

Dear colleagues,

INFORMATION LETTER

We invite you to take part in the 4th International Conference "Magnetic Resonance Imaging in Biomedical Research” with elements of the youth scientific school that will be held by the National Research Tomsk State University on October 27-29, 2017.

Reports covering a wide range of issues on the development and application of the methods of magnetic resonance imaging and spectroscopy for clinical and pre-clinical studies will be presented at the Conference.

After the event Conference proceedings will be published in the *IOP Conference Series* journal.

To participate in the Conference, you are requested to register at (<http://mrt.green.tsu.ru>). If you intend to deliver a report, we kindly ask you to send us the title of your presentation, its abstract and type (oral or poster presentation, or distant participation with subsequent publication of proceedings) at mri@mail.tsu.ru **until** **October 1, 2017**.

The abstract can be written either in Russian or English, and the number of words must not exceed 200. If you intend to submit a proceeding based on the topic of your report, please let us know **until October 1, 2017.** Proceedings must be written in English and must not exceed the size of four pages. For the journal’s guidelines for formatting your paper please visit <http://conferenceseries.iop.org/content/authors>.

Selection of presentations for the Conference and a decision on further publication of proceedings will be made on a competitive basis following a scientific review of paper abstracts.

*We kindly ask you to share this information on the Conference with your colleagues by email and post it on the bulletin board in your institution.*

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