS FOR EU-EECA COOPERATION</p>

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09:30-11:00	<p>SESSION 3. NEW APPROACHES TO INNOVATION POLICIES: FORWARD-LOOKING STRATEGIES</p> <p><u>MODERATOR:</u> PROF. EDWARD ZIARKO, Head, Department for Analysis and Production of R&D Indicators, Federal Science Policy Office, Belgium</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key Objectives of Innovation Policy in Russia
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Macroeconomic Determinants of Demand for Innovation DR. DMITRY BELOUSOV, Leading Expert, Centre for Macroeconomic Analysis and Short-Term Forecasting, Russia • Application of Network Analysis and Foresight for S&T and Innovation Policies DR. OZCAN SARITAS, Research Fellow, Institute of Innovation Research, University of Manchester, UK • Diversity of Innovation Strategies in Russian Manufacturing Sector: Empirical Evidence from Microdata Studies VITALY ROUD, Research Fellow, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia • Strategies and Mechanisms for Promoting Innovation in Russia DR. YURY SIMACHEV, Deputy Director, Interdepartmental Analytical Center, Russia <p>GENERAL DISCUSSION: GOOD PRACTICE, PENDING ISSUES, CONCLUSIONS FOR EU-EECA COOPERATION</p>
11:00-11:20	COFFEE BREAK
11:20-13:10	<p>SESSION 4. NEW APPROACHES TO INNOVATION POLICIES: KNOWLEDGE BASED EXPLOITATION OF NEW MARKETS</p> <p><u>MODERATOR</u>: DR. MIKHAIL RYCHEV, Deputy Director, Russian Research Centre “Kurchatov Institute”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation Policy in Small Business PROF. IVAN BORTNIK, President, Foundation for Assistance to Small Innovative Enterprises, Russia • [Topic TBD] PROF. OMER ANLAGAN, Vice-President, Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey • Innovation Activity Infrastructure Development DR. IGOR AGAMIRZIAN, Director General, Russian Venture Company • [Topic TBD] STEDJE INGEBJØRG, Adviser, Ministry of Trade and Industry, Norway • Instruments of Technology Transfer in the Republic of Belarus DR. ALEXANDER USPENSKY, Director, Republican Centre for Technology Transfer, the Republic of Belarus <p>GENERAL DISCUSSION: GOOD PRACTICE, PENDING ISSUES, CONCLUSIONS FOR EU-EECA COOPERATION</p>
13:10-14:10	LUNCH
14:10 – 15:40	<p>SESSION 5. INTERNATIONALISATION STRATEGIES AS AN INTEGRAL PART OF STI POLICIES</p> <p><u>MODERATOR</u>: PROF. JEAN-LUC CLEMENT, Scientific Counsellor, Department for EU Relations and International Cooperation, Ministry of Education and Research, France</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Trends in the Global Governance of Science Facing Present Challenges DR. FRED GAULT, Professorial Fellow, UNU-Merit, the Netherlands • S&T and Innovation in Russia: the Role of Scientific Diaspora Dr. SERGEY IVANETS, Director, Department for Strategy and Prospective Projects in Education and Science, Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation • The Impact of International S&T Cooperation for Knowledge Based Economies PROF. EDWARD ZIARKO, Head, Department for Analysis and Production of R&D Indicators, Federal Science Policy Office, Belgium • Internationalization of Innovations TIMO KOPONEN, Director, FinNode Russia, Finland <p>GENERAL DISCUSSION: GOOD PRACTICE, PENDING ISSUES, CONCLUSIONS FOR EU-EECA COOPERATION</p>
15:40-16:00	COFFEE BREAK
16:00-17:30	<p>SESSION 6. CRITICAL ANALYSIS OF THE EU-EECA S&T COOPERATION FRAMEWORK AND THE WAY FORWARD</p> <p><u>MODERATOR:</u> PROF. ION TIGINYANU, Vice-President, Academy of Sciences of Moldova</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is there Room for Enhancing the Cooperation? The S&T Potential of the EECA Region versus Present Cooperation Patterns DR. KLAUS SCHUCH, Executive Director, Centre for Social Innovation, Austria • Which Cooperation Instruments Does National S&T Policy Offer? DR. JOERN SONNENBURG, Executive Director, International Bureau of the Federal Ministry of Education and Research, Germany • Present State and the Perspectives of EECA Participation in the EU RTD-Framework Programme EVGENY UGRINOVICH, Deputy Director, Russian Research Centre “Kurchatov Institute” • Role of S&T in the European Neighbourhood Policy and the Four EU-Russia Common Spaces DR. LILIANA PROSKURYAKOVA, Researcher, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia
17:30-18:15	<p>ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION OF POLICY MAKERS “THE WAY FORWARD: A SHARED VISION FOR ENHANCED EU-EECA COOPERATION”</p> <p><u>MODERATOR:</u> MS. ANNELIESE STOKLASKA, Deputy Director General for Scientific Research and International Affairs and Director for International Affairs, the Austrian Ministry of Science and Research</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DR. SABINE HERLITSCHKA, Director, Division of European and International Programmes, FFG-Austrian Research Promotion Agency • PROF. ERKIN ZAKHIDOV, Member of the Committee for Coordination of S&T Development, Cabinet of Ministers, Republic of Uzbekistan • DR. AMINAGA SADIGOV, Head of the Department of Scientific Organization,

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participant from Norway [TBD]
18:15-19:10	<p>SUMMARY OF THE CONFERENCE: LESSONS LEARNT FOR EU-EECA S&T CO-OPERATION AND JOINT POLICY LEARNING</p> <p>YVES MAISONNY, Projects Manager, Directorate for Research, European Commission</p> <p>DR. ALEXANDER SOKOLOV, Deputy Director, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia</p> <p>MICHAEL SCHLICHT, Head, Division for Cooperation with the Countries of Eastern Europe and Central Asia, Federal Ministry of Education and Science, Germany</p> <p>CLOSING REMARKS</p> <p>DR. JOERN SONNENBURG, Executive Director, International Bureau of the Federal Ministry of Education and Research, Germany</p> <p>PROF. LEONID GOKHBERG, First Vice-Rector, University – Higher School of Economics and Director, HSE Institute for Statistical Studies and Economics of Knowledge, Russia</p>