

The City of Perm is one of the largest economical and cultural centers of Russia. Perm combines provincial quiet of the Russian countryside, its historic and cultural heritage, and modern science, industry, and infrastructure.

Perm is famous for its P.I.Chaykovsky Academic Opera and Ballet Theatre, its Art Gallery with a unique collection of wood sculpture, ancient icons, Repin's, Levitan's, Savrasov's, and Serov's paintings.

Perm's architecture gives a complete picture of the styles, which were present in the Russian architecture from the XVIII to the XX century. Suburbs are also of great interest: ancient estates, the Belogorsk Saint Nicholas Monastery, the town of Kungur with its famous Ice Cave and so on.

The social program of the Conference will allows the participants to enjoy sightseeing in Perm and its suburbs, visit museums and theatres, and to have a look at picturesque landscapes of the Kama river.