



Tyumen State University
Regional Institute for International Cooperation

Russian Language &
Culture Summer School
'Enter Russia through Siberian Gates!'

Tyumen, 02nd July — 31st July, 2016

Tyumen is the first Siberian city (1586), multinational and dynamic, a city with old traditions and young people.

Join our unique project for foreign citizens interested in studying the Russian language and learning about the country. The course is designed to acquire and improve the language skills while being immersed into the authentic Russian society. The participants will have a great opportunity to be involved in a variety of interactive educational projects to experience Russian cultural diversity and to get an idea of the economy, geography and history of Western Siberia.

80 academic hours of classroom learning

50 academic hours of project work (Language and Country Studies)

3,5 ECTS points awarded for completion of the course

Classroom learning:

- Russian Language & Culture Module (60 hours). It includes interactive lessons of Russian language (grammar & vocabulary) and insights into Russian culture.
- Module on the History of Russia and Tyumen region (20 hours)

Language and Country Studies:

- Sightseeing tour of Tyumen
- Visits to the local museums & places of local cultural heritage
- Acquaintance with different religions of the city
- Bus excursions to the countryside
- Acquaintance with Russian and Tartar national traditions & customs
- Acquaintance of the culture of indigenous peoples of the Russian North
- Excursion to the city of Tobolsk – the historic capital of Siberia. It is known as a place of exile of the Decembrists and the last Russian tsar Nicolai II and his family.



- Acquaintance with the history of Tobolsk, a visit to the unique Kremlin & Abalaksy Monastery
- Home hospitality (visiting Tyumen citizens' homes)
- Cinema club (film-watching in the Russian language + discussion)
- Discussion of the new cultural and language experience
- Preparation of group projects and presentations

Accommodation:

The participants are provided with rooms in a student hostel. Accommodation in a single room in a student hostel can be provided on participant's request at additional cost (as far as possible).

- The classes take place in the morning
- Excursions and project work are planned for the afternoons and weekends.

Cost of the program (incl. tuition fee, cultural program and excursions, accommodation): **790 Euros**

The date of the arrival: **the 02nd – 03rd of July**

The date of the departure: **the 30th – 31st of July**

The deadline for applications: the 1st of April, 2016.

If you have any questions, please, do not hesitate to contact us:

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You can find the information about the previous summer schools here:

<http://riic.utmn.ru/05events2010.htm>

<http://riic.utmn.ru/05events.htm#00123>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3FMyaExMc3Y>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2Dm5fkgMzL0>

