Agenda

EAOKO and CICED International Conference

Monitoring, Rating and Rankings as Education Quality Management Tools

Supported by the National Research University Higher School of Economics and the READ Program

September 22-23, 2017 | Saint Petersburg | the Russian Federation
Information about the Conference Organizers and Venue

The Conference organizers are the Eurasian Association of Educational Quality Assessment (EAOKO) and the Center of International Cooperation for Education Development (CICED), supported by the National Research University Higher School of Economics (NRU HSE) and the Russia Education Aid for Development Program (READ), implemented by the World Bank in Russia.

The event will take place on **September 22 through 23, 2017 in Russia, Saint Petersburg, Pushkin, 4 Radishchev Street**, at the Management Training Center, NRU HSE–Saint Petersburg, in Kochubey’s Mansion.

The Conference Venue

Management Training Center,
NRU HSE
(Kochubey’s Mansion)

GPS coordinates:
59º71’00” N
30º40’81” E

Please refer to Google Maps for the location:
[https://goo.gl/G1Zd8b](https://goo.gl/G1Zd8b)

Information for the Conference foreign participants and visitors from other Russian cities:

Kochubey’s Mansion is 15 kilometers away from the Pulkovo Airport (about 20 minutes by taxi), and 25 kilometers from the Moskovskiy Railway Station and the City of Saint-Petersburg downtown (about 40 minutes). Please explore the public transport options below (**from airport** /// **from railway station**), or order a reliable and inexpensive taxi **beforehand** (**Yandex-taxi** /// **TaksovichkoF** /// **Uber**).

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- Vice Governor of Saint Petersburg, Vladimir Kirillov
- Chair of the Education Committee of Saint Petersburg, Zhanna Vorobyova
- Chair of the Committee for General and Professional Education of Lenindradskaya Oblast, Sergei Tarasov
- Deputy director of NRU HSE (Saint Petersburg Campus), Daniil Alexandrov
- Education Global Practice Manager, Europe and Central Asia Region, World Bank, Cristian Aedo
- Guidance from EAOKO President Viktor Bolotov

10:00–11:30 Plenary Session #1. Monitoring Exercises in Education Quality Management
(Moderator: V. Bolotov)

1. Oksana Reshetnikova / Federal Institute of Pedagogical Measurements / Analysis of the State Final Examination Results in the Russian Federation: Experiences and Outlook

2. Alexei Mayorov / State Duma Committee on Education and Science / Assessment Bias and Standard Errors in Education Quality Management Decision-Making Based on Digital Data

3. Svetlana Markova / World Bank / Second Russia Education Aid for Development (READ 2) Trust Fund Program: achievements to date and path forward

4. Tigran Shmis & Dmitry Chugunov / World Bank / Russian Capacity Development in Education Quality Evaluation under READ Program: Results, Challenges and Zone of Proximal Development

5. Artem Stepanenko / Center of International Cooperation for Education Development CICED / READ Program: Support of Initiatives in Education Quality Evaluation

11:30–12:00 Coffee Break
12:00–13:30  **Plenary Session #2. Ratings and Monitoring Exercises: Regional and Global Aspects**  
*(Moderator: V. Bolotov)*

1. **Natalia Tyurina** / Social Navigator Project, Russia Today News Agency / Development of the Ratings System in Russia and the World: Key Tendencies and Trends


4. **Anna Fedyunina** / Analytical Center of NRU HSE-Saint-Petersburg / Global University Ratings: Which Ones to Trust?

5. **Igor Valdman** / ANO eNano / Monitoring of Learning Assessments as the Basis for Informing Management Decisions at Various Education System Levels: Cultural Practices and Russian Experiences

13:30–14:30  **Lunch Break**

14:30–16:30  **Session #3.1. Regional Experiences: ratings, monitoring, and educational quality assessment**  
*(Moderators: V. Bolotov, N. Zaichenko)*

1. **Svetlana Dzyubina** / AI, OVT, KhMAO-Yugra, Institute of Education Development / On Development of Regional System for Education Quality Evaluation in Khanty-Mansi – Yugra Autonomous District

2. **Ana Vivdici** /  

**Session #3.2. Assessment of Learning Achievements and Education Activities**  
*(Moderator: Igor Valdman)*

1. **Maria Dobryakova** / Institute of Education of NRU HSE / Assessment of Key Competencies (21st century skills) and New Literacy at School: International Experiences and Options for Russia

2. **Oleg Lebedev** / NRU HSE – Saint Petersburg / Monitoring of Individual Learners’ Achievements as a Management Challenge

3. **Aleksandr Pimenov** / School #2116, Moscow City

**Session #3.3. Professional Education: Quality Evaluation and Ratings Rationale**  
*(Moderator: Д.В. Николаев)*

1. **Elena Avraamova** / Institute of Social Analysis and Forecast, RANEPA under the President of Russia/ University Rating, Profile, and Reputation: What is Guiding Metropolitan and Provincial University Applicants

2. **Natalia Ovchinnikova** / Moscow School of Management SKOLKOVO / Monitoring of a University Leader’s Performance as an Element of Quality Evaluation
National School Inspection, Republic of Moldova/ Rating secondary education schools framework


4. Alexey Karpushov / Leningradsky Oblast Institute of Education Development / Use of Monitoring Research Results in Education Quality Management

5. Arsen Bagdasaryan / Assessment and Testing Center under the Government of the Republic of Armenia / Warning – Rating is Underway

/ Classroom Assessment: What do Students and Teachers Think of it?

