



TSU SUMMER SCHOOLS



National Research

**Tomsk
State
University**



Tomsk State University, a leading research university in Russia, invites international BA, MA and PhD students and professors to its summer schools

Visit one of the most prestigious universities in Siberia!

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Annually from June to September National Research Tomsk State University, a fully comprehensive institution (est. 1878, 2 Nobel Prize winners), offers summer schools in different subjects: from intensive language training in Russian to different skills level training in the field of biology and physics.

- Tomsk is situated in Western Siberia at the very geographical center of Eurasia: an ideal meeting point for analytical minds! Tomsk is one of the oldest towns in Siberia. Tomsk celebrated its 410th anniversary in 2014. There are many beautiful ancient wooden buildings there. With a population of half a million, Tomsk is a city of students: 100,000 students (every fifth citizen) in 6 universities.
- On 28 May 1878 Emperor Alexander II signed a decree on the establishment of the first and only higher education institution in the vast expanses from the Russian Urals to the Pacific Ocean – the Siberian Imperial University in Tomsk. The classical comprehensive university comprises research and pedagogical schools, with a predominant share of fundamental research in all fields of science.



TSU has climbed over 100 positions and reached 377th position in QS Rankings 2016!



43th position in QS BRICS (6th position among Russian universities)



20th position in QS: Emerging Europe and Central Asia

- By presidential decree, Tomsk State University is included in the State list of the most valuable objects of cultural heritage of the Russian Federation.
- Old and new traditions go hand in hand in TSU. However, the main mission of the university has remained the same since the time of its foundation: to be a classical educational university of research renowned for its education system that builds the academic process on the latest research results and enhances personal growth in the cultural and intellectual development.



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- Summer School of Intensive Russian
- The Heritage of Eurasia: Past, Present and Future (arts and culture in Siberia)
- International Siberian School. Cross-cultural Business Communication and Management in Siberia
- Cross-cultural Communication in Interpreting and Translation
- Summer School in Environmental Studies
- Summer IT School



Summer School of Intensive Russian

Dates: August 21—
September 08, 2017

Location: Tomsk

Target Group: Humanities and Natural Sciences students with all levels of proficiency in Russian.

Language: Russian

Cultural Programme: Sightseeing tours, museums, concerts of classical, Russian folk and popular music; museums of local lore, art, Slavic mythology as well as TSU museums; Siberian Botanical Garden (the oldest beyond the Urals); classical and puppet theatres, picnics, Extreme Park

Number of students:
min. 8

Food and Accommodation:
University residence hall
(2–3 pers. per room),
coffee breaks

Course Fees: 50 000 rubles (tuition, airport transfer, cultural and social programme, studying materials, coffee breaks, accommodation)

All participants are guaranteed accommodation in the newly built TSU dormitory.

Transportation to Tomsk and back:
covered by the students.

Application Deadline:
June 09, 2017



Documents to be attached to the application form:

1. A brief CV in Russian indicating proficiency in Russian (attach a scanned copy of supporting documents, if any).
2. A completed application form (see the site of the Summer School on the Internet).
3. A copy of passport for an invitation
4. A completed TSU visa application form.

The Summer School-2017 provides 60 hours of classroom instruction in the Russian language (20 hours a week).

The curriculum includes:

- Intensive speaking and writing,
- Advanced grammar topics,
- Advanced listening and pronunciation skills,
- Practical stylistics,
- Discussion of current socio-political and cultural issues,
- Introduction to Russian media and work with various types of media texts,
- Introduction to the culture and history of the Siberia.



Compliance of the Course with the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS):

The Russian language: Speaking and Writing – 90 hours (4 ECTS);

Russian Culture – 30 hours (1 ECTS).

Each participant of the Summer School enjoys individual guidance for easier adaptation in the new environment (the student volunteer organization “TSU-online”: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/tsuonline/>).

The cultural programme will include a city tour, museums of local lore, art, Slavic mythology as well as TSU museums; Siberian Botanical Garden (the oldest beyond the Urals); concerts of classical, Russian folk and popular music; classical and puppet theatres.



