

International Conference
**“Integrated management, sustainable development indicators,
spatial planning and monitoring of the South-Eastern Baltic coastal regions”**
Kaliningrad, 26-30 March, 2008

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Dear Colleagues!

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of the International Conference “Integrated management, sustainable development indicators, spatial planning and monitoring of the South-Eastern Baltic coastal regions” (*Kaliningrad, 26-30 March, 2008*) I have a pleasure to inform you that the conference schedule is worked out (attached file with the program).

In all 96 applications were submitted (93 – to oral or poster presentations). The Organizing Committee decided not to divide participants into sub-sections. Considering equal status of oral and poster presentation, Organizing Committee has recommended to the authors of the presentations containing important scientific details to prepare a poster in order to provide an opportunity to discuss the topic with the entire set of illustrations displayed.

The Organizing committee didn't reject any application, and, please, immediately let us know if you don't find your presentation in the attached list (attached file with list of presentations).

Deadlines for thesis and papers submission are prolonged till 13th and 20th of March 2008, respectively. No further prolongation is expected.

The Organizing Committee investigates the possibility of publication of selected papers in a special issue of some international journals after the Conference.

Please, inform Mrs. Polina Berezhnyak ([bereznyak_polina@mail.ru](mailto:berezhnyak_polina@mail.ru)) from ABIORAS about your travel schedule: date and time of arrival and departure, air/train/bus/car. Please, don't hesitate to ask her about all details of hotel booking and accommodation.

We are inviting participants of the conference to preliminary discuss the “Declaration on integrated coastal zone management and marine spatial planning in the South-Eastern Baltic”, which is planned to be presented and signed during the Conference. Please, find a draft of the Declaration attached. This Declaration was elaborated by two projects: “Sustainable Development Indicators for ICZM in the South-Eastern Baltic (SDI-4-SEB)” of the INTERREG-Tacis Neighbourhood Program Lithuania, Poland and Kaliningrad Oblast of Russian Federation) and “The East-West Window (EWW)” of the Baltic Sea Region INTERREG III B Neighbourhood Programme. Please, send your suggestions on both the Declaration and a procedure of its signing to Dr. Boris Chubarenko (chuboris@mail.ru). The final text of the Declaration will be sent to participants (after assimilation of all suggestions) not later then 23rd of March 2008.

Please, find below specified lists of:

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