4. Dmitry Roubashkin / Modern Education Technologies Innovation Center, Saint Petersburg / Use of Results of Learners’ Formative Assessments: from Quality Control to Quality Assurance Measures (co-speakers: Irina Kondratyeva, Marina Matyushkina)

5. Anna Yeryomenko / Methodology Laboratory BBS-IT, Ltd. / Republic of Kazakhstan / Item-by-Item Analysis of Education Monitoring Indicators and Parameters

6. Artyom Dyakovetsky / ABI Ltd. / Modern Tools for Effective Implementation of Learning Assessment Procedures at the Regional Level

16:30–17:00 Coffee Break

17:00–18:30 Session #4.1. School Education: Use of Assessment Results and Learning Monitoring (Moderator: I Kapritskaya)

1. Sergei Zair-Bek / Institute of Education of Education Services

3. Olga Poryadina / OOO Education Quality Monitoring R&D Ltd. / Federal Internet-Based Examination for Bachelors as a Tool of Independent Quality Evaluation of Undergraduate Education

4. Elena Pivchuk / Pedagogical College #4, Saint Petersburg / Development Strategy and Quality Management of a Tertiary Education Curriculum

5. Yulia Semyonova / Institute of Education of NRU HSE / Overview of the Key National Rankings of Universities and Practical Use of Their Results by Russian Higher Education Facilities

6. Vladimir Kouklin / Institute of Applied Economic Studies RANEPA under the President of Russia / Systemic and Mathematical Aspects of Evaluation of Ratings Quality (Comparative Evaluation Systems)
1. Igor Shiyan / MSPU / Study of Preschool Education Quality Study: Results and Points of Development

2. Saule Khamzina / Reading Together USAID Project / Ideas (Perceptions) of Preschool Education Quality and Specific Nature of its Evaluation in Kyrgyzstan

3. Nataliya Zaichenko / NRU HSE – Saint Petersburg / Preschool Education as Understood by Key Stakeholders

4. Aleksandr Pronin / Preschool Education Facility #36, Saint Petersburg / Criteria and Indicators of Preschool Education Facility Performance in the International and Regional Experiences

5. Anna Minina / School #2116, Moscow City / System of Public and Professional Evaluation of Preschool Education Quality (based on working experience) 6.

6. Marina Verkhovkina / Nevsky Alliance Center for Education Services / Independent Education Quality Evaluation as a Resource for a Preschool Facility Development

NRU HSE / Official Monitoring in Real Management (a case study)

2. Nataliya Bekmukhametova / Krai Education Center, Khabarovsk City / Use of Monitoring Results at the Level of Education Institution

3. Ekaterina Libertssova / Lyceum #1, Petrozavodsk City / Learning Monitoring: Personal Electronic Toolkit for Assessing Subject-Based and Metasubject Learning Achievements (co-speakers: Anjelika Gudenko & Yulia Gabucheva)

4. Irina Karpitskaya / School #351, Saint Petersburg / Objectivity of a School-Based Monitoring of Education Quality as a Condition for Management Decision-Making

5. Dmitriy Loginov / Institute of Social Analysis and Forecast, RANEPA under the President of Russia / Monitoring of School Education Development as a Tool of Management Analysis

6. Alexey Miroshnichenko / State Pedagogical University named after Korolenko / Measurement of a Teacher’s Performance by the Learning Development of an Individual Learner

University / Educational Audit as a Form of Pedagogical Support

2. Olga Klementiyeva / Ametist Private Education Facility / Self-Audit in Evaluation of Pedagogical Activities

3. Irina Pisarenko / Saint Petersburg State University / School Rankings as Viewed by Modern Parents

4. Elena Almazova / Information and Methodology Center, Saint Petersburg / Monitoring of Professional Development of the Education Facility Leaders in the Context of Territorial (Raion/Municipal) Education System

5. Svetlana Avdeyeva / NTF / On Evaluation Approaches to Teacher’s ICT competencies

6. Svetlana Vachkova / Moscow State Pedagogical University / Evaluation of Professional Competencies of Final-Year Students of a Pedagogical University (based on experience) (co-speaker Olga Aigunova)
18:30–19:30  **Round Table**  
*Moderator: A. Pimenov*

The round table suggests a discussion of criteria to judge about the FSES implementation in a classroom in a Community of a Personality-Centered Schools focusing on the benefits of cooperation of schools in this regard.

