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Dear Colleagues,

Baltic Sea Region University Network and St. Petersburg State University of Economics are glad to announce to the Annual BSRUN Forum 2014 which will be held on 14-16 May in St. Petersburg, Russia.

Cross-border cooperation in higher education in Baltic Sea region has long traditions. However, the context for higher education cooperation is constantly changing. Pressures from society have an impact on structures and contents of higher education. Rapid expansion of economic cooperation and trade between Russia and EU is an important issue too. What are the needs, opportunities and priorities for cooperation in higher education in the near future?

The Annual BSRUN Forum 2014 will address current issues in Baltic university cooperation, related to the mobility of students and staff, joint projects and programs, marketing and financial tools. The aim of the seminar is to provide a platform to discuss the current state and future perspectives of cooperation between universities of the BSR countries'.

The seminar will bring together higher education professionals from all BSR countries including colleagues from international offices, faculty, and university leadership and student organizations. The expected number of participants is up to 250. The seminar languages will be English and Russian (simultaneous translation is provided).

See you in St. Petersburg!

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