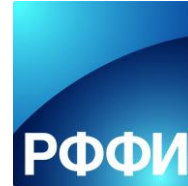




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# **WELCOME TO ATTEND THE RUSSIAN-INDIAN ON-LINE SEMINAR Science and Religion in the Modern World: the Grounds, Problems and Prospects of Dialogue**

*07 December 2021*

*10:00 (Moscow time)*

The Seminar is timed to coincide with the Year of Science and Technology in Russia. The Seminar is planned for the participation of scientists from the Russian universities and research institutions as well as Indian scientists from the Himachal Pradesh University and the Kalp Foundation which studies and preserves the traditional knowledge of residents of the State of Himachal Pradesh.

## *Discussion topics:*

- **How is a productive dialogue between religion and science possible?**
- **How is the peculiarity of the dialogue between science and various religious confessions in different historical epochs and in different cultural and geographical areas manifested?**
- **What are the most important common topics for discussion between religion and science?**
- **What are the prospects for the interaction of modern medicine and traditional medical practices based on religious beliefs?**
- **Is there a place for traditional religious knowledge and practices in modern environmental management and agriculture?**

## *The information for seminar participants:*

- the organizer of the Seminar is the Altai State Agricultural University (hereinafter - the Altai SAU);
- the working languages of the Seminar are Russian and English;
- the Organizer of the Seminar will provide translation of the contributions into Russian and English as well as consecutive interpretation of oral presentations;
- both face-to-face and remote participation is possible (through Zoom's video conferencing platform);

- the registered participants only will have access to the Seminar on-line meeting session;
- the speakers will receive a personal invitation from the Organizing Committee;
- the applications for the Seminar participation should be sent **no later than 30 November 2021** to the e-mail address of the Organizing Committee in free form indicating the participation format (in person / remotely), full name, affiliation and position (without abbreviations) and contact information (phone, e-mail address for communication with the Organizing Committee);
- presentation time-limit - 15 minutes; discussion - 5 minutes;
- speakers' time-limit at the final discussion - up to 5 minutes;
- the invited speakers in advance send to the Organizing Committee the slides for their reports in *.ppt* or *.pdf* format in English.

*Seminar Outcomes:*

- the Seminar video materials will be posted in the official YouTube channel of the Altai SAU; the links to the videos - in the University website and in the University's official social networking site accounts;
- the most significant reports will be published as separate chapters in the collective monograph "The Dialogue of Science and Religion in the Modern World" in Russian and English; the published is planned to be at the end of 2022 within the framework of the Russian Foundation for Basic Research grant No. 21-011-44073 "The Dialogue between Science and Religion: Historical Traditions, Modern Trends, Problems and Prospects";
- all speakers and participants of the discussions will receive a Certificate of Seminar Participation.

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