Key Topics for the Round Table:
1. Effectiveness of a modern class from the FSES implementation perspective: what criteria shall serve as benchmarks for internal education quality evaluation monitoring?
2. Evaluation of teacher’s professional activities: May a student be an assessor?
3. Students’ and teachers’ opinions: Whom to trust and what to do about it?

**Maria Balandina / Fund for Education Technologies / Summary Of International Contest On Classroom Assessment Practices**

20:00–22:00  **Buffet Dinner for Conference Participants**

22:00  **Tour of Kochubey’s Mansion**
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8:30–9:30  Registration of participants

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General meeting of the members of Eurasian Association for Education Quality Evaluation to update the EAOKO action plan for the next year

11:00–11:30  Coffee Break

11:30–13:30  Session #5.1. Monitoring and Learning Assessment
(Moderator: V. Bolotov)
1. Elena Namzhilova / Aginsk Secondary School #1 / Classroom Assessment and Recording of Results in the Electronic Class Register
2. Luidmila Velikova / Gymnasium #41, Novouralsk City, Sverdlovskaya Oblast / Design of a Toolkit to Monitor Development of Metasubject and Personality Results of Gymnasium Learners (co-speaker Elena Koulikova)
4. Alexandra Zvezdova / Russian Register

11:30–13:30  Session #5.2. Various Aspects of Education Quality Assessment Implementation
(Moderator: A. Gekhtman)
1. Alexey Malygin / Ivanovo State University / Ratio of Quantitative and Qualitative Levels of Measurements in Education Quality Management: What Should Prevail
2. Vladimir Bocherashvili / Center for Education Quality Evaluation, Pskov Oblast / Pedagogical Testing Standards as a Factor of Higher Quality of Regional Monitoring
3. Tatiyana Matveyeva / Information and Methodology Center, Saint Petersburg / Education Quality as a Factor for Sustainable Development of an Education Facility
4. Nadezhda Fomina / MSPU / IT in...

11:30–13:30  Session #5.3. Diversity of Assessment Policies and Tools: Experiences and Reflections
(Moderator: A. Bakushina)
1. Kali Abdiyev / National Testing Center, Republic of Kazakhstan / Current Objectives on Assessment of ICT Literacy and Information Science Knowledge Levels (co-speakers Gulnara Umerbayeva, Akmaral Tursynbekova)
2. Irina Grishina / Saint Petersburg APPE / Expert Community of High School Students in Education Quality Evaluation
3. Nataliya Orlova / MBGEF Education Center #25, Tula City / Assessment Rethinking as a Resource for Transition to a High Performing School
4. Alyona Kovalyova / Gymnasium #586, Saint Petersburg / Survey as a tool for Internal Monitoring of Education Quality
Certification Association / Independent Education Quality Evaluation: Problems and Outlook (co-speaker Vera Azariyeva)

5. Anastasia Mendel / Regional Center for Education Quality Evaluation, Khabarovsk City / Diagnostic Activities as a Way to Prepare Students for a Successful Unified State Examination

6. Tatiyana Prokhozyeva / Lyceum #64, Saint Petersburg / Exposure of a School to Ratings. Principal’s Perspective

5. Aleksandr Volkov / MBGEF Education Center #25, Tula City / Experience in Implementation of Online Criteria-Based Assessment Tools

6. Nina Konopotova / Information & Methodology Center, Saint Petersburg / Quality Evaluation System of a School Information and Education Environment

7. Olga Yezovskikh / Krasnoyarsk Krai Education Staff Professional Development Institute / Development of a Regional Monitoring of Krasnoyarsk Krai Education System

5. Tatiyana Senkevich / Information & Methodology Center, Saint Petersburg / Education Quality Management Mechanisms Based on its Comprehensive Evaluation within a Megacity District (co-speakers Olga Modulina, Luidmila Isakova)

6. Almagul Kultumanova / Informatio & Analytical Center, Republic of Kazakhstan / Education Indicators and Parameters: What, How and Why Do We Measure

13:30–14:30 Lunch Break

14:30–16:00 Session #6.1.
Ratings of All Possible Kinds: Based on Working Experience
(Moderator: N. Tyurina)

1. Alexey Rydlevskiy / School #263, Saint Petersburg / Rating Assessment of Students: Myths and Reality (practical experience)

2. Lyubov Yemeliyanova / School #1434 «Ramenki, Moscow / Resource

Session #6.2.
Development and Assessment of Learning Results
(Moderator: TProkhozyeva)