The Heritage of Eurasia: Past, Present and Future (arts and culture in Siberia)

Dates: August 14–25,
2017

Location: Tomsk

Language: English

Number of students: min. 8

Food and Accommodation:

University residence hall
(2–3 pers. per room),
coffee breaks

Course Fee: 40 000 rubles
(tuition, airport transfer, cultural and
social programme, studying materi-
als, coffee breaks, accommodation)

**Transportation
to Tomsk and back:** covered
by the students.

All participants are guaranteed
accommodation in the newly built
TSU dormitory.

As a bonus to training participants
will have guided tours around Tomsk
State University, its faculties and
museums.

The City of Tomsk tours will also
be provided and accompanied
by a highly-skilled guide.

Application Deadline: June 09, 2017

**Documents to be attached
to the application form:**

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2. A copy of passport
for an invitation
3. A completed TSU visa
application form.



Summer School of Institute of Arts and Culture, TSU

All professors of Summer school are highly qualified specialists in Cultural Studies, Museology, Library and Information Activities, Design, Music and Theatre, Concert Performance, Art Direction of Symphony Orchestra and Academic Choir.

Nowadays the Institute of Arts and culture is extending contacts with different universities abroad. The aim of this Summer School is to give international students the opportunity to study Siberian history and culture, artistic and musical life of Tomsk, a big cultural and educational centre in Western Siberia; and to get acquainted with TSU training system for specialists in art and culture.

Curriculum of the Summer School comprises lectures and seminars (30 hours) on:

- topical issues on culture, art-work, performing arts;
- history and culture of Siberia;

- special elective seminars;

The curriculum corresponds to ECTS:

- Siberian Culture, 52 hours= 2 ECTS
- Tomsk, 52 hours = 2 ECTS

The studies will take 8 days, each day comprising 6.5 academic hours.

9:00 am- 12:30 pm – lectures

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm– lunch

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm (or 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm): seminars, excursions, discussions devoted to Russian art traditions and culture of Western Siberia.

Every participant will get a certificate.

The cultural programme will include a city tour, museums of local lore, art, Slavic mythology as well as TSU museums; Siberian Botanical Garden (the oldest beyond the Urals); concerts of classical, Russian folk and popular music; classical and puppet theatres.

The cultural programme can be modified according to students' requests

The organizing committee can arrange a fun weekend in the countryside.

Each participant of the Summer School enjoys individual guidance for easier adaptation in the new environment (the student volunteer organization "TSU-online": <https://www.facebook.com/groups/tsuonline/>).





International Siberian School

Cross-cultural business communication and management in Siberia

Dates: August 21 – September 01, 2017

Location: Tomsk

Language: English

Number of students: min. 8

Food and Accommodation:

University residence hall (2–3 pers. per room), coffee breaks.

Course Fee: 40 000 rubles (tuition, airport transfer, cultural and social programme, studying materials, coffee breaks, accommodation).

Transportation to Tomsk and back: covered by the students.

Application Deadline: June 09, 2017

Documents to be attached to the application form:

1. A completed application form
2. A copy of passport for an invitation
3. A completed TSU visa application form.

TSU is pleased to announce that International Siberian School will take place on August 21 – September 01, 2017.

TSU would like to invite students and young scholars to the ancient Siberian town – Tomsk.

The school offers courses taught by experts in the fields of intercultural communication, business, psychology and local history.

The courses of the school are aimed at Russian and International students. The programme offers an excellent introduction to the Russian history, culture, business and way of life of Siberian inhabitants.

Teaching will be intensive during the daytime but there will also be versatile and attractive Social Programme.

Each participant of the Summer School enjoys individual guidance for easier adaptation in the new environment (the student volunteer organization "TSU-online": <https://www.facebook.com/groups/tsuonline/>).



Cross-cultural Communication in Interpreting and Translation

Dates: August 14–28,
2017

Location: Tomsk

Language: English, Russian

Number of students: min. 8

Food and Accommodation:

University residence hall
(2–3 pers. per room), coffee breaks.

Course Fee: 30 000 rubles (tuition).

Transportation to Tomsk and back:
covered by the students.

Application Deadline: June 09, 2017

**Documents to be attached
to the application form:**

1. A completed application form
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application form.

Students are going to have intensive translating and interpreting practice (Russian – English, English-Russian). As professional interpreters and translators should be acquainted with the cultural and historical context of the language they work with, the curriculum will include Russian history and Russian culture study-

ing. Our main goal is to provide the conditions to facilitate the immersion in the Russian environment. Our professors use modern teaching techniques, the project and staging methods for training communication skills.

The cultural programme will include a city tour, museums of local lore, art, Slavic mythology as well as TSU museums; Siberian Botanical Garden (the oldest beyond the Urals); concerts of classical, Russian folk and popular music; classical and puppet theatres.

The cultural programme can be modified according to the students' requests.

The organizing committee can offer active holidays in the countryside.

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Summer School in Environmental Studies

Dates: July 09–21, 2017

Location: Tomsk, Aktru Research Station, West-Siberian Plain, Piedmont Altai, High North Altai, High Central Altai and High South-East Altai

Language: English

Target Group: international students and young scientists (age range: 18-35 years old).

Number of Students: min. 8

Course Fees: € 650 (field trip expenses, accommodation, camping, food and registration fee).

Transportation to Tomsk and back: paid by the students.

"Natural and human environment of Arctic and Alpine areas: relief, soils, permafrost, glaciers, biota and life style of native ethnic groups in a rapidly changing climate" (Aktru TSU Research Station in Altai)

Application Deadline: May 31, 2017

Documents to be attached to the application form:

1. A completed application form
2. A copy of passport for an invitation
3. A completed TSU visa application form.

The school will start in the cosy city of Tomsk. This famous cultural centre has been named "the Siberian Cambridge". There will be 3 days for the field excursion



to the High Altai (1200 km South from Tomsk). This will cross different landscape zones, such as south taiga, sub-taiga, forest-step, step, mountain taiga, mountain meadow, mountain tundra, glacial and periglacial area. Participants can observe different geographical provinces, such as West-Siberian Plain, Piedmont Altai, High North Altai, High Central Altai and High South-East Altai. All this will provide an opportunity to become acquainted with a great variety of landscapes, different types of relief and paleo geographical relics, well-expressed geological structures and evidences of earthquakes, amazing biodiversity in ecosystems, unique archaeological objects and the dynamic variety of nomadic populations.

The main part of the School (3 days) will be at the Aktru Research Station of the National Research Tomsk State University. The Station was founded by M.V. Tronov, the distinguished scientist and Professor of Tomsk State University, who was a founder of the Siberian Glaciological Scientific School. There will be various field excursions as well as lectures at the Station and in its

IMPORTANT!

PERSONAL OUTFIT

Taking into account the high-mountain field conditions for the Summer School, personal sleeping-bags and tents as well as proper field clothing and shoes are desirable. If you have any problems in this respect, please let us know.

surroundings.

The two-day journey back to Tomsk will repeat trans-zonal excursions. Other interesting places will then be seen and elucidated in the lectures.





Summer IT School

Dates: August 21 – September 01, 2017

Location: Tomsk

Language: English

Target Group: IT students

Number of Students: min. 8

Food and Accommodation:
University residence hall
(2–3 pers. per room), coffee breaks.

Course Fee: 40 000 rubles (tuition,
airport transfer, cultural and social
programme, studying materials,
coffee breaks, accommodation)

Transportation to Tomsk and back:
paid by the students.

Application Deadline:
June 09, 2017.

Documents to be attached to the
application form:

1. A completed application form
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for an invitation
3. A completed TSU visa
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4. A brief CV in English (attach a
scanned copies of supporting
documents, if any)

Object-Oriented Design and Analysis

When university graduates begin
their professional life as developers
in the object-oriented design, they
face a lot of challenges that prob-
ably have been encountered and
solved before by other specialists.
Sometimes, after a burst of inspira-
tion, a former student happens to



find out that it is not they who invented a solution for a typical task and they could actually do well without taking so many efforts, as there has already been a solution with numerous variants appropriate from case to case.

During our summer school we will demonstrate such typical challenges and the ways of detecting them, as well as you will learn about “dos” and “don’ts” in handling them. Within 2 weeks you will study many interesting techniques of object-oriented analysis and design, which will help you in your career.

We will focus on: requirements management, software architecture design, object-oriented analysis and design, and other. The lectures will be held by the young CS master students who are currently the main TSU developers.

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