

VI Conference Mechanisms of Catalytic Reactions MCR-VI

October 1–5, 2002

**First Circular
Moscow, Russia**

DEAR COLLEAGUES

You are cordially invited to attend the VI Conference “Mechanisms of Catalytic Reactions” (MCR-VI) to be held in Moscow, Russia, October 1–5, 2002.

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- Boreskov Institute of Catalysis, Siberian Division, Russian Academy of Sciences, Novosibirsk
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- Scientific Council on Catalysis of the Russian Academy of Sciences
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The scientific program of the conference will consist of 10 plenary and 5 keynote invited lectures and 40 oral presentations and posters. In keeping with the previous meetings (in Moscow 1974, 1979, 1986, 1990 and in Novosibirsk 1982), the scope of the VI Conference will cover the following topics:

- *Studies of the mechanisms of heterogeneous, homogeneous, and enzymatic catalytic reactions;*
- *Theoretical and experimental methods for in situ investigation of catalytic reactions mechanisms and structures of catalysts;*
- *Catalytic reactions in membrane reactors (to commemorate the 80th anniversary of late Professor Vladimir Gryaznov).*

Oral and poster contributions on the above mentioned topics are highly welcome.

INTAS projects will be presented at the Conference as oral and poster presentations. All participants of selected INTAS projects are invited to publish the information about scientific investigations in the Book of Abstracts and in the journal *Kinetics and Catalysis*. INTAS Day with Round Table Discussion of ongoing INTAS projects will be organized within the conference framework.

CONFERENCE LANGUAGE

The official languages of the conference are English and Russian.

Full texts of plenary, keynote, oral and selected poster presentations will be published after the conference in a special issue of *Kinetics and Catalysis* in English and Russian.

KEY DATES

March 15, 2002	Submission of the registration forms and abstracts
May 20, 2002	Notification of acceptance, distribution of the Second Circular
August 20, 2002	Distribution of the Scientific Program
September 30, 2002	Welcome to the conference
October 6, 2002	Departure of participants
October 6–8, 2002	Post-tour
October 9, 2002	Departure of tourists

Please send your abstracts and registration forms to:

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All the current information on the conference is available on the web server of the Boreskov Institute of Catalysis:

<http://www.catalysis.nsk.su/events/mcr.eg/>

On-line registration and submission of abstracts are preferable.