1. Zeinep Zhamakeyeva / National Testing Center, Kyrgyz Republic / Final State Attestation in the Form of Standardized Tests as a Type of Monitoring in Assessment of Learners’ Achievements in the Kyrgyz Republic

2. Oksana Berdicheva / School #49, Tomsk City / SACERS as a Tool for Evaluation of Education Environment: Capacity and Prospects (co-speaker Irina Vinogradova)

Field Visit #6.3.
Quality of Learning Environment in All Manifestations
(Lyceum #410, Pushkin City)

1. Elena Ivanova / MSU / SACERS as a Tool for Evaluation of Education Environment: Capacity and Prospects (co-speaker Irina Vinogradova)

2. Vadim Kovalyov /
### Capacity of Rankings of General Education Facilities: Russian and International Experiences

**3. Olga Rechkalova** / Secondary School #7, Gubkinskiy Town, Yamal-Nenets AD / Metasubject Area – a Tool for Assessment of Metasubject Results (practical experience)

**4. Tatiyana Zavolokina** / Secondary School #77, Saint Petersburg / School in Rankings: All Arguments “For” and “Against”. Case Study

### Development of Students’ Cognitive Activity Using Questions of Varied Complexity Levels and Systems for their Evaluation

**3. Elena Kroshchihina** / Secondary School #29 School on Your River Bank, Staropyschinsk Township, Sverdlovsk Oblast / Universal Methods for Development of Informative Introspection in the Context of Criteria-Based Assessments: From Practical Experience (co-speaker Alyona Kvasova)

**4. Tatiyana Modestova** / Information & Methodology Center, Saint Petersburg / Management Tools and Procedures of Education Quality Evaluation in General Education Facility (co-speaker Svetlana Gatsoyeva)

### Electronic School Ltd. / Information Support for Subject-Based Knowledge Monitoring. Tailor-Made Education on a Mass Scale

**3. Olga Tkachyova** / Lyceum #410, Pushkin City / Education Quality Evaluation System in Modern School: How Do we Do it

**4. Nataliya Sautina** / Secondary School #26, Vologda City / Experience of Criteria-Based Assessment Implementation in Municipal General Secondary School #26” in Vologda City

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Conditions for Participation and Useful Information

Russian and foreign specialists, experts and researchers who work on education quality evaluation issues are welcome to participate in the conference. Should a number of applications exceed the established threshold, preference would be given to those applicants, who expressed their readiness to make a presentation at the conference, along with the applicants-members of the Association.

Registration of conference participants. Registration is done via the conference website at http://eaoko.org/en/. Registration of participants with presentations will continue until August 20 (applications for presentations are no longer accepted now), with presentations included in the Conference Agenda only after the Agenda Committee’s review. Registration of participants without presentations will continue until September 8.

Conference participation fee is 1,500 Russian Roubles, it covers coffee breaks, a buffet dinner for participants and a participant’s set of conference materials. Association members are exempt from the fee. The fee shall be paid at the registration table, where a participant shall get a valid document confirming the payment.

Lodging in Saint Petersburg. For visitors’ convenience, the conference hosts recommend visitors to stay in Kochubey’s Mansion in rooms meant for 1 or 2 guests. The relevant booking option is included in the electronic registration form. You will find the cost of these rooms of various categories below (the price includes breakfast and lunch for a relevant number of guests per room):

- Standard room for 1 person – 4,100 Roubles/night;
- Standard room for 2 persons, price per one person [the 2nd person may be added to the room] – 2,900 Roubles/night;
- Standard room for 2 persons, price for 2 persons – 5,800 Roubles/night;
- Superior room – 5,200 Roubles/night;
- Deluxe, 1 person – 6,300 Roubles/night;
- Deluxe, 2 persons – 6,900 Roubles/night.

Since August 4, registration for the conference with booking a room in Kochubey’s Mansion is no longer possible. One can still participate in the conference without lodging in Kochubey’s Mansion, having paid for lunches (600 Roubles per day of participation) at the registration table.
Conference visitors, who failed to book a room in Kochubey’s Mansion, are advised to stay at one of the hotels closest to the conference venue:


You may see the location of the proposed hotels in relation to the conference venue at [https://goo.gl/G1Zd8b](https://goo.gl/G1Zd8b). In addition, website [booking.com](http://booking.com) is currently suggesting more than Pushkin City for September 21-23.

**Average temperature** in September in Saint Petersburg is about 13° C.

**The national currency** is Russian Rouble (RUR). 1 USD = 59.14 RUR, 1 EUR = 69.74 RUR (the exchange rate as of August 25, 2017).

**Time Zone.** Saint Petersburg is in GMT+3-time zone. It coincides with the time zone of Moscow City, Belarus, Moldova and Ukraine.

**Telephone Codes:** +7 (country code for Russia) 812 (Saint Petersburg code). The phone number is dialed in the following way: +7-812-land-line number.

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