RUSSIAN BIOMECHANICS CONFERENCE - 1999

June 2 - 4, 1999, Ust - Kachka, Russia

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Organized by:

Russian Academy of Natural Sciences Perm State Technical University, Russia Perm Medical Academy, Russia

We are pleased to invite you to Russian Biomechanics Conference - 1999. The conference will be held at a modern resort in Ust-Kachka which is located one hour away from Perm. Perm, an industrial city east of Moscow is located on the bank of the Kama River. Perm International Airport can be reached from Moscow, Frankfurt and other cities. Ground transportation from Perm to the conference is included in the conference registration fee. We have arranged a variety of activities for the participants and accompanying persons. These include tours to the Kama River, excursion to Kungur ice-cold cave, Perm Art Gallery, Museum of wooden sculpture, the Orthodox Monastery, etc. All these activities are included in the one low cost registration fee. For non-Russian participants, a post conference excursion to Moscow may be organized which will include visits to the Kremlin, Red Square, museums and other tourist attractions in Moscow. Please let us know in advance if you would like to participate in the Moscow excursion.

Hotel Accommodation and Cost

The conference will be held at Ust-Kachka resort, which is a modern sanitarium. A block of rooms is reserved for the conference participants. The cost of a private room with bath including three complete meals (at the resort's restaurant) per day is approximately \$100 (US Dollars). The same room rate is for two people in one room. For registration, please contact the Local Organizing Committee.

Registration Fees

The Registration fees are as follows (before May 1, 1999):

Participants, speakers, session chairs
Each adult accompanying person
US\$25
Students
US\$25
Registration fee after May 1, 1999
US\$150

The registration fee covers participation in the conference scientific sessions, welcoming reception, coffee breaks and one copy of the conference proceedings. Bus transportation from Perm Airport to the hotel and return will be provided and included in the registration fee as well as the tours (with the exception of the excursion to Moscow).

Conference publication

Presenters are asked to provide a one page (A4 or 8.5" x 11") camera ready abstract by the deadline. The abstracts of the presented papers will be published in a special issue of the Russian Journal of Biomechanics. The authors will also be encouraged to submit full articles of their papers for consideration for publication in the future issues of the Journal.

Important dates and deadlines:

Deadline for Submission of Abstracts: January 15, 1999 Notification of Acceptance: April 15, 1999 Deadline for low registration fee May 1, 1999 Hotel room registration cut-off date:

May 1, 1999

Additional information:

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Instructions for preparation of abstracts.

The abstract is limited to one page (A4 or 8.5" x 11") camera ready. Title of the abstract should be typed in Capital letters, bold and centered (size 16) followed by one blank line and then type the author names with the presenting author underlined. The complete mailing address(es) of the author(s) should appear in the next line following the author names. Skip one line and then start the text of the abstract. You may include (in this one page abstract) table, graph or a black and white photograph. Please make sure that all the typing and illustrations are sharp and clean since it will be copied as is. Use size 12 Times New Roman letters. Please send original and two Xerox copies of your abstract to the conference secretary. In addition to mailing, e-mailing your abstract will be very helpful.

^{*}E-mail correspondence is preferred

Student papers.

Presentation of papers by undergraduate and graduate students is strongly encouraged. These papers will be entered into the student paper competition and prizes will be give to the three (3) best student paper presentations.

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Registration Form

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(please print)

First Name _______Last Name______

Presenting Author: Yes (_) No (_) Student paper? Yes (_) No (_)

Title of _______

Presentation______

Complete Mailing Address: _______

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E-mail address _______ is included.

I will be participating in the Moscow excursion, please send details

Scientific program

Fundamentals and application papers are invited in different aspects of Biomechanics. The suggested topics include:

- 1. Soft/hard living tissue constitutive modeling
- 2. Growth and Remodeling of living tissues
- 3. Orthopaedic and Dental Biomechanics
- 4. Computational Biomechanics

Name(s) of accompanying person(s):

5. Biomechanics of Human Movement and Sports

Sessions will consist of invited lectures and free presentations. The language of the conference is English, however to accommodate student presentations from Russia, there will be a student paper session in Russian for Russian students who are not comfortable presenting their papers